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# There Goes The Bride

by Ray Cooney  
& John Chapman



**WYONG MEMORIAL HALL**

November 1995

# "There Goes The Bride"

.... the people who made it happen ....



## *Howard Oxley* Director

*I've been with the Wyong Drama Group for twelve years but mostly in front of the lights rather than from the comfort of the Director's chair.*

*"There Goes The Bride" is a chance for us all to have a laugh based around the off-beat characters in the Westerley family. We've had a lot of fun at rehearsals and I've found it easy, being surrounded by such talented actors. I've had the benefit of support from many other members of the group who have all done a share of the work. We hope you enjoy our theatre evening.*



## *Laszlo Weidlich* Gerald Drimmond

Laszlo has many years of experience at WDG and has appeared in countless memorable roles.

Patrons will remember his *Banquo* in last year's production of *Macbeth*. He recently played *Josh*, *Felicity's* childhood sweetheart in *Daylight Saving* and the very funny *Manolo* in our last production, *"The Odd Couple"*.

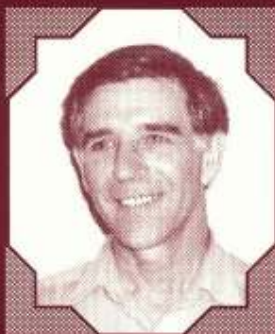
## *John Czerniecki* Charles Babcock

John's appearances include *Wait Until Dark* and *Trivial Pursuit* here at WDG, *Arsenic and Old Lace* and *Month of Sundays* at Woy Woy Little Theatre, *Oklahoma* and *Fiddler on the Roof* for GMS, *The Crucible* and *Amadeus* for Gosford Fringe and *The Dresser* for Kent St Theatre in Sydney. He recently played the role of *Jesus* in *The Odd Couple*.



## *Peter Jackson* Bill Shorter

Peter has previously appeared as *Tracy* in Wyong Theatre Group's production of *Accommodations* and as *Lennox* in last year's production of *Macbeth*. He has recently appeared in a one act script called, *Mind Play*, which has featured (among other venues) in the recent *Central Coast MAC Festival of Theatre* for 1995 at Laycock St.



*Clive Gibson* **Timothy Westerby**

"I really enjoy this play - maybe because I can go overboard with the character. It's one of my favourites which include *Alistair* from *Move Over Mrs Markham* and *Robert* from *House Guest*. I like to move and *There Goes The Bride* satisfies my urge to sing and dance."

*Nerida Schwalbach* **Judy Westerby**

This is Nerida's first play with Wyong Drama Group. She has been a member of Gosford Musical Society since 1988, having been involved both on stage and back stage. Nerida appeared as *Sister Gertrude* in Gosford Players' production of *Lillies of the Field*. We feel certain you will enjoy the energy she brings to this role.



*Pamela Campbell* **Daphne Drimmond**

Pam won an award for her performance in *The Plot Sickens* at Newcastle in 1994. Patrons will remember her in the role of *Bunty* during last year's *Daylight Saving* and more recently she appeared as the cynical police officer, *Mickey* in our production of *The Odd Couple*. She is a Secondary teacher of Drama and has studied Dramatic Art at the *Independent Theatre*.

*Julie Bailey* **Ursula Westerby**

Julie has been a member of WDG for 9 years now. In a wide variety of roles she has played an advertising executive (*The Happy Apple*), a working class Aussie mum (*The One Day of The Year*), an American air hostess (*Boeing Boeing*), a blind woman (*Wait Until Dark*) and *Renee* in our last production, *The Odd Couple*.



*Sarah Oliver* **Polly Perkins**

Sarah has been a member of the Wyong Drama Group for six years now. She will be remembered for a variety of performances in productions such as *Not Now Darling*, *Home Fires Burning*, *The Plot Sickens* and *Macbeth*. She has also appeared in Gosford Musical Society's *Little Shop of Horrors* and *Grease*.



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## Cast

(In order of appearance)

<b>Ursula Westerby</b>	<b>Julie Bailey</b>
<b>Judy Westerby</b>	<b>Nerida Schwalbach</b>
<b>Dr Gerald Drimmond</b>	<b>Laszlo Weidlich</b>
<b>Bill Shorter</b>	<b>Peter Jackson</b>
<b>Timothy Westerby</b>	<b>Clive Gibson</b>
<b>Daphne Drimmond</b>	<b>Pamela Campbell</b>
<b>Polly Perkins</b>	<b>Sarah Oliver</b>
<b>Charlie Babcock</b>	<b>John Czerniecki</b>

## Setting

The action takes place in the first floor lounge of the Westerby's Home in Kensington, London. Time is the present.

### ACT I

*The Morning of the Wedding*

—oO *INTERVAL* oO—

### ACT 2

*Later, the same Day*

## Synopsis

The occasion is the wedding of Timothy and Ursula Westerby's only daughter, Judy. Unfortunately things do not pan out precisely as planned.

Up pops Polly, who can only be seen by Tim, causing chaos and mayhem for the whole family.

Will Judy EVER marry Nicholas?





## There Goes The Bride Production Team

Director	Howard Oxley
Assistant Director	Clive Gibson
Production Manager	Kathy Paavola
Prompt	Bonnie Bryant
Set Construction & Design	Don Clark and friends
Costumes & Set Decor	Elizabeth Sutton
Stage Manager & Props	Barbara Oliver Denise Cooper
Makeup	Helen Schumann
Front of House	Robyn Weidlich
Lighting & Sound	Ron Baker
Suppers "Mine Host"	Don Whiting
Programme Design & Layout	David Hobbs

The Wyong Drama Group wishes to express its thanks to all of those people who have assisted in any way during the preparation and presentation of this production, most especially those people who have volunteered to help with front of house, working bees and suppers. Thanks is also due to the many private individuals and local businesses who have loaned the group set pieces and stage props or have agreed to act as booking agents.

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The group produces at least three major productions during the year and a number of smaller projects, regularly participating in competitive festivals around the state. We meet in our "greenroom" at the rear of this auditorium. Next meeting is the 14th November. Contact one of our members or ring (043) 51 1611.



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