

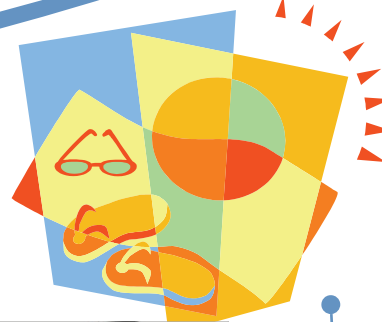
# Curtain Call

Yuma Community Theater

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Summer is upon us!



Mark your calendar for June 12th!

AH, the fresh aroma of grilled hot dogs and hamburgers with all the fixins! YES, it is time for our annual meeting. Once a year YCT gathers en masse to hear annual reports from producers of shows just passed and shows to come. A financial report is given as well. The most important business conducted is the election of three board members and the selection of our President for the 2010-2011 season. The meeting will be held at the Yuma Community Food Bank. The fun begins at high noon. So, mark your calendars for June 12th.

Order forms for the **NEW** YCT shirts will be available as well! Colors are Khaki and White.



S	\$	22.99	\$	22.99
M	\$	22.99	\$	22.99
L	\$	22.99	\$	22.99
XL	\$	22.99	\$	22.99
2XL	\$	23.99	\$	23.99
3XL	\$	25.99	\$	25.99

\*Prices are plus tax.

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## “Caught in the Net” concludes YCT season

Thanks to the cast and the crew for a job well done!



## YCT Board

- Bob Rammelt, President
- Ralph Gray, VP
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# Not so Fast!! And you thought YCT was finished for the year!

## YCT involved in Summer Six Pack

By Cathy Abarno

The City actually approached YCT & asked them to perform a show for the Six Pack. A few years back, you may remember YCT performed "The Good Doctor" as part of the Six Pack. The board tossed the idea around & asked for volunteers to propose a show. Well, as often is the case with non-profit organizations, delegation is the KEY. That's where I come in. It was either President Bob's or my idea - ( I don't wish to take credit where credit isn't due) to do "Same Time, Next Year". It's a simple show - ONLY 2 ACTORS!!! It doesn't get any better than that! I'd seen the movie version with Alan Alda & Ellen Burstyn & I liked it. It's funny, fresh, & wildly entertaining....soooooo ...yes, I flashed my long eyelashes & captivating smile in order to obtain my production staff & there you are - a production is born - with the board's approval, of course! And the rest as they say - is history!



"Same Time, Next Year" is a romantic comedy about George & Doris, who accidentally meet at an inn just outside San Francisco & then stumble into having an affair. An affair that lasts over a 25 year span with George & Doris only seeing one another - you guessed it - the "Same Time, Next Year". The show begins in 1951 & each of the subsequent 5 scenes detail the years following in 5 year gaps. Both George & Doris grow up & change because of their relationship & the confusing & chaotic world events act as their backdrop.

One of things that truly drew me to this production was the longevity of their relationship based on one weekend a year where they met & come together. In today's day & age with rising divorce rates & deteriorating families it's pretty remarkable, really. For those of you who grew up in the 50's, 60's & 70's - this will be a very nostalgic show. Pat Quinn & Adriana Tansey are simply marvelous, darlin, as George & Doris. "Same Time, Next Year" opens Thursday, July 8 thru Saturday, July 10 & continues Thursday, July 15 - Saturday, July 17. Show times are nightly @ 7pm & tickets are \$5. **You don't want to miss this show!**

## The Dunphy's: A Fond Farewell, by Mike Finch

The YCT Board and all members of YCT would like to give Joanna, John & Julianna Dunphy a 'Standing Ovation' for everything they have done in the past few years for YCT.

MSGT John Dunphy and his family are PCSing (Permanent Change of Station) from MCAS Yuma AZ to MCAS Beaufort S.C during the first week of June 2010. The Dunphy family has been in Yuma for 4 years.

The Dunphy's have been a part of YCT in several productions and also for their work behind the scenes.

John recently played John Smith in 'Caught In The Net'. He also played 'Luther Billis' in 'South Pacific'. We will never forget the belly dance or the coco-nuts, John!

Joanna has portrayed several characters in plays such as 'Annie', 'South Pacific', 'Here's Love' and 'Run For Your Wife'.

Joanna's charm and awesome smile will be missed.

Julianna, who is now 12 years old, also portrayed several characters in plays such as 'Here's Love' and 'Annie'. We will sure miss her vibrant personality and energy that she brought to every performance!

**Good Luck to you John, Joanna and Julianna!**

## Next Seasons Show!

"White Christmas"  
"The Full Monty"  
"Catch Me if You Can"  
(More information to come)

Dues are due at the  
June meeting. See mem-  
bership form on page 3.

## Upcoming Dates

**Board Meeting**—June 7

@Food Bank, 7PM

**Annual Meeting** — June 12

@Food Bank, NOON

# Yuma Community Theater Dues Form

Please find enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (\$10.00 base membership) for the membership of the following person:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Yearly sponsorships are now being offered to anyone wanting to contribute more to Yuma Community Theater. Workshops are being planned for our directors, producers, performers, and stagehands. We have begun to outgrow our rehearsal facility and are planning to eventually purchase property which will be able to accommodate our growing props, sets and costumes. Any extra funds will help us toward our goals. These contributions are tax-deductible and help us offer more services to the community. There are several levels of sponsorship.

Stagehand	\$25	
Chorus	\$50	
Diva	\$100	Includes an opportunity to visit us during dress rehearsal
Orchestra	\$250	Includes dress rehearsal and 2 tickets to a performance of your choice
Director	\$500	Includes a cast party invitation and two season tickets
Executive Producer	\$1,000	Includes a cast party invitation and four season tickets

Please check what areas of theater you are interested in the most/have a talent you wish to share. Should your talent not be listed, there are blanks to the right.

_____ Acting	_____ Rehearsal Pianist
_____ Advertising	_____ Set Building/Design
_____ Assistant Director	_____ Set Painters
_____ Choreography	_____ Singing
_____ Costumes	_____ Sound
_____ Dance Captain	_____ Stage Hand
_____ Director	_____ Stage Manager
_____ Fund Raising	_____ Tech Director
_____ Greeter	_____ Usher
_____ Help w / Move In / Strike Set	_____ Volunteer Coordinating
_____ Lights	
_____ Makeup	
_____ Musical Director	
_____ Patron/Access to Schedules	
_____ Producer	
_____ Props	
_____ Public Relations	

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## Member News

Got a new job? A new addition to the family? Traveled to see a good play? Whatever you would like to share with the other members, this space is for you!

Email Gary at [ycteditor@gmail.com](mailto:ycteditor@gmail.com) with your news.

**The next board meeting is June 7, 2010 at the Food Bank. 7PM**



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