

Last year, Stage Two Downham stepped back in time! It had been 20 years since the group had performed 'Round and Round the Garden' by Alan Ayckbourn, which was the first play they produced on the Downham Stage. The group even cast the same leading man for the part of 'Norman' - the philanderer at the centre of the plot. Bob Cleeve played this part in 1989 and led a supporting cast of old and new players in a successful rerun in 2009.. Stage Two moved to Downham in 1989, when their Waddington venue became unavailable and changed its name to fit their new home. Over a period of 20 years, the group has proudly presented thirty-nine plays in this hall.

Thank you for all the support you have given us over the years and I hope you will enjoy tonight's performance of "Table Manners", which takes place over the same period of time as did "Round And Round The Garden", but showing, instead, what took place inside the house. Being part of the same trilogy, it has the same characters and in this performance, almost entirely the same cast as last year. The one exception being Glen Purchase, who takes over the role of Ruth.

Enjoy your evening

**STAGE TWO DOWNHAM..... PLAY LIST ,
1989-2010**

1989 Round and Round the Garden	1998 Season's Greetings
1989 When we are Married	1999 Time Of My Life
1990 Pack of Lies	1999 The Village Fete
1990 Celebration	2000 Talking Heads
1991 Month of Sundays	2000 Blithe Spirit
1991 Pardon Me, Prime Minister	2001 Love Begins At Fifty
1992 Your Obedient Servant	2002 Beyond A Joke
1992 The Other Fellow's Oats	2002 Haywire
1993 Daisy Pulls It Off	2003 See How They Run
1993 Woman In Mind	2004 A Fly In The Ointment
1994 Move Over Mrs. Markham	2004 Gaslight
1994 A Murder Has Been Arranged	2005 Bus Stop/Costa Del Packet/ Last Tango In Little Grimley
1995 Key For Two	2005 In Two Minds
1995 Plaza Suite	2006 The Diary Of Anne Frank
1996 Local Affairs	2006 Natural Causes
1997 High Profiles	2007 Pictures Of Clay
1997 When Did You Last See Your Trousers	2007 Noises Off
1998 Post Horn Gallop	2008 Frankenstein
	2009 Round And Round The Garden Habeas Corpus

STAGE TWO DOWNHAM



PRESENT

TABLE MANNERS

**YOU MET THE CHARACTERS IN
"ROUND AND ROUND THE GARDEN".
NOW SEE WHAT HAPPENED
WHEN THEY WERE
IN THE HOUSE.**

A COMEDY BY ALAN AYCKBOURN



£6

**Saturday 24th April,
2010 in
Downham Village Hall
7.30 pm
Including
refreshments**

Cast

(in order of appearance)

Annie	Lesley Haworth
Sarah	Pat Bowker
Tom	Steve Cooke
Reg	Brian Haworth
Norman	Bob Cleeve
Ruth	Glen Purchase

Set Design & Construction
Gerry Purchase &
Dan Bradbury

Sound & Lighting
Lucy Jackson

Properties
Fran Osborne

Costumes
The Cast

Continuity
Jean Pells

Front of House
Pat Hargreaves

Programme & Poster Design
Brian Haworth

The action passes in the dining room of a Victorian vicarage-type house during a week-end in July.

Scenes	Act 1	
1	Saturday	6-00 p.m.
2	Sunday	9-00 a.m.

Scenes	Act 2	
1	Sunday	8-00 p.m.
2	Monday	8-00 a.m.

Period The present

Directed by Eddie Bootle

Our thanks go to everyone who has helped in any way with this production and to you, the audience, for your support.

As always, we hope that you enjoy watching this play as much as we have enjoyed rehearsing it.

