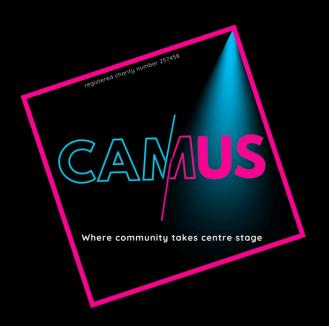
# THE CAMUS NEWSLETTER

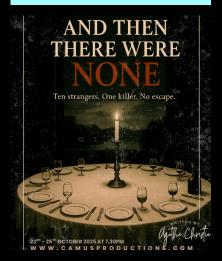
FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS

## **COMING UP IN 2025/2026**

Welcome to our Autumn newsletter to members and friends old and new! It's been a busy 6 months at CAMUS with our wonderful production of Made in Dagenham in June, Camus Singers performing at the Camberley Summer Party and going straight into auditions for our first Autumn play - And Then There Were None. We are also looking ahead to our 2026 season, with auditions for Sweeney Todd coming up. Read on for more updates about our social activities and productions coming up!



### **HIGH LIGHTS**



CAMUS VIP NIGHT Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October

Join us at Warbrook House for a CAMUS, invite only performance of And Then There Were None. Full details on page 5.

## WE'D LIKE TO SAY THANK YOU TO

# CAMBERLEY PLAYGOERS SOCIETY

We would like to say a big thank you to the trustees of Camberley Playgoers Society, a local charity for theatre goers, that has recently closed.

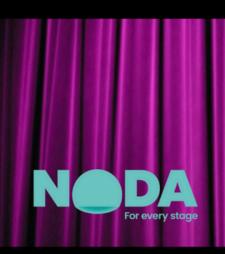
They have given us a generous donation of £808.00, which will help fund our upcoming productions.

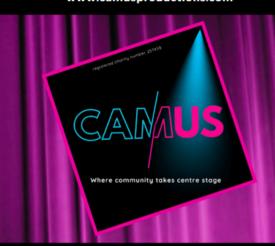
Although we are sad that they are unable to attend future CAMUS productions, we thank them for their generosity towards our society.

## **CAMBERLEY THEATRE**

Who have welcomed us into the Ian Goodchild Centre for our weekly rehearsals. We look forward to hosting more events at the theatre, including our forthcoming production of Sweeney Todd, the musical.

## PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS www.camusproductions.com









Contact the Box Office on 01276 707 600 or online at www.camberleytheatre.co.uk

## MEET THE NEW COMMITTEE



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## MEMBERSHIP UPDATE REMINDER



## New Membership Structure – Effective 1st January 2026

As agreed at the lastAGM, CAMUS will be introducing a new membership structure from 1st January 2026. These changes are designed to ensure the society remains inclusive, sustainable, and welcoming to all, while offering flexibility for members. From this date, membership will be based on a flat annual fee with an additional show fee for those taking part in productions. Annual Membership

- £50 per year, covering the full calendar year (1st January 31st December).
- Open to both performing and nonperforming members.
- Includes the full range of CAMUS member benefits:
  - Regular member newsletters and updates.
  - Invitations to exclusive CAMUS social events.
  - Reduced price tickets for CAMUS shows and events.
  - No audition fees for any production.
  - Eligibility to join additional CAMUS groups such as CAMUS Singers.
  - The right to vote at our Annual General Meeting each April.

We hope that this simplified and reduced annual fee will encourage both new and returning members to join the CAMUS family.

#### **Show Fees**

- Performing members will pay the Annual Membership Fee (£50) plus a Show Fee for each production they participate in.
- The show fee will vary depending on the production and will be announced prior to auditions.
- The show fee will include as many costs as possible (for example, script hire).
- Non-members wishing to take part in a production will pay the show fee plus £50, which covers their membership for the year.

#### **Payment Options**

We understand the importance of flexibility. Instalment payment plans will be available for those who need support with paying membership or show fees. If you would like to explore this option, please contact Gareth, our Treasurer, who will be happy to assist.



Being a member of CAMUS means becoming part of the CAMUS family. As such, we believe every member has the right to feel safe, to be heard, and to uphold our Code of Conduct.

## SOCIAL UPDATES

#### **CAMUS MERCH**

Get the look with our new T-Shirts and Polo Shirts.

**Use our new MEMBERS AREA and Purchase your Merchandise here** 



## **QUIZ NIGHT 'Down the Pub'**

at Darby Green Centre.

4<sup>th</sup> October at 7pm

Join us for a night of fun and food with the wonderful quizmaster, Tom Mercer, who will be putting us through our paces. £15 pp (incl. food)



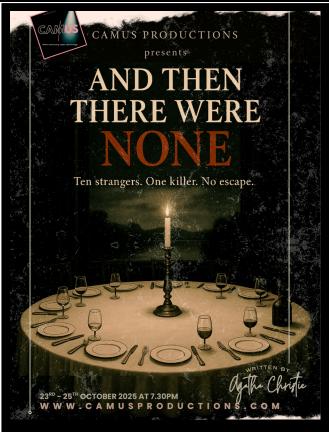
## **CAROL SINGING**

We are looking for some singers to join us for a bit of festive fundraising in the local area.

Message us for more details: secretary@camusproductions.com



## FORTHCOMING PRODUCTIONS



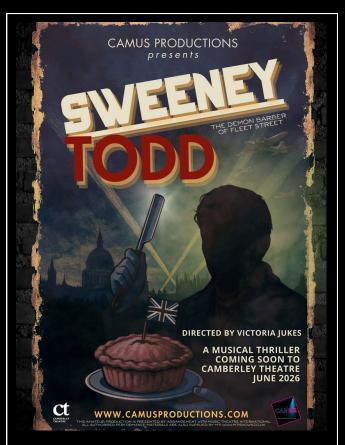
#### **CAMUS VIP NIGHT**

On Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October, CAMUS members are invited to join us for a VIP preview night of our upcoming production of Agatha Christie's 'And Then There Were None' which will be performed at Warbrook House in Eversley on 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> October.

Rehearsals are well underway and our cast are working incredibly hard to produce an outstanding thriller performance.

CAMUS family and friends are invited to the opening night, at a special CAMUS rate of £21 per ticket. To purchase your tickets, please click the link <u>here</u>. Please note, we are limiting capacity for this special event to 60 tickets, so we would like to offer two tickets to every CAMUS member, old or new. Of course, if you cannot attend on 23rd, there are still limited tickets available for Friday 24th and Saturday 25th at full price (£24).

We look forward to seeing you there, ready to find out who dunnit...!



### SWEENEY TODD AUDITIONS

We are so excited to introduce our next production of Sweeney Todd directed by Victoria Jukes.

There will be a number of prep nights that you can attend:

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November** – Directors Intro Night from 7pm ready for a 7.30pm presentation

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> November** – Director's Acting Workshop at 7.30pm

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> November** – Music Workshop at 7.30pm

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> November** - Music Workshop at 7.30pm

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> November** – possible alt. auditions from 7.30p,

**AUDITIONS:** weekend of **Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> / Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> November** 2025.

Full details will be announced over the next month with audition workshop bookings opening for interested parties.

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

#### **CAMUS ANNUAL QUIZ**

## SATURDAY 4TH OCTOBER

Join us at Darby Green Centre, Yateley for our Quiz and Chips – 'Down the Pub', hosted by Tom Mercer.

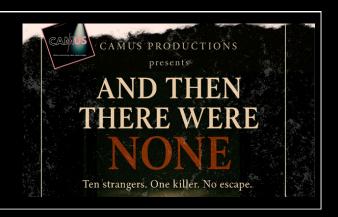
Tickets £15 including fish and chip dinner. Pay bar and raffle



#### AND THEN THERE WERE NONE

## 23<sup>RD</sup> - 25<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER

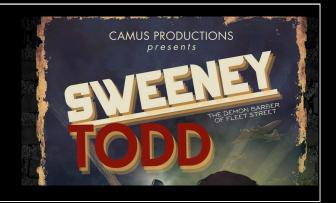
Join us at Warbrook House, Eversley for our first Murder Mystery Production Tickets £24.00. Pay bar available



## **SWEENEY TODD AUDITIONS**

# SATURDAY 22ND / SUNDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> NOVEMBER

Join us at The IGC, Camberley for our pre-audition workshops and main auditions.



## CAMUS 4TH ANNUAL AWARDS

## SATURDAY 18TH APRIL 2026

Join us at The Crown and Cushion, Meade Hall for another fantastic evening of celebration and surprises!

