

Waipukurau Little Theatre

Presents

SISTERS

A New Zealand Comedy

Written by Alison Quigan & Lucy Schmidt



Directed by Lisa Jane Hay

Directors Notes

I must admit that I never once imagined that I would be directing a play this year that within two hours covered issues of menopause, flatulence, relationship breakdowns, and alcohol consumption amongst other things . . . and yet here we are!!



Alison Quigan would have to be one of the most clever witted playwrights in New Zealand.



Her writing partnership with Lucy Schmidt is indeed a fine one.

I only got to page 15 in the initial read through before I was wiping my eyes and holding my sides . . . a sign that things were going to be interesting, to say the least. Long may the New Zealand comedy last.



I am very lucky to have a cast of very seasoned performers . . . some of whom I have not had the pleasure to work with before. Having a stress free cast is always a blessing, a bonus is having one that enjoys a good laugh and is ever willing to “try things on” so to speak. Directing these guys has been a dream.

Thank you once again to Caroline who had the foresight to encourage such a work to be staged.

Lisa-Jane Hay

October 2006



CAST

Connie

Yvonne

Margaret

Francis

Jason

Rachel

Richard

Mary Kippenberger

Nicki Harding

Josephine Carpenter

Peter Charlton-Jones

Jake Stevens

Renee Casserly

John Foster



DIRECTOR

Lisa-Jane Hay

PRODUCTION CREW.

Production Secretary	Marg Hewitt Caroline von Dadelszen
Stage Manager	Sandy Pepper
Lighting Design	Jamie Sutton
Set Design	Lisa-Jane Hay
Poster/Programme Design	Caroline von Dadelszen Lindsey Bishop
SFX Design	Jamie Sutton
Set Construction	Bruce Poole Derek Prior Jonathon Easter Neil Stevens
Properties	Rae Walker Jacqueline Roberts
Costumes	Christine Dooney and cast
Lighting Operators	Jamie Sutton
Rehearsal Prompt	Sandy Pepper

Tickets

**Lindsey Bishop
CHB Paper Power**

Publicity

Marg Hewitt

Sign writing

Susan Higginson

Carterer

Sue Marshall

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 - **Mary and Peter for cleaning out their shed**
 - **Tracey Lancaster for help with initial rehearsals**
 - **The families and workplaces of all cast and crew.**
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