

# LITTLE THEATER PLAY TIME AUGUST 2021

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## Dates to Remember

August---no meeting

Tuesday, September 28, 3:30, Marsh  
Mansion-- Annual Picnic with Drama  
After Dark M\*A\*S\*H\* episode.  
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Tuesday, October 19 at 7 pm, Wednesday  
October 20 at 2 pm, Thursday, October  
21 at 7 pm---HHLT Fall Production *Old  
Time Radio*



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## Message from Val

Dear Members,

I hope you are enjoying your summer and are able to gather with your family and friends. The HHLT has some important events for the remaining 4 months of the year so be sure to read the Play Time.

We are looking for a few good people to volunteer to be Board Members for next year. It is a 2 year commitment. For those of you who prefer to contribute your time “behind the scenes”, being a Board Member certainly fits that definition! We have a great time meeting once a month and developing all types of programs for HHLT. No Board experience necessary. Just a positive, can do attitude is required.



We hope to see you at our September picnic. Be safe and stay cool!

Sincerely, Val Bowman



## Annual Picnic News

Little Theater is planning our traditional, annual picnic on Tuesday, September 28, from 3:30 to 6:30 pm. It will be held (rain or shine) at the Marsh Mansion, both indoors and outdoors. Details are below and more will follow.

- Time: 3:30 – 6:30pm
- Location: Marsh Mansion indoors and outdoors
- Bring your own lawn chairs
- Food: Potluck will be set up indoors. More information about food will be coming in September. If members prefer to stay outside, they may bring their own food
- Masks are required indoors for unvaccinated
- Beverages: cash bar indoors; otherwise bring your own non-alcoholic beverages
- HHLT will supply paper and plastic products
- Entertainment: **Drama After Dark** will present **M\*A\*S\*H** outdoors at about 5:30 (indoors in case of rain)
- RSVP Sally ([scp211@aol.com](mailto:scp211@aol.com)) or Kathryn ([geneofva@gmail.com](mailto:geneofva@gmail.com))



*Old Time Radio*, HHLT's long delayed (due to covid) production is making great progress. Culminating the rehearsals and hard work will be the performances on:

Tuesday, October 19 at 7 pm

Wednesday, October 29 at 2 pm

Thursday, October 21 at 7 pm.

The cast of 18, director Gene Schmiel, producer Mary Jane Fink, stage managers Kathryn Schmiel and Sandy Grillo, LSTV crew led by John Bisaga, George Parker, are working hard to make *Old Time Radio* a worthy and enjoyable return to the stage after an absence of two years!

Tickets are \$10 and go on sale Saturday, September 4. **Gold** reservation forms will be available at the Club House and Marsh Mansion. Please tell your friends and neighbors to come and see us!



Remember Hawkeye, Klinger, Hunnicutt, and Hot Lips? How much fun they were even during the tragic events of the Korean War?

Let's relive an episode of M\*A\*S\*H\* next month at our annual picnic. Drama After Dark will present an episode entitled "Heal Thyself." The characters are:

Hawkeye Pierce

Margaret Houlihan

Corporal Klinger

Father Mulcahy

Colonel Potter

Major Hunnicutt

Major Winchester

Major Newsome

Narrator

We need nine volunteers (men and women) to read the parts (NO memorizing necessary!!). Scripts will be provided. Please call or email Kathryn if you would be able to read for this. It is bound to be fun!



## HERITAGE HUNT HOLIDAY VARIETY SHOW

The annual Holiday Variety Show is fast approaching, sooner than we may expect. Depending on the circumstances with covid there may be a video-taping as early as late October or November for a virtual show. Other dates that are confirmed are as follows:

Monday, Nov 29—Woodbridge Sr. Center

Tuesday, Nov 30—Rehearsal for show here

Wednesday, Dec 1---HH Show in Ballroom

Friday, Dec 3---Manassas Sr. Center

Participants may choose to take part in all the performances or only selected ones.

Little Theater has volunteered to be a part of the show, but we need ideas and participants! Currently we have one definite act and would like another so we can fill our space. Please contact Sally (scp211@aol.com) or Kathryn (geneofva@gmail.com).



PWLT's Original Works Festival took place in late July. Original one act plays, a full length play, and a monologue were shown on three consecutive days. HHLT member Tina Mullins acted in three of the works. They are available for viewing on YouTube at the sites below. Watch them soon and enjoy these local talents.

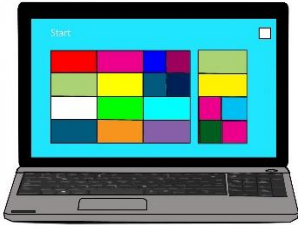
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1Q\\_z4nv7tyU](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1Q_z4nv7tyU)

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## July Hybrid Meeting

Isn't technology wonderful??  
And aren't we grateful that there  
are wonderful folks who know how  
to use it??



Last month's  
first ever hybrid  
meeting,  
facilitated by  
Heritage Hunt's

LSTV, gave us a chance to  
participate in a meeting whether at  
home or in the Mountain View  
Room. . .the first time the entire  
membership could join together for  
an activity.

After our monthly business  
meeting, we were able to participate



in a game of Five for  
Five in which  
members were given  
five one word clues  
and tried to identify a

movie, play, or actor. Lead by Sally  
Peterson, the action moved from the  
Club House to individual homes and  
back again as members tried to  
guess the answers.

Our thanks go to LSTV for  
organizing the equipment and to  
Bob Bowman for setting up the  
Zoom meeting.

## Nominations for HHLT Board 2022-2023

Elections for HHLT Board are  
held yearly in November. There are  
7 members on the Board:

President  
Vice-President  
Secretary  
Treasurer  
Activities  
Membership  
Member-at-Large

Members serve for two years  
and may be elected to serve for two  
more consecutive years.

Currently there are 4 or 5  
members who will be finishing their  
terms. However, each year the  
offices are redistributed so no one  
needs to run for a specific office.

Nominations are open for  
anyone who would like to be on the

WE NEED  
**YOU!**



Board. This is a  
great chance to  
make an important  
contribution to our  
Little Theater. New  
members, previous  
board members are  
welcome. We meet  
only once a month  
(excluding August) and would love  
to have YOU!

**Heritage Hunt Little Theater**  
**Zoom/Hybrid General Meeting**  
**July 15, 2021**  
**5:30 pm**

**President's Comments:** Val welcomed members to the meeting. She thanked the membership committee for all their hard work on getting new members during the COVID pandemic when we weren't meeting live.

**Vice President's report:** The picnic is scheduled for Sept. 28, at Marsh Mansion from 4-pm7pm. More details will be forthcoming on what to bring.

**Secretary's Report:** Minutes of the June 17, 2021 meeting were approved as published.

**Treasurer's Report:** Kathy reported that we had \$4596.93 in the bank as of end of June, 2021.

**Membership:** No report.

**Activities:** Sally asked us to think about our participation in the Holiday Show and what we might want to do.

**Communications:** Kathryn reported that she will send out the PlayTime newsletter. The August Horn will have a full-page advertisement for our October Production, Old Time Radio. There will also be a poster in the Lobby in Sept. and Oct.

**At Large:** Working on the play to be presented in October if everything is open. We are also looking into opening

the HHLT Vault to see if there are some past performances we can re-air. Details will have to be worked out to make this happen.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:45 pm.

Val then turned the meeting over to Sally Peterson for our July program of Five for Five, guessing play/show/musical with 5 clues.

Respectfully submitted: Joan Turner,  
Secretary

