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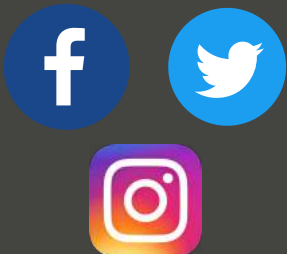
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Kate's Quiz



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to a satisfying end! Reviews and comments have been excellent, ticket sales exceeded previous Spring productions so everyone involved in the EBDG can ride on the crest of that particular wave for a while yet.

It was great to see 4 our newer members taking on leading roles – 3 on stage and 1 on Sound (LIGHT AND SOUND on a couple of nights!)

There were lots of memorable moments during play week but the afternoon I spent with our grandson on Bridgebados Beach was special. Sat in the deckchairs, we chatted about the "Best things to eat, see, do, play at the beach". We built sandcastles, we fished in the ocean, Finley did a Punch and Judy show, he chased after a giant seagull and then we wrote postcards home. Oh what fun!

We also welcomed a new person to the group, Tom, who became a member after seeing the first rehearsal at the Village Hall at the end of April and then helped with Front of House last week. He also joined our quiz team at Thursday's Club Night.

It was an evening enjoyed by all, thanks to Kate who set and delivered the questions. We all appreciated the variety of rounds and I especially liked the one linked to the seaside theme of our production last week!

The best question of the evening, "John Thomas Moore took out a patent for what in 1886?" I took an educated guess.....Deckchairs.....and I was right!

Congratulations to Ro, Julz, Jackie, David and Jeff.....the team that pipped us, The Elvis Fan Club, to the post! Many thanks Kate. We'd like another later in the year.

Off now to sit in my Elvis deckchair in the garden.....great gift from the cast!

Ta ta for now, Karen.

Hello members and followers of EBDG  
We are bringing this to you a little later than usual but with every good reason. May was a very, very busy month!

Rehearsals

Anniversary celebrations

Dentist appointment plus 2 visits to the hospital... 1 of them was to A&E!

Rehearsals

Shopping for scenery paint and props

Car to the garage ... twice!

Rehearsals

Washing machine died

90th Birthday celebrations

Rehearsals

Cemetery Club production at the Grange, in support of Radcliffe drama group.

A visit to the Playhouse to see one of my 80's icons Paul Young

BUT to top that I had a "MEET & GREET" with the legend that is LULU! Oh What a night!... made me want to SHOUT!

And finally, of course, there was our highly successful production of Deckchairs which brought a busy 3 months

# Deckchairs Reviews:



These are just a few of them!



@  
 What a super evening on Thursday. Thank you and the whole team.  
 Regards  
 John

Thank you for a brilliant day, the play was amazing and expertly performed. I did not expect it to be so funny and I have had a lovely day at the beach and had ice cream and had a game of bingo, oh and there was a brilliant busker capped off by the resurrection of Elvis. What a day 🥰🥰

Jennie Bambury  
 Brilliant performance ❤️



Loved it!

Very different, really enjoyed it!

Jennie Bambury  
 I loved the evening - thank you very much for putting on such a fun show.  
 Like Reply Share 2d

Mel Stanley  
 Thank you, EBDG, what a wonderful afternoon at the Seaside, and Elvis too. Brilliant 🥰🥰🥰

So much hard work has gone into this! Well done.

So uplifting, I feel I have actually been to the seaside



Tracy Strutt  
 You were all great. Well done 🥰

Something for everyone

The characters in the chairs were so well cast.

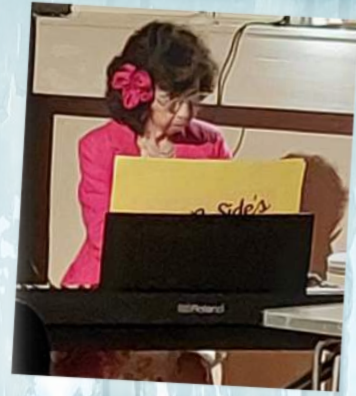
The Front of house displays and auditorium was so well done too.....

Made me laugh, thought provoking, leaving feeling very happy.



Gill Hyett  
 Loved tonight! And not only because I one the Pinot Grigio in the raffle! Can't wait for the next production 🥰🥰🥰  
 Like Reply Share 4d





All of our newsletters will be on our website soon too

There are lots of photos on our Facebook page. Look under the media tab and albums. Photos will soon be on our website

A huge thank you for supporting our raffle at our last show. We made a fantastic £423 and from this we will be donating £200, to RNLI.



We hope you enjoyed our seaside themed raffle!



Just a reminder. Everyone is very welcome to come along to directors' meetings.

EBDG Summer Garden Party/Picnic - More details to follow!

We look forward to seeing you all at our AGM!



Just a note to say a personal 'Big Thank You' to Karen, firstly for visiting me post op, with flowers and a card. So thoughtful and kind.

Secondly, Karen has been a constant pillar of encouragement, patience and belief, throughout my Deckchairs journey. She has afforded me allowances others would not have dared. For this, I will be forever grateful.

Jo





# Kate's Quiz Night!

Club  
Night



QUIZ!



# AGM CHANGE OF VENUE!

Our next AGM will take place on Friday 21st July at 7.00pm in the Village Hall, East Bridgford. All welcome.



## SKEGVEGAS

Members' trip  
Saturday 22nd  
July



## Auditions

Auditions for Wait Until Dark, our November play, will be held at the Skittle Alley, Royal Oak, on Tuesday 27th June at 7pm for a 7.30pm start. More details have been sent by email. Members please come along to watch even if you are not auditioning.



Members - Please feel free to send your contributions to be included in the newsletters.

Newsy items, photos, members spotlight etc.

*Date for your diary.*

Next play dates:  
21st Nov - 25th  
Nov

*Blast From the Past!*



*Friends and Neighbours - Feb 1987*