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## **WEBSITE:**

<http://www.theatre40.org>

Company meeting is held  
On second Saturday of  
each Month at 10:30 AM  
January 14, 2012

## **Dues & Newsletter Info**

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## **Newsletter Deadline:**

20<sup>th</sup> of every month

## **A FEW WORDS FROM DAVID STAFFORD, ARTISTIC & MANAGING DIRECTORS**

**Greetings to all!**

## **THEATRE 40 MEETING**

**PLEASE ATTEND OUR NEXT COMPANY MEETING January 14, 20, 2012 - Lots of new information at the next meeting and exciting news about the new year – we were not happy to see so few of you at the last meeting so please put this date on your calendars.**

**Hello Everyone:**

**We are all very sorry about Hindi Brooks' passing. Hindi was a most valued member of Theatre 40 and we will all miss her. We produced several of her plays which were very popular and successful and her contribution to the Playwrights Workshop was enormous.**

**The two plays that have just closed were very popular and successful productions.**

**By January 1<sup>st</sup> there will finally be a very large sign on the fence so that it will be much easier for our theatre-goers to find Theatre 40.**

**We are pleased to announce that Theatre 40 was honored by bhoutlook.com with quite a few awards for our productions:**

## **AWARDS ANNOUNCED BY Beverly Hills Outlook on line - bhoutlook.com**

### **Theater**

Best Stage Play of 2011

- 1. *Nazi Hunter Simon Wiesenthal* (Theater 40)**
2. *Spider's Web* (Theater 40)
3. *Roses in December* (Theater 40)
4. *Luv* (Theater 40)
5. *Tucumcari* (Theater 40)

Best Stage Director of 2011

- 1. Howard Teichman (*Luv*)**
2. Melanie MacQueen (*Roses in December*)

Best Stage Actor of 2011  
***Wiesenthal***

- 1. Tom Dugan (*Nazi Hunter Simon Wiesenthal*)**
2. Larry Ohlsen (*Roses in December*)
3. Michael Goldstrom (*Luv*)
5. Howard Storm (*Jimmy & Sam*)

Best Stage Actress of 2011

- 1. Betsy Zajko (*Luv*)**
2. Julie Lancaster (*Spider's Web*)
3. Ciera Parrack (*Tucumcari*)

Best Stage Set Design

3. Jeff G. Rack (*Spider's Web*)

Happy Holidays to all - we look forward to a successful and prosperous New Year.

As always, I want to thank everyone for making Theatre 40 an exciting vibrant theatre for all! We have much for which to be thankful as we begin the Holiday Season - and throughout the year- I truly appreciate you all.

See you at the next meeting on January 14<sup>th</sup> - after the meeting we will all get together and stuff!

Sincerely, David Hunt Stafford, Artistic & Managing Director

**NEWS, VIEWS, INFORMATION, CLASSIFIED, CASTS, WORKING, ETC.**  
**LOTS OF ANNOUNCEMENTS ETC. IN NO PARTICULAR ORDER**

**FROM CHERYL DAVID:**

COME SEE CHERYL DAVID IN *HUNGER: IN BED WITH ROY COHN*  
AT THE ODYSSEY THEATRE ON SEPULVEDA BLVD. OPENING JANUARY 21, 2012 AND PLAYING THROUGH MARCH 11, 2012.  
FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND SUNDAYS. RESERVATIONS: 310 4772055

**This is a notice that went out today from Dan Leslie:**

Jane Morris, who runs the Fanatic Salon Theatre near Venice and Sawtelle, is putting together a spoken word show on January 15. She is looking for teachers who are interested in writing and performing their personal stories about the ups and downs of teaching. The pieces should have about an eight to ten minute running time. If you are interested in participating, please get back to me and I will put you in touch with Jane.

**And from me: -**

**A Very Merry Christmas! A more Glorious New Year - As they say in Macy's 'BELIEVE!!!'**