

Costumes report for fiscal year 2004-2005:

This past season was indeed a very busy one and the RLT/RSS costume room was no exception! With all the shows that schools put on during the year, and especially around November and December, there is never a dull moment!

I rented costumes and/or props for numerous productions including:

Thom Collegiate
Campbell Collegiate
Do It With Class
University of Regina
Cornerstone Christian School
Partners in Motion
Saskatchewan Express
Saskatchewan Express Musical Theatre Studio

In many cases, the loans were made in return for advertising our next productions.

A special thank you to everyone who donates articles to us over the year. Margie Sandison donated some of her husband Johnnie's tuxedos and I thanked her personally when I saw her at the Saskatchewan Express December production. Whatever can't be used, we will cull and put into our costumes and props sale.

I actually said "yes" to a couple of offers of hats! The costume and props sale is scheduled for October 22. Keep your eye on the Masks and Faces for further details.

I would be terribly remiss if I didn't extend a huge thank you to Jean Taylor for the tremendous job she did of cleaning the costume room! It is an amazing sight to see now! She did this entire clean by herself and I can't thank her enough for doing so. While the new flooring was being put into the RLT rehearsal space, we also did a cull of the furniture room. We found we were once again running out of room and we only two years ago expanded our storage space. These furniture pieces will be come part of the October sale.

Thank you also to Fred Gallagher, who has been a huge help in the rental of the props and set pieces. He handles many of these when I am unavailable which was a constant occurrence given my extremely busy centennial summer!

Thank you also to all the ladies who worked on costumes for productions over the year for their help in keeping the room working well and looking good.

Respectfully submitted,

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