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### OUR NEXT PRODUCTION

#### *"The Bat"*

Mystery Comedy by Mary Roberts Rinehart

Directed by Tom Birkeland

Oct. 28 & 29

Nov. 4, 5, 11 & 12

#### Tryouts For

#### *"H.M.S. Pinafore"*

Operetta by Gilbert and Sullivan

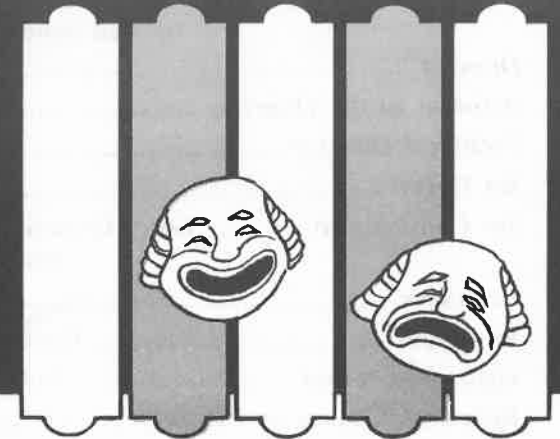
Directed by Mike Self

Oct. 30, 31, Nov. 1

7:30 p.m.

# Tacoma Little Theatre

210 North "Eye"



Presents

## *"The Sunshine Boys"*

by Neil Simon

Directed by  
**Barbara Simpson**

**September 16, 17, 23, 24, 30  
October 1, 1977**

59th Season

368th Major Production

(Produced by special arrangement with Samuel French, Inc.)

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# "The Sunshine Boys"

by Neil Simon

Director ..... Barbara Simpson  
Assistant to the Director ..... Suzanne Fletcher  
Technical Director ..... Gerry Ianuzzi  
Set Decor ..... Les Pugnetti  
Set Construction ..... Gerry Ianuzzi, Al Malam, Christian Ianuzzi  
Maria Batayola, Cheryl McCoury  
Costumes ..... Ida Bateman  
Properties ..... Gavin Guss and Marianne Bichsel  
Lights and Sound ..... LuCindy Devlin and Gavin Guss  
Rehearsal Pictures and Display ..... Mark Pederson  
Stage Manager ..... Cheryl McCoury

## CAST OF CHARACTERS

(In Order of their Appearance)

Willie Clark ..... **Bob Schmid**  
Ben Silverman ..... **Dave Haygood**  
Al Lewis ..... **Jim Meyer**  
TV Director ..... **Steve Fortson**  
Eddie (Assistant TV Director) ..... **Jim Haygood**  
Nurse ..... **Colleen Custer**  
Registered Nurse ..... **Linda Clark**

## SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

### ACT 1

Scene 1 - Willie Clark's Apartment. Time - present.  
Scene 2 - The following Monday

### INTERMISSION

### ACT 2

Scene 1 - TV Studio  
Scene 2 - Willie's Apartment

The Lobby Art Display is through the courtesy of  
**JO HYNDMAN and LILLA BOARSLOG**

## Acknowledgement

"Our special thanks to the Seattle Iron and Metals Corporation of Seattle."

## WHO'S WHO

**BOB SCHMID**, who plays Willie Clark in tonight's production, has been with T.L.T. since 1943, active in both acting and directing. He will be remembered by most of you for his memorable performance as "Gregory Solomon" in "The Price" a few years ago. He is a retired teacher and now enjoys cooking and playing golf.

**JIM MEYER**, who plays Al Lewis is back with us at T.L.T. after too long an absence. His first show at T.L.T. was in "Dear Ruth" in 1946. He is also retired. He worked as a TV technician. He says that his favorite pastime now is shooting pool.

**J. DAVE HAYGOOD**, "Ben Silverman" in tonight's production, is a Sophomore at U.P.S. majoring in Theater Arts. He enjoys most sports. He appeared here last season in "Finishing Touches" and "Carousel" and has just appeared in "Camelot" at Wilson High School for another theater group.

**STEVE FORTSON**, TV Director, is a teacher in Social Communications at Foss High School. He appeared in "George Washington Slept Here" and "The Miracle Worker" at this theater.

**JIM HAYGOOD**, Eddie (Assistant TV Director), is just recently out of the army. He served as a Medic and became so involved in the work, that he is planning to be a doctor. He is a Freshman at U.P.S.

**COLLEEN CUSTER**, The Nurse in this show, is making her first appearance on stage at this theater. She has always been busy backstage with the technical end of the production. She is an outdoor enthusiast, enjoying hiking, camping and swimming.

**LINDA CLARK**, The Registered Nurse, is quite active in theater. She appeared here in "Sweet Charity" and "The Miracle Worker". Besides her activity in theater she works at a job full time, takes care of her two children, and still finds time to enjoy hiking and camping.

## JUNIOR THEATRE

Registration for Junior Theatre is Saturday, September 24th, 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Ages 3rd grade through high school.