

CHAIRPERSON'S ADDRESS

Welcome to our production of 'One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest'.

Our society was founded in 1971 in Glencullen and in 2013 we changed the name to Glencullen Dundrum MDS to reflect our wider geographical membership base, making our home in the DLR Mill Theatre in Dundrum.

We are an amateur, non profit community organization who traditionally perform one play and one musical each season.

I would like to thank the ongoing support of our patrons - Lillo McGuinness, Sean Murphy and Pat Kinsley and a special thank you to Tony and the staff of St. Tiernan's Community School and the 137th Balally Scouts Group for the much appreciated use of their rehearsal spaces.

A sincere thank you to the committee for their hard work and to members who have offered their time and help throughout the run of this show.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Bernard Doyle who unfortunately due to health reasons was unable to continue as director for this show. His passion and dedication to the society is a huge credit to him. We wish him a speedy recovery. A heartfelt and sincere thank you to Tom Ronayne who stepped up to take on the role of director. We are very grateful to you and lucky to have you in the society. A thank you to Liam Corrigan also for his encouragement and support.

Last but not least, a thank you to you, our audience for supporting us for this production and always. We hope you enjoy our production of 'One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest'.

Aoife Ryan
Chairperson, GDMS



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Glencullen Dundrum Musical & Dramatic Society
presents:

ONE FLEW OVER THE CUCKOO'S NEST



by Dale Wasserman, from the novel by Ken Kesey
Directed by Tom Ronayne

dlr Mill Theatre Dundrum
Tue 13th - Sat 17th Nov, 8pm
Tickets €16/14

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This amateur production of "One Flew Over The Cuckoo's Nest"
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CAST



*(Back Row, L-R): Brian Carroll, Brian O'Sullivan, Garrett Grimes, Donal Walsh, Eamonn Murphy, Darren Molloy, Robert Coventry, Mark O'Leary, Karl Gieran, Phil Demers, Ken Fitzgerald, Brendan Phelan, Tom Roynane (Director).
(Front Row, L-R): Aoife Ryan (Chair) Aisling O'Leary, Aine O'Connell, Ruth Fitzsimon, Peter O'Brien, Demi Bhamber.*

R.P. McMurphy - Brendan Phelan

Brendan is a member of any drama group that will have him. Previous roles include Alistair in 'Move on Mrs. Markham' & Musician in 'At the Hawk's Well' for which he won several awards.

Nurse Ratched - Ruth Fitzsimon

Ruth studied drama from a young age & has been an active member of GDMDS for a decade now; Some of her favourite roles include Kate in 'Dancing at Lughnasa' and Reno in 'Anything Goes'.

Chief Bromden - Darren Molloy

Darren has previously been a member of Tullamore Musical Society, taking part in productions such as 'Fiddler on the Roof' and 'Oklahoma'. This is his first production with GDMDS .

Billy Bibbit - Mark O'Leary

This is Mark's first play with GDMDS. He has starred in numerous productions including 'Men Without Shadows'; for which he won 'Best Supporting Actor' at the 2010 ISDA festival.

Martini - Peter O'Brien

Peter has been a member of GDMDS for as long as he can remember. During this he has been involved in both plays and musicals including 'Bookworms', 'Sweet Charity' and 'The Hired Man'.

Harding - Brian Carroll

This is Brian's first production with GDMDS. Previously, he appeared as the Constable in 'The Con and the Constable' and in 'Happy to Help', 'My Three Angels' and 'West Side Story'.

Cheswick - Eamonn Murphy

Eamonn is delighted to be back with GDMDS and wants to wish everyone all the best for the run. Previous roles include Teyve ('Fiddler on the Roof') and Captain Von Trapp ('Sound of Music').

Nurse Flynn - Demi Bhamber

This is Demi's first production with GDMDS. Born in London, she studied Performing Arts and Media in the UK. Most recently, she has been involved in an online mini-series called 'Teen Life'.

Aide Warren - Brian O'Sullivan

Brian has been acting since 2011 and joined GDMDS in 2017. This will be his third outing with Glencullen, after 'The Hired Man' last year and 'Bookworms' in May.

Aide Williams - Karl Geiran

Karl has been involved with GDMDS for a number of years and is glad to be back. Previous productions include 'The Hired Man', 'Oliver', 'Sweet Charity' and 'Me & My Girl'.

Candy - Aisling O'Leary

This is Aisling's second outing with GDMDS, having played the role of May Tallentire in 'The Hired Man' last year. She recently directed the one act play, 'The Flattering Word', at the Mill Studio.

Dr. Spivey - Phil Demers

Phil has been performing in Canada for over 10 years. 'One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest' marks Phil's first appearance on an Irish stage. He's delighted to be part of such a wonderful ensemble.

Scanlon - Ken Fitzgerald

This is Ken's first outing with GDMDS. Fairly new to the acting world, he is delighted that his debut is in the classic 'One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest'.

Sandra - Áine O'Connell

Áine is a singer based in Dublin. She has a diploma in classical singing and was a soprano in the RTE philharmonic choir. She is making her acting debut as Sandra in 'One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest'.

Turtle - Robert Coventry

Rob is no stranger to the stage or to GDMDS. He has been involved in numerous shows over the years including last year's 'The Hired Man'. Rob is also very involved back stage and in set making.

Ruckly - Dónal Walsh

A native of Westmeath, Dónal is not a newbie to the stage, having been a member of Tullamore Musical Society. A new member of GDMDS, Dónal is excited to be part of this production.

Technician - Garrett Grimes

Garrett is a long standing member of GDMDS and has been involved in numerous plays and musicals over the years.

Tom Ronayne - Director

Tom joined Sandyford Little Theatre in the 80's to play Tadgh in 'The Field' and acted in and produced many of their productions. Since joining GDMDS, he has directed and/or acted in many musicals and plays including 'Noises Off', 'War', 'My Fair Lady', 'The Field', 'Miracle on 34th Street', 'Plaza Suite' and 'The Hired Man'.

CREW

Director: Tom Ronayne.

Lights: Barry Donaldson.

Stage Manager: Aoife Ryan.

Set Design: Tom Ronayne.

Set Construction: Robert Coventry & John Coventry.

Props: Louise Culleton, Niamh Thornton, Michelle Kennedy & Gail McGrath.

Costumes: Gail McGrath & Members of GDMDS.

Backstage: Amy McGauley and Ross Smith.

Front of House: Members of GDMDS.

Poster: Louise Culleton & Brian O'Sullivan.

Programme: Daragh O' Duffy.