

## Welcome from our directors...

Welcome to the Seaview guesthouse... two minutes from the sea! We hope you will have a lovely time whilst you are stopping with us and don't forget to sign the visitors book. Special thanks to Hayley, my co-director, who has made working on this production a joy. As usual, thank you to Sue who has done more work behind the scenes to make the CastAways a success than any of us will ever realise. Thanking you very much to Katie and Luke for stepping in to roles at the last minute and to the rest of the cast and crew for just being brilliant! Gary and Ian have been amazing with their tireless work on the show with some help from Luke, Martin and other members. I am also always taken aback by the amount of useful things Helen F is capable of digging up as she drives around the area and charity shops, you are truly a visionary magpie. Lastly a massive thank you to you, our audience, we hope you enjoy the show!

*Mark*

Hello and welcome to Bispham Castaways, this is my first time co-directing with Mark Marsden and I have to say it's been great fun working with him! I don't have much experience directing, as this is only the second play I have directed but I really enjoy it and can't wait to do it again.

My first thanks goes to Susan Hope because this group wouldn't even exist if it wasn't for her, thanks for all your support and help Sue. Then I'd like to thank the cast who have been fantastic and so professional, they are all so talented and surprise me each time they are on stage. A special mention to Katie and Luke for stepping into their roles at the last minute. An extra special mention must go to Gary and Ian for being our set designers, builders, inventors, sound and lighting crew, and responsible for some of the sound effects you hear. I would also like to thank the crew and anyone else

who have been involved and helped in anyway with this production. Also I would like to thank Mark Marsden for asking me to help co-direct this very funny play with him.

The final thank you from The Bispham Castaways goes to you, our audience, for supporting us.

All that is left to say is sit back, relax and enjoy the show!

*Hayley*

