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Deceiving Granny

By Michael Taylor

Directed by Carri Lelliott

Feb 12, 13, 14, & 15 2025 at **7:30**pm

Matinée Sat **Feb 15** 2025 at **1:30**pm

Regina Performing Arts Centre • **1077 Angus Street**

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Season 99 Calendar

Audition dates have been confirmed by the respective directors but are subject to change. Any changes will be reported in newsletters, social media and the Website. All auditions are held at the Regina Performing Arts Centre and begin at 7:30 p.m. Participants are urged to arrive 10-15 minutes early to fill out the audition form.

Feb. 17 & 18: Auditions for ***Quartet***.

Feb. 24 & 25: Auditions for Spring One-Acts Cabaret.
(The previous audition dates have been updated. The dates shown here are current.)

March 24 & 25: Auditions for ***Father of the Bride.***

April 23-26: Performances of ***Quartet***.

May 9 & 10: Spring One-Acts Cabaret.

June 11-15: Performances of ***Father of the Bride.***

June 20: Volunteer Gala.

Coming Soon!

Spring 2025 One-Acts Cabaret

May 9 & 10 2025

Scent of Honeysuckle
by Jean Lenox Toddie
Directed by Hope Van Vliet

The Death of Me
by Norm Foster

My Inner Demon
by Brendan Lorch

Auditions on Feb 24 & 25, 2025, 7:30pm at the Regina Performing Arts Centre!

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Regina Performing Arts Centre
1077 Angus Street
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Production Team

Director	**Carri Lelliott**
Producer	**Hope Van Vliet**
Stage Manager	**Brendan Lorch**
Assistant Stage Manager	**Susan Holmes**
Set Design	**Carri Lelliott, Pat Wilson**
Set Decoration	**Abbey-Taylor Kelsey**
Painting Crew	**Scott Krieser, Tara Krieser, Carri Lelliott, Brendan Lorch, Darcy Sharman, Karin Von Staden, Pat Wilson**
Sound Design and Technician	**Michelle Leggott**
Lighting Design	**Derek Klaassen**
Lighting Technician	**Adam Read**
Costumes	**Lorri Crittenden, Lacey Frigon, Annetta Kuntz, Jean Taylor, Linda Weir**
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Set Construction	**Jim Dickenson, Marty Lelliott, Daryl Mang, Rod Mcleod, Larry Raynard, Darcy Scherle, Greg Wehrle**
Stage Hands	**Cara Barschel, Josh Bekker, Emily Dornstauder, Karin von Staden**
Props	**Susan Holmes, Karin von Staden, Cheryl Scherle**
Understudy	**Josh Bekker**
Rehearsal Prompters	**Josh Bekker, Karin von Staden**
RPAC House Technician	**Declan Slater**

There will be one 15 minute intermission between acts.
Refreshments will be available in the lobby.

Special Thank Yous!

A Special thanks to **Tony Cuylle** at ***Strike A Pose Photography*** for our wonderful headshots. Thank you to **Kelly Knowles at IL.Salon** for wig care and styling. We would also like to thank the **wonderful folks that help with front-of-house!** And finally a note of thanks to **Dianne Carr** of ***Dependable Vacuums Plus*** for her delicious Greenroom Party devilled eggs!

Cast

Ayrianna Hrenyk • Margaret

This is Ayrianna Hrenyk's first mainstage play and fifth show with Regina Little Theatre. Previously she was in ***Murder on the Orient Express*** (2023), ***The Ladies Foursome*** (2024), and the spring and fall one act cabarets in 2024. She graduated from the University of Regina with a Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Theatre Performance. She also has workshop training as an intimacy and fight choreographer. Ayrianna enjoys working both onstage and backstage, anything theatre is her passion!

Jon Hubic • Sam

Jon is pleased to return to Regina Little Theatre after a hiatus; he has been involved with RLT for fifteen years. Jon has learned so much about theatre and enjoys putting on a great show with talented people. Before RLT, Jon was involved with theatre since high school, including taking acting classes at the Globe Theatre. He was involved with an outdoor production of ***The Princess Bride*** with the Five Loaves Theatre Company, and has been involved with Tumbleweed Theatre (Balgonie) for over ten years. Jon is delighted to be back and sharing ***Deceiving Granny*** with you all.

Karn Reidy • Kelsey

Karnstein "Karn" Reidy has been in a few Regina Little Theatre productions including ***The Black Bonspiel of Wullie McCrimmon, Does My Head Look Big In This?*** and ***Captain Blood***. She was first directed by Carri in the one act ***Shut and Bar the Door***. She loves computers, and is hoping to work towards a future in programming. Karn also plays a plethora of video games, has a ton of unfinished art projects, and has amassed a concerning amount of Pokémon knowledge.

Braden Schmidt • Rob

Braden is both thrilled and honored to be a part of this amusing and animated play alongside such a fantastic cast and crew. His most recent theatre endeavours include RLT's production of ***As Night to the Day*** (2024) and ***The Black Bonspiel of Wullie MacCrimmon*** (2024). This is Braden's third play with Carri, previously he was cast in ***Shut and Bar the Door*** and ***Drinking Habits***. Braden wants to thank you for your continued support of live, community theatre in Regina.

Dean Gurnsey • Drake

This is Dean's first appearance on the Regina Little Theatre stage! Previously he acted in New Hope Lutheran's dinner theatre productions. In spring of 2024, he played Ray, Frank, and Arthur in their production of ***Sunshine Express***. Before that he appeared as Thomas in ***The Old Faith, Hope, and Charity*** (New Hope). Dean would like to thank his wife, Kim, for her support and love.

Tionna Ackerman • Abby

Tionna is excited to return to the RLT stage following her 'Dream' role in One Acts a few months ago. Enjoying her first experience with RLT earlier this year (***The Play That Goes Wrong***), she was eager to dip her toes into a new role and excited to be working with our Director, Carri again! She's been involved in a number of productions both on and off stage, including recent opportunities to film as an extra in a true docu-series and a horror comedy movie this past summer/fall. When not on stage you can see her performing with her choir group "*Prism*".

Amanda LeForte • Grandma

Amanda (she/her) is thrilled to be back in another fantastic production with Regina Little Theatre. She is honoured to be cast with this amazingly talented group of performers and rockstar production team! Most recently Amanda has appeared in ***Murder on the Orient Express*** (Mary) and ***Time After Time*** (Amy). Amanda wants to thank her husband for his endless support and her children for sacrificing bedtime stories while Mommy got to live her passion for the past few months!

Karin von Staden • Courtney

No stranger to the stage, Karin began acting with RLT in the 1992 production of the ***Miracle Worker***. Over the years she has been fortunate to be cast in numerous RLT productions, including the second production of ***Steel Magnolias*** where she played the role of M'Lynn.

Karin is thrilled to be back on stage and a part of the incredibly funny and winding farce ***Deceiving Granny***! Such fun!

Ginnie Baragar • Old Lady

Ginnie started acting in 2023 with Tumbleweed Theatre (Balgonie) and this is her first appearance on the Regina Little Theatre stage! Her favourite theatrical genres are comedies and mysteries. When Ginnie is not participating in community theatre you can find her with her many animals (two dogs, three cats, two aquariums), tending to her gardens, or enjoying quality time with her friends and family. She always has a project on the go and is eager to learn new skills. She will never say no to a gingersnap cookie.

Sean Barschel • Officer

This is Sean's third appearance in a RLT production and he couldn't be more excited to be protecting and serving as Officer Tim. In 2024 he was seen onstage in ***The Play That Goes Wrong*** and ***Fishing for Fate***. When he isn't acting, Sean works as the director for the Schizophrenia Society of Saskatchewan. In his free time he loves staying active with his wife Cara, either in the gym or chasing their dogs. Sean would like to thank the director, his cast mates, and Cara for their support. Lastly, he'd like to remind everyone to please, for the love of Pete, lock your doors at night!

Scott Krieser • Pete

Scott is excited to join the ensemble of Deceiving Granny as Pete. Scott is a veteran of RLT (ie: he's getting old), performing with them since 2004. His most recent roles were as Alan in ***Sunshine Express*** with the New Hope Players (2024) and as 'Man' in ***Now and Then*** (2022). When not 'treading the boards' (his favorite hobby), Scott works as a Cyber Security Analyst at Conexus Credit Union. He's also working on a new role - figuring out how to be a grandpa to his three young grandkids!

Josh Bekker • Dave

Since 2023, Josh has played a wide range of roles with RLT, including a conspiratorial French train conductor, a wealthy murder victim (who turned out not to be dead), a foul-mouthed commuter narrowly avoiding a pair of road-dwelling possums, an observer of the end times, a hungry frog, a dangerously charming fox, and an unlucky book publisher. By day, Josh is a high school math teacher, and in his spare time, Josh can be found traipsing through mountain meadows in the summer, or huddled up at home surviving the winter with a steaming bowl of pea soup and a puzzle.

Crew

Carri Lelliott • Director

Carri is pleased to be able to direct this wonderful farce and she hopes you enjoy it as much as she has. Carri thanks both the actors and the team of people you won't see on the stage (it takes a village!) for their dedication, work, and skills.

As well as directing and acting for Regina Little Theatre (most recently ***Making God Laugh*** 2023), Carri has worked with New Hope Players, Theatre Saskatchewan, and troupes in Bienfait, Lampman, and Estevan. A retired Arts Education teacher, when not involved with theatre, she can be found creating art, knitting, cooking, baking, paper crafting, & sewing.

Brendan Lorch • Stage Manager

Brendan Lorch is a Regina based theatre artist, and a professional goofball since birth. ***Deceiving Granny*** is Brendan's seventh show with Regina Little Theatre and his first time as Stage Manager. Brendan's experience in theatre includes: writing, directing, acting, working backstage (ASM), and anything else that lets him stay involved in theatre. When he is not up to his neck in theatre, Brendan spends his time reading manga, gaming with his friends or spending time with his wonderful family (including their new dog Phoenix). Brendan would like to welcome you all to one of his homes away from home, and that you all enjoy the show!

Susan Holmes • Assistant Stage Manager

Susan has been volunteering with Regina Little Theatre and Regina Summer Stage since before the turn of the century. She is happy to be running around backstage, supporting this group of talented performers and the rest of the behind-the-scenes team. Grandma Sue has been imagining what her grandkids would do to Deceive Granny for her millions – joke's on them! Susan hopes the audience has as much fun as we have had.

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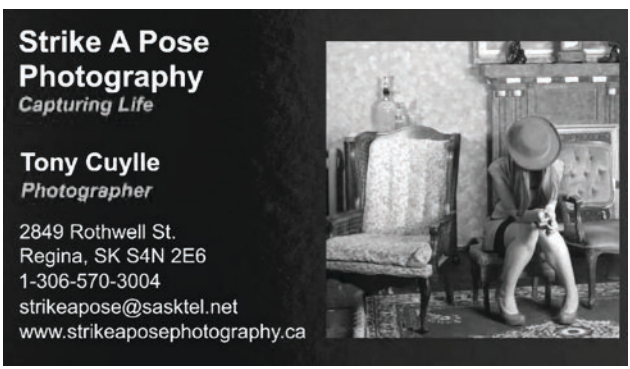

Regina Little Theatre presents

Quartet

By Ronald Harwood

Cecily, Reggie and Wilfred reside in a home for retired opera singers in England. Each year there is a concert to celebrate Verdi's birthday. Jean, who used to be married to Reggie, arrives at the home, still acting like a diva, and refuses to sing. But the show must go on in this funny and poignant play.

Quartet

By **Ronald Harwood** • Directed by **Bob Nicholls**

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Saturday, Apr 26, 2025 Matinée
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