

Important news from your Chair

**The reading of “The Crucible” is on
24th May at 7.00pm at Ty Price
Community Hall.**

**There are 20 parts, so a good turn-
out is vital!**

**Auditions will take place as
follows:**

Sunday 16th June

Thursday 20th June

Sunday 23rd June

Again at Ty Price at 7.00pm

**“The Crucible” will be staged
at the Savoy Monmouth on
September 12th-14th 2019**

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The Crucible

This famous play is one of the most influential portrayals of mass hysteria in popular culture and I look forward to directing and working with you on this exciting production.

Set in Salem, Massachusetts, the play is a fictionalised account of the Salem Witch Trials which took place in 1692.

Reverend Parris discovered Betty, some other girls, and his slave, Tituba, dancing in the forest and engaged in some sort of pagan ritual. The village is rife with rumours of witchcraft. Parris becomes concerned that the event will cause him to be removed from his position as the town's preacher. He questions the girls' apparent ringleader, his niece Abigail Williams who denies they were engaged in witchcraft, claiming that they had just been dancing. Afterwards, the wealthy and influential Thomas Putnam and his wife, Ann arrive. At the Putnam's urging, Parris reluctantly reveals that he has invited Reverend John Hale, an expert in witchcraft and demonology, to investigate.....

According to Arthur Miller, the author, the characters in the play are real people and what happened to them is recorded fact. The drama involves treachery, hysteria, reputation, power/authority, deception and guilt.

There is a cast of 20 – equally divided between male and female, with ages ranging from mid-teens (female) to elderly.

If you are unable to attend auditions please contact me on 07905 984430 direct, so we can arrange additional auditions.

I look forward to seeing you at the reading and subsequent auditions.

Geoff