

## GATEWAY THEATRE GUILD FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER



### UPCOMING PRODUCTION

Gateway Theatre Guild's 71<sup>st</sup> season second production begins

on Wednesday February 26 with *The Comedy of Errors* by William Shakespeare, and directed by Dr. Paul Monaghan.

*The Comedy of Errors* is one of William Shakespeare's early plays. It is his shortest and one of his most silly comedies, with a major part of the humor coming from slapstick and mistaken identity,

Set in the Greek city of Ephesus, *The Comedy of Errors* tells the story of two sets of identical twins who were accidentally separated at birth. A series of wild mishaps creates this fun and hilarious romp with a cast and crew all local from North Bay!

Dr. Paul Monaghan, Director of *The Comedy of Errors* said "This is a performance that will entertain everyone". "We have amazing actors and behind the scenes talent here in North Bay and invite everyone to come and experience this entertaining production".

The performance runs February 26-29, 2020 at Widdifield Secondary School Theatre.

Performances begin at 7 p.m. with the doors at 6:30 p.m. "Late Night with the Director" will take place on Thursday February 27<sup>th</sup> after the show.

Tickets are \$20/adult, \$15/student – Cash only at the door

Reserve your tickets by phoning 705-358-1425 or reserving on-line [here](#).

### VOLUNTEERS

We are looking for volunteers for *The Comedy of Errors* for Ushering, 50/50 selling and the Box Office. If you are interested please contact [vpoperationsgtg@gmail.com](mailto:vpoperationsgtg@gmail.com) with your name and phone number.

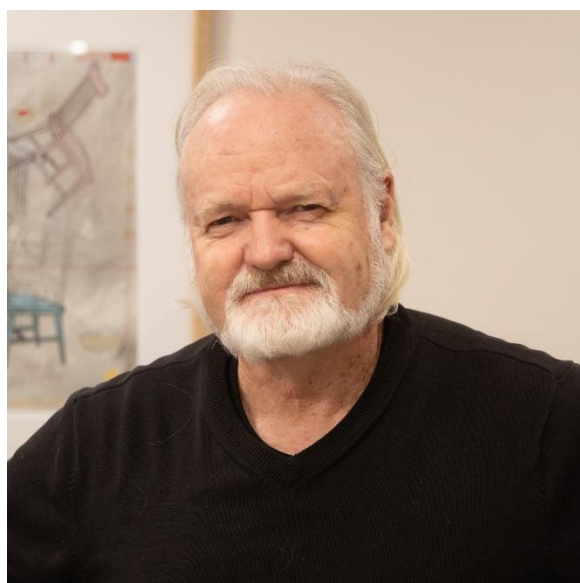
### GTG DIRECTOR & PLAY SELECTION PROCESS 2020-2021 & 2021-2022 SEASON

We are now accepting applications for GTG Directors and Play Selections. Please visit our web site [here](#) for more information.

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### BOARD OF DIRECTOR SPOTLIGHT - INTRODUCING DERMOT WILSON



Dermot joined the Gateway Theatre Guild Board of Directors in October 2019. As well as his video and performance works with Hyperboreal, Dermot is currently producing multiple series' in mixed media and an international artists' residency and presentation project called Broken Forests. Also a writer and curator, his fiction and non-fiction has appeared in various Canadian literary and arts magazines. Dermot curated international and national group and solo exhibitions for ten years as the Director of the WKP Kennedy Gallery in North Bay (2002-2012) and worked for several Media Arts collectives and organizations across Canada. In addition to acting as the

first Director of Paved Arts in Saskatoon, he was a founder of N2M2L in North Bay, first curator for the Ice Follies Biennial and a Founding Board Member for both the Artist-run Centre's and Collective of Ontario and the Media Arts Network of Ontario. Currently Dermot is working as a Collaborator at the Nipissing Region Curatorial Collective and developing media performances with Hyperboreal.

### BEHIND THE SCENES

Do you have a talent that you would like to share with Gateway Theatre Guild? We are looking for Stage Managers, Costumers, Set Designers, Painters, Props, Producers, Lighting and Sound techs. If you are interested in volunteering please contact [vpoperationsgtg@gmail.com](mailto:vpoperationsgtg@gmail.com)

### MEMBERS

The Board of Directors wanted to let you know that they are working on a new benefit package for everyone who is a member of Gateway Theatre Guild. We are planning some skills workshops. A series of workshops aimed and generating seeds for new works in a range of formats, public play readings and more. Stay tuned for more details. If you are interested in becoming a member of Gateway Theatre Guild please contact [vpoperationsgtg@gmail.com](mailto:vpoperationsgtg@gmail.com) and they will forward you to our new Director

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### PATRONS

Being a Patron of Gateway Theatre Guild helps with the producing of our three plays per season. Patron contribution starts as low as \$50 and this will give you the benefit of being listed as a supporter of local theatre for all three show programs. For more information contact [vpoperationsgtg@gmail.com](mailto:vpoperationsgtg@gmail.com)

### Upcoming Events in North Bay

#### Gateway Theatre Guild

Feb. 26 – 29 - Gateway Theatre Guild presents The Comedy of Errors. [Click here to reserve your tickets.](#)

#### Music

Feb 15 – Nathan Smith – North Bay CD Release Show/w Hannah Shira Naiman. To purchase tickets [click here.](#)

#### Art

Feb 28 – Downtown Gallery Hop. Grand Opening for Gallery 222 at 222 McIntyre, the Kennedy Insurance Building. Featured artist: David Carlin

#### Film

March 4 – North Bay Films presents Waves, visit their [Facebook page.](#)

#### Theatre Festivals

March 25 – 28 – Sun Dog Theatre Festival. For more information visit [On the Edge Fringe.](#)

#### Young People Theatre

June 13 & 14 - Mustard Seed Theatre presents Jonah's Druthers - The story of Jonah told with a spaghetti western twist!. For more information visit their [Facebook Page.](#)

For more information visit [www.gatewaytheatreguild.ca](http://www.gatewaytheatreguild.ca) for upcoming guild information.

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