

And a Nightingale Sang . . .

PRESS RELEASE:

Tiptree Amateur Dramatic Society (TADS) starts its new year, 2009, in a new venue: Tiptree Football Club.

This year we start our production schedule with "And a Nightingale Sang ..", a mellow family-oriented play by C. P. Taylor, a playwright with over 70 plays and TV dramas to his credit.

Following the lives and loves of the Stott family during the Second World War, from the first bomb to the victory celebrations on VE Day, we see Newcastle at war through the eyes of both the war-weary elders and the innocent younger members.

With two daughters, Helen and Joyce, George and Peggy Stott watch, sometimes helplessly, as the girls' grow up and get involved with soldiers, and airmen, all of dubious morals!

Peggy has her religion to fall back on and George his music, but the stress shows sometimes as they try to deal, each in their own way, with not only the girls and their chaps, but also with Peggy's elderly father, Andie, whose main interests are dogs, cats and the 'Black Widow' in Heaton, who he fears has marital designs on him.

Religion, love, deceit and music all in equal measure, join to tell a tale of how people change during the struggle to survive the hostilities of a world war.

And a Nightingale Sang . . will be staged at Tiptree Football Club on Thursday 26th, Friday 27th and Saturday 28th of March 2009.
Doors Open: 7.30 pm : Curtain Up: 8.00 pm

Tickets are available from the TADS Box Office: 01621 814309, or from 'Cartouche', the Centre, Tiptree.

Ticket Prices:

£6.00

Under 16s and Senior Citizens: £5.00.

Tiptree Football Club is located off Chapel Road, Tiptree (CO5 0RA) and offers a comfortable auditorium and plenty of car parking space.

You will find more information on the TADS website:

www.tiptreedrama.co.uk