



CALLBOARD

December, 2007

Season's Greetings from the Co-Presidents,



The holiday season is upon us, and the splendors of this festive time help to distract us from the oncoming rigors of winter in New England. The essence of the holidays is, to many, about reaching out to family and friends to acknowledge their importance in our lives. The many bells and whistles of the season are nice, yet only an embellishment to the core values of faith, love, and friendship. We certainly look forward to sharing some quality time with our fellow friends and members, whether helping at our Craft Fair, toasting at the annual Holiday party, or, perhaps, just making that extra effort to connect with each other for an informal sharing of ideas and smiles. On behalf of the entire Board of Directors, we wish you and your loved ones a healthy, joyous Holiday and New Year.

Brian and Frank

Holiday Craft Fair

Our 3rd Annual Craft Fair will be held at Cunningham Park Hall, 75 Edge Hill Rd., on Saturday, December 8 from 9:30 – 3:00 PM. Come and support the vendors (over 30 with hand crafted items). Explore great last minute gift ideas, and enjoy our raffle, food and baked goods sales. We will also be offering home made soup and sandwiches so join us for lunch. Please contact Dawn Labrie if you would like to help by donating baked goods, helping set-up in the morning or assisting in the kitchen. Help this fundraiser be a huge success.

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Celebrate the Holiday Season at Our Annual Members Party

The Milton Players Annual Holiday Party will be held on Thursday December 13th 2007 at 7 PM. at The Falls Clubhouse, 200 Falls Boulevard, Quincy, MA 02169. The Clubhouse is located at the rear of The Falls condominium complex between the 1st and 2nd parking lots on the right side of the complex. Visitor parking is marked and available in all parking lots. Please bring your favorite Hors D'Ouerves to share and a beverage of your choice. Come and be merry as we celebrate our 75th Holiday Season together.

REHEARSALS FOR OUR WINTER PRODUCTION OF “COLUMBO” UNDERWAY!

You all have likely seen “Columbo” on television at some time or another. But did you know that the lovable, internationally famous detective got his start on the stage? It’s quite true! Writer Richard Levinson and William Link penned “Prescription: Murder”, which debuted in San Francisco in January, 1962. Veteran film actor Thomas Mitchell played the ruffled detective, opposite Joseph Cotton’s murderous psychiatrist. It wasn’t until six years later that the made-for television movie aired on NBC (using the same title) with Peter Falk starring.

Having peaked your curiosity, the cast of “Columbo”, aka “Prescription: Murder” is as follows:

- Dr. Flemming** - Michael Bradley
- Columbo** - Bob Maibor
- Susan** - Angela Paz
- Claire** - Cathy Larson
- Dave** - Lance Wesley
- Miss Petrie** - Pat Brawley

Director Brian Delaney is truly pleased with this top-notch cast! Members of the production team include Tom Coon, assistant director; Bruce Kantor, stage manager; Harriet Ryan and Dawn Labrie, properties; and Steve Hamilton, production manager. If you would like to be involved with the production team, please give Brian or Steve a call.

Oh, just one more thing...the show opens on Friday February 1.

SUGGESTIONS FOR OUR 2008-09 SEASON

If you have a play which you would like to submit for consideration for next year’s slate, please contact our Play Reading chairman, Kevin Lowney, by email at Kevin@lowney.net or at the number below. He would be especially grateful if you actually had a script to go along with the title! Please contact Kevin by year-end if you have an idea to share.

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