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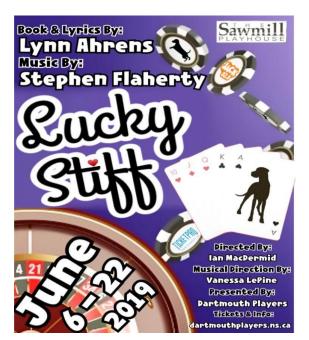
The magic of live theatre

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Dartmouth Players, 33 Crichton Avenue, Dartmouth, NS

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June 6 – June 22, 2019 Thursdays to Saturdays at 8 pm. Matinees on Sunday June 9 and Sunday, June 16 at 2 pm.

Tickets are \$17 and \$19, available at <u>ticketpro.ca</u> or by phone at 1-888-311-9090, or CASH ONLY at the door.

Director's Notes - Lucky Stiff

There comes a time in life when we all start to take account



of our past successes and, I hate to say it, failures. In 1990 I received a call from a producer at Dartmouth Players asking if I would be interested in working in the lighting booth. I had never worked in a lighting booth but the person I would be working with had never worked in a lighting booth either, so we were a good match! Then time started flying by. Would I like a role in the next show? Sure! Would I like to direct? Why not! And that's when the fun began. Fast forward 20 years and here we are. Last fall, Holly mentioned the musical for the season and said they did not have a director yet. She said it was a kneeslapping, crazy, fun show. She said how much fun it would be to be a part of it. She never said, will you direct it? Never! She's good. Before I knew it, I was asking to see the script and after reading the opening song and scene, I was laughing out loud.

We needed a musical director. Enter Vanessa. We needed a pianist, enter Christian. We needed a dead body, that was going to be a little more difficult, but as luck would have it, Bryn walked in! Need a stage manager? Erin said yes! Need a set designed? Ray is on it! Costumes? Pam and crew. Lights? Richard's all over it. This is what I love about Community Theatre, everyone just steps in where they're needed. You will see a few familiar faces in this show and a few new ones. I'll not point either out, but let you decide who's who for yourself. I'm so proud to have each and every one in this show.

We're doing things a little differently this time around, hope you enjoy it!

-Ian MacDermid

P.S. Oh did I mention the dogs?

CAST OF LUCKY STIFF



L-R: Vanessa LePine, Musical Director, Clair Henderson, Dale Charron, Christine Ann Walker, Bryn Rowlands, Brad Morrison, Krista Fewer, Jason Dick, Jessica Lorraine, Lyssa Steponaitis, Maria Lukeman, Stacy Milford.