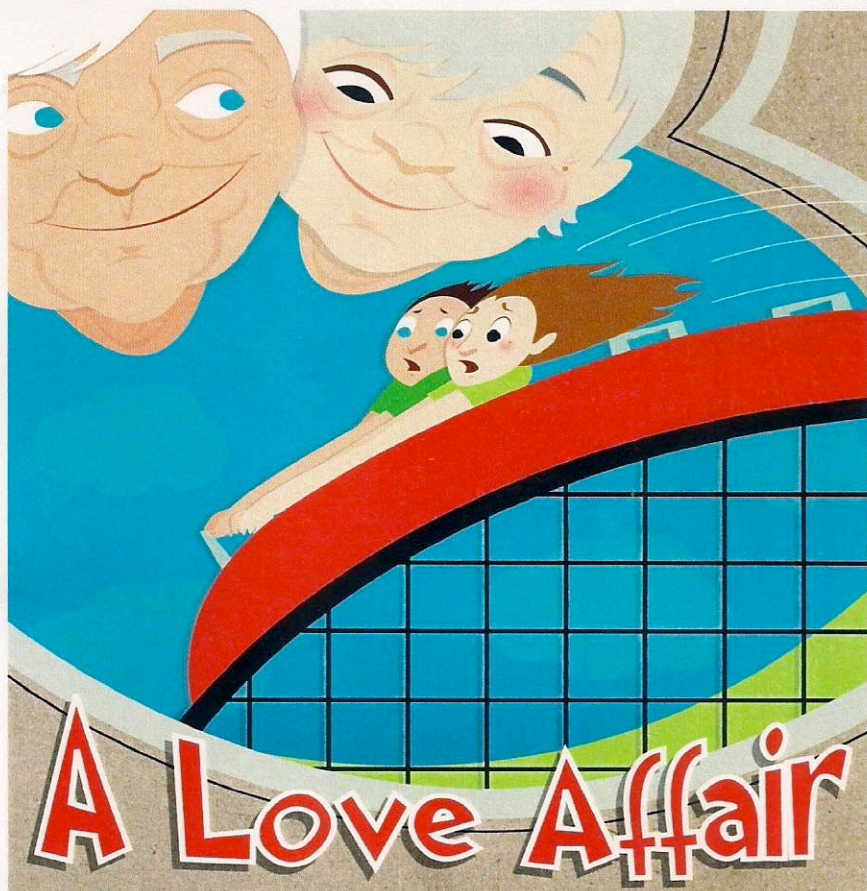


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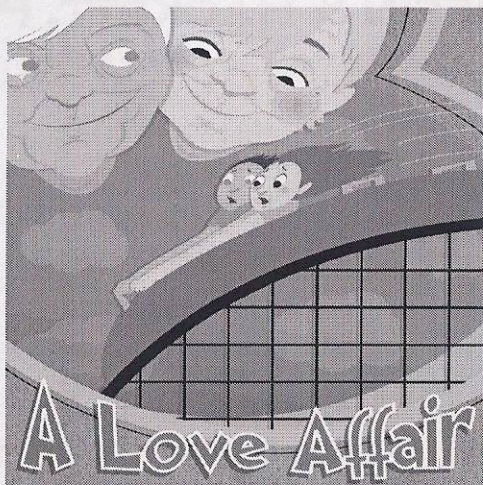
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A LOVE AFFAIR
CAST OF CHARACTERS
(in order of appearance)

Jimmy II John Marino
Alice II Trish Herholdt
Jimmy Jerry Cox
Alice EJ Panico
Desilu Secretary Carol Torrey
Star Carol Torrey
Gynecologist Marsha Shull
TV Producer John Levine
Lawyer Maureen Levine
Starving Students Movers ... Lezlie Eustis, Carol Torrey

TIME & PLACE

Time: A yoyo through the years.
1991 to 1953 to 1991.

Place: All over the place.
Present day Malibu
back to 50s and 60s St. Louis,
70s Encino and
80s and 90s Malibu.

ACT I

Malibu Attic

INTERMISSION

ACT II

Malibu Bedroom

A LOVE AFFAIR
PRODUCTION CREW

Co-Directors Titia Halfen, Tommye Staley
Stage Manager Lezlie Eustis
Props Donna Flomp, Cast
Makeup Beth Howlett, Cast
Costumes Marsha Shull, Cast
Set Construction Jim Hartzell, Pat Erhardt,
Fred Dean, Tommye Staley, EJ Panico,
Phil Staley, Ken Jester, Titia Halfen
Lighting Design Tom Amrhein, Jim DeBastiani
Lighting Jim DeBastiani
Sound Michael Phillips
Program Mary Cahill
Publicity Cassandra Petersen, Jim Hartzell
Bar Nita Gary, Possum Volunteers
Dinner Donna Flomp, John Hulse
Janice Clark, Possum Volunteers

SPECIAL THANKS

DOC for Maintenance and Repair to PPP
Phil Staley
Mr. & Mrs. Holloway

WHO'S WHO IN CAST & CREW

(in alphabetical order)



JERRY COX – Jimmy II – is making his Possum debut and says “he is glad to be involved in an organization with such a history.” He has performed in roles for the Kent County Theater Guild in Dover, the Phoenix Players in Smyrna, and the Milton theater where he most recently played Mr. DiPinna in *You Can't Take It With You*.

When not performing on stage, Jerry may be found assuming other theatre duties such as ushering, stage crew, or set construction. He enjoys the camaraderie community theater offers and has gained many acquaintances during his involvement. Jerry is a member of the Dover Free Speakers Toastmasters Club which he credits helping him gain self-assurance to perform in front of an audience.



LEZLIE EUSTIS—Stage Manager, Starving Student/Mover – has been involved in Community Theatre about 10 years both on stage and off. She was on stage crew for *Funny Money* and *This Must be the Place*, stage crew/maid in *California Suite* and stage manager for *Dinner With Friends* in Milford. On stage credits include Detective Sgt

Slater in *Funny Money* and Zan Giddens in *The Little Foxes* here at Possum Hall. In Milton, she was seen in *Mediocrville* and *A Midsummer Night's Dream*. She played Jerry's wife once as well as EJ in *Social Security* in Dover. She was also seen in *Best Christmas Pageant Ever*, *Over the River and Through the Woods*, and *Annie*. Lezlie is very excited to be back in Possum Hall working with people she has worked with before, and people she has wanted to work with. Last, but not least, she gives a very special thank you to her husband, John, and two girls, Melyssa and Adara, who have been so supportive of her and all her theater endeavors.

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TRISH HERHOLDT – Alice II – has been in many community theatre productions. She was last seen on the Possum stage in *Oliver* and backstage helping with *Proof*, *Chicago*, and *Guys and Dolls*. Some of her favorite theatre experiences were *Cabaret* at Milford's Second Street Players, *Larime Project* for

Camp Rehoboth and *Fiddler on the Roof* with Clearspace Productions.



JOHN LEVINE – Joe Green—was last seen on the Possum stage as Baptista in *Taming of the Shrew* with PPP's New Faces of Shakespeare. He has also performed with the Kent County Theatre Guild as Louis in *The Trading Post*, Brett Reynolds in *Drop Dead* and Maurice in *Social Security*. With the

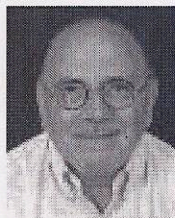
Phoenix Players he was Sgt. Trotler in *The Mousetrap*. John has performed many parts with groups in Northern New Jersey and the United Kingdom, including Fagin in *Oliver*, Chris Keller in *All My Sons* and Paul Bratter in *Barefoot in the Park*.



MAUREEN LEVINE – Julia Feld – was last seen on the Possum stage as the widow in *Taming of the Shrew* with Possum's New Faces of Shakespeare. She has performed many parts while in the United Kingdom and Northern New Jersey. With the Kent County Theatre Guild she was Mona Monet in *Drop*

Dead, and Sophie in *Social Security*. With the Phoenix Players she was Mrs. Boyle in *Mousetrap*. Her directorial credits include *Oklahoma*, *Unexpected Guest* and *Shakespeare on the Run*.

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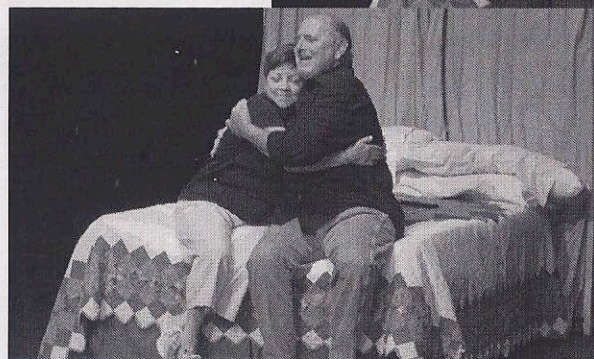
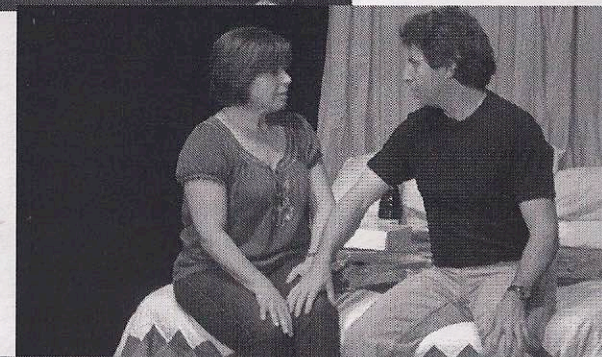
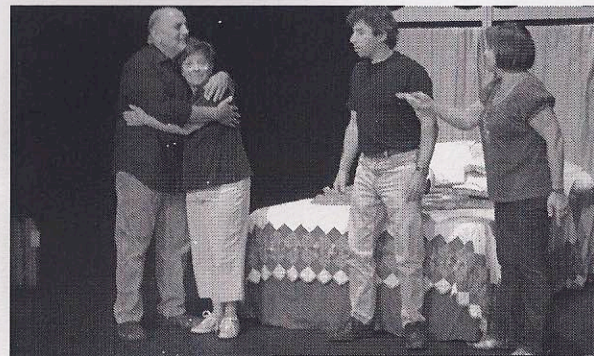


JOHN MARINO – Jimmy II – most recently appeared as Grandpa Martin Vanderhof in *You Can't Take It With You* at the Milton Theatre. He was last seen at Possum Point Players in *An Inspector Calls*. Other appearances at PPP include *Proof*, *All My Sons*, *The Diary of Ann Frank*, *The Dinner Party*, *Funny Money* and *Guys and Dolls*. He also directed *The Little Foxes* here at Possum Point Players. Last year, he was seen in the title role of *Scrooge!* at Clear Space Theater Company. He also appeared in their production of *The Crucible*, as Deputy-Governor Danforth, and in their New Works Festival's *Pablo* and *Maps*. He was Herr Schultz in Second Street Players' *Cabaret*. He is honored to have appeared in both the Bronx premier and Off Broadway productions of Joe DePietro's *Over The River and Through The Woods*.

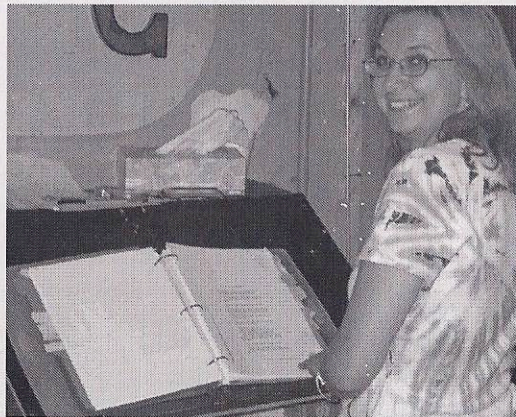
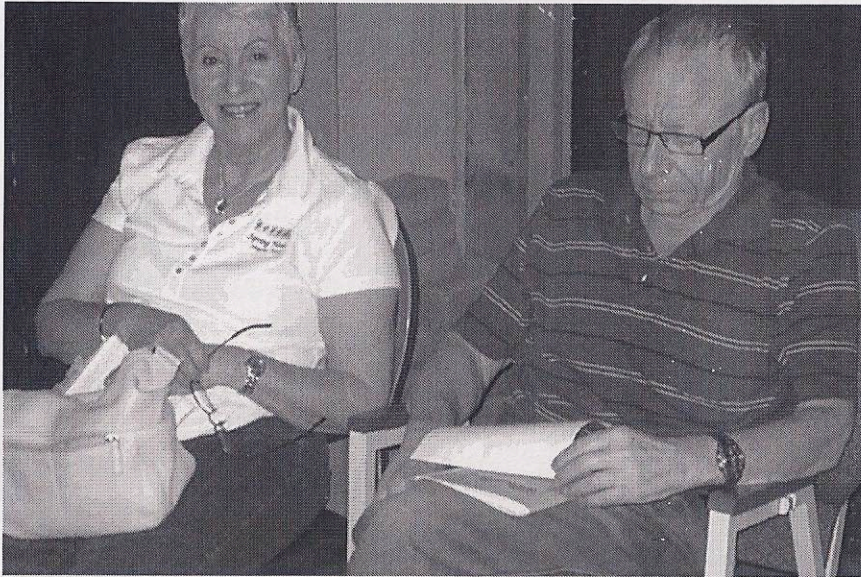


E J Panico – Alice I – is thrilled to be sharing the stage with such an amazing cast and crew. She was most recently on the Possum stage in *The Rainmaker* as Lizzie Curry and *Urinetown* as Mrs. Millenium. E.J. lives in Seaford with her husband, Jay and they have two beautiful and talented daughters, Carmeline and Eleanor as well as a menagerie of canines. She would like to thank YOU, the Possum Community, for supporting such a wonderful organization!

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MARSHA SHULL—Dr. Cynthia McKnight – (Gynegologist) – is that creative talent behind the scenes of many Possum shows as she is the PPP Artistic Boardmember in charge of Costumes. She was last seen on the Possum stage performing as the Antidote to Being Poor in *Urinetown* and has performed in several of our musical productions. She was last seen on the Milton Theater stage in *You Can't Take It With You* as Mrs. Kirby. In real life, Marsha is a Women's Health Practitioner.



CAROL TORREY — Darlene Welch (DesiLu Secretary), Glo Frazier (Star), Jennifer (Starving Student/Mover) – is making her Possum stage debut. However, you may have seen her performing with Milford's Second Street Players as Bunny in *California Suite*, or a townspeople in *The Homecoming*. She performs for shows at the Modern Maturity Center in Dover. Carol performed with the Oak Ridge Playhouse in Oak Ridge, Tennessee, as Annelle in *Steel Magnolias*, as Stage Manager for *The Nerd*, and Pageant Set Designer. She has participated in pageants since she was a teenager and plays flute/piccolo. Carol works at Dover Downs in the accounting department. She is the mother of 2 daughters/Ashleigh 24 and Sydney 18. She has a step grandson and a grandson on the way (Due 11/8/2010).

WHO'S WHO IN PRODUCTION CREW



TITIA HALFEN-CO—DIRECTOR—started working in theatre during High School in Thornton Wilder's *Our Town*. She has Assistant Directed several productions including *Dracula*, 2007, *Funny Money*, 2008, two of the One Acts III, *I Do I Do!*, 2008, *Bell, Book and Candle*, 2008, and *Moonlight and Magnolias*, 2010. She played Sister Mary Margaret in *Nuncrackers*, 2007 and reprised the role in December, 2008. Titia lives at Prime Hook Beach with her dog, Dixie and is an RN of 32 years by day. She loves to laugh and enjoys making others smile. Titia plans to continue on in this life laughing and loving each day from sunrise to sunset.



TOMMYE STALEY – CO-DIRECTOR—last directed on the Possum stage our productions of *Dracula* and *Bedroom Farce*. Other directorial productions include Milford's Second Street Players, Milton Theatre, and Independent Productions. She has been seen on stage performing at The Baby Grand in Wilmington, Delaware, Milford's Second Street Players, Milton Theatre, Kent County Theatre Guide and Footlight Productions. She has also performed with two independent films.

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JIM DEBASTIANI – Lighting Design — is a founding member of Possum Point Players and the originating force behind starting our Possum Junior (PJ) program many years ago and On The Edge subgroup of the Possums which he is now starting back in operation. For many years he was our Board member in charge of Lighting for which he is now resuming that position. He retired from teaching Drama for 11 years at Southern Delaware School of the Arts. Jim says watch for the return of On The Edge.

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