

Grasmere Players Newsletter      October 2011

Dear Members,

Panto rehearsals for **Dick Whittington** are now well underway – with a cast of thousands ! We need people to help with set building and painting, including back – clothes, costume and props. If you can offer your time please ring me 36743

The dates, for your diary, are Thursday, Friday and Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> December with a matinee on Saturday. This year's **Christmas Readings** will be on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> December at 8pm. (7.30pm for mince pies and mulled wine )

Several of our members are performing in Ambleside Players' production of

**The Weekend** a dark comedy written by Michael Palin, from Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October at The Kelswick Centre Ambleside. Tickets from Whittaker News, Rydal Rd. Ambleside (£6).

The annual **Youth Theatre** will take place during the half-term week commencing Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October at Grasmere Hall. The week finishes with a performance, created by the students, to which you are all welcome. This year there will be two opportunities to see their version of **Frankenstein** on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October at 3pm in the garden at Dove Cottage and at 7pm in Grasmere Hall. Come along and support our young members ! (All enquiries tel. Hugh Wright on 33437)

On Saturday October 29<sup>th</sup> The Wordsworth Trust in conjunction with Lancaster Millenium Choir and Ambleside Players will be performing **Frankenstein Sings** in Grasmere Hall at 7.30pm. Tickets £6 (£3). Further info. tel 35544

The amount sent to the African famine appeal, takings and collection from the final performance of Mrs Warren's Profession, was £ 400.

Looking forward to 2012 - there is to be a Passion Play in Kendal during the afternoons and evenings of Friday and Saturday April 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> (Easter week- end) at several sites in the town and on Castle Hill. Volunteers are wanted to act, sing and help with all aspects of back-stage. If you want to get involved, contact Elaine Thomas [elaineth@btinternet.com](mailto:elaineth@btinternet.com)

Look forward to seeing you all at Frankenstein !

With best wishes from the committee

Annie Miller