



WAIPUKURAU LITTLE THEATRE



THE RAFT

BY CARL NIXON

Directed by Cefyn Gauden

Thurs 31 March – Sat 9 April 2011 7.30 pm

Bookings at ColourPlus from 1 March

THE

BAFT

Director's Note

It's a real pleasure to be involved in a production that is so well received. I'm proud to play at this

Wellington. Easily
the years. I knew
extremely grateful
community.

First performed at Christchurch's Court Theatre in 2007, the play has received rave reviews at Centrepoin in Palmerston North and Downstage in Wellington. An adapted version was awarded Best Dramatic Production on National Radio in 2009. The Little Theatre is the first non professional theatre group to host the play.

The cast and crew have quite simply been a joy to work with during the long hours of rehearsal. Thank you for your support.

Jock, Ed, Emma and Debbie have been a constant source of creative stimulation and pleasure. They have fully embraced the considerable challenges of the play and have all worked very hard. A wonderful team of fellow travellers on this shared creative journey.

I would also like to thank young Ollie Wilson, a pupil at Sherwood Primary School for giving us the voice of Liam.

Cefyn Gauden

The Raft

by **Carl Nixon**

Mark Alymer

Edward Carleton Holmes

Tonia Alymer

Emma Walker

Shirley Alymer

Debbie Hart

Jack Alymer

Jock Hyde

Liam Alymer

Oliver Wilson

Directed by **Cefyn Gauden**

Setting: the dining room/kitchen of a family bach on the west coast of the south island. The bach is on the edge of a lake, backs onto the thick bush. Moored in the lake is a wooden raft. The play takes place in late August. It is cold and raining.

The play is in two acts and there will be an interval.



Production Crew

Stage Manager	Jacqueline Roberts
Poster and Programme Design	Lindsey Bishop
Publicity	Margie Hewitt
Rehearsal Prompt	Amy Jerram
Set Design	Cefyn Gauden
Lighting Design and Technician	Michael Nairn
Soundscape Design and Technician	Simon Law
Set Construction	Bruce Poole
- assisted by	John Marshal Michael Fleming Terry Coyle Cefyn Gauden
Set Painting	Cefyn Gauden
Costumes	The Cast
Caterer	Sue Marshall
Front of House and Bar	Committee Members

Waipukurau Little Theatre 2011 Season

June / July

Spreading Out

A play by Roger Hall

Directed by Valda Peacock

November

Bullshot Crummond

by Ron House, Diz White. John
Neville-Andrews, Alan Shearman
and Derek Cunningham

Directed by Terry Coyle



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Bar Prices

Beer (per bottle)	imported - \$5.00 local - \$3.00
Wine (Red and White)	\$5.00 per glass \$20.00 per bottle
Orange Juice	\$2.00 per glass

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