

# Valley Artists Inc

**NEWSLETTER March 2007**

## **‘Wind in the Willows’ a huge success**



The following appeared in the *Letters to the Editor* in **The Advertiser** on Nov 29 2006:

### **Congrats to the Artists.**

Sir,

An article in **The Advertiser** regarding the Wollombi Valley Artists production of “*Wind in the Willows*” at Laguna prompted me to make bookings for one of the performances.

For young and old alike it was a fabulous and most enjoyable performance that reflected a great deal of hard work by performers, set builders and organisers.

Valley Artists and the community of Laguna are to be congratulated for their most enthusiastic and most memorable production. Well done.

*Phil Howe, Lovedale.*

***The DVD is available from Laguna Shop for \$10.00.***

## VALLEY ARTISTS - SPONSORS DRIVE **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

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*2007 sees Valley Artists entering its tenth year of productions. Valley Artists has become a household word in the area and people have come to expect only quality entertainment from us. We have produced an eclectic mix of comedies, dramas and pantomimes from the classic to the contemporary and have written a few of them ourselves. This is an amazing achievement for a non-profit organization whose members receive no payment for their efforts. So many people from our community, both adults and children, have worked and trained with Valley Artists over the years.*

*The success of Valley Artists is, also in no small part, due to the generous contributions made to the company by our sponsors. In fact without the sponsors, Valley Artist's freedom of expression and quality of productions would be severely hampered, if not impossible to maintain in the long term.*

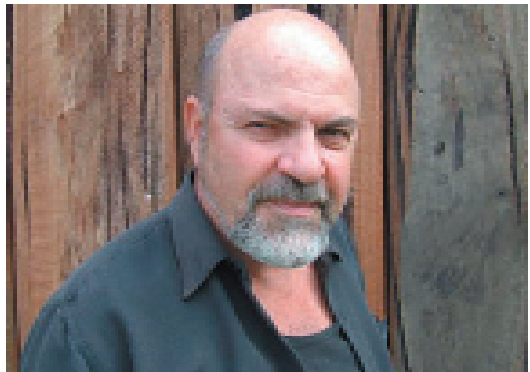
*Recently I have been elected to the position of President of the company and I am pleased to follow the tradition set by past presidents Tim Williams, Janine Oliver and Alan Glover in encouraging and welcoming new sponsors.*

*Each year, apart from our two major productions and the **Short Film Festival**, Valley Artists hosts a **Sponsors Night**. Those of you who have attended any of these over the years will attest to the popularity of the nights and that they are always entertaining and often outrageously good fun!*

*We conduct the Sponsors nights once a year because Valley Artists feels strongly that our sponsors share with us the belief that a community that fosters a lively artistic expression is a healthy community and we want to thank them for helping us to do just that.*

*This years Sponsors night will celebrate our first decade of achievements. Please join us as a sponsor for your ticket to the future of Valley Artists.*

**Bob Philippe.**  
President,  
Valley Artists



## SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES

**Gold \$900-** 6 tickets to both major productions in 2007 plus 6 tickets to our Sponsors' Night and up to a half page advertising space in our programmes

**Silver \$600-** 4 tickets to both major productions plus 4 tickets to our Sponsors' Night and up to a quarter page advertising space in our programmes

**Bronze \$300-** 2 tickets to both major productions plus 2 tickets to our Sponsors' Night and a mention in our programmes

**Aluminium \$150** - 1 ticket to both major productions plus 1 ticket to our Sponsors' Night and a mention in our programmes

Please provide your business and/or personal details as appropriate and forward with payment to  
**VALLEY ARTISTS inc. c/- Laguna Store, LAGUNA, NSW 2325**

Business Name .....

Contact Name .....

Address .....

Phone ..... Email .....

Contact Preference (circle) Email Post

### PLEASE SELECT PACKAGE(S)

**Gold** ..... (qty) @ \$900 ea    **Silver** ..... (qty) @ \$600 ea

**Bronze** .....(qty) @ \$300 ea    **Aluminium** .....(qty) @ \$150 ea

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## THE COMPLETE AND UTTER HISTORY OF VALLEY ARTISTS (so far).

Directed by Alan Glover

This year's Sponsors' Night promises to be something special. We will be celebrating 10 years as a theatre company and reckon we've got a fair bit to be proud of. Our sponsors have been an integral part of our success and together we look forward to a Retrospective highlighting favourite moments from past productions.

Note the date in your diary - July 14th 2007.

Detailed invitations will follow.

Valley  Artists  
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entries are now being accepted

for the

# Wollombi Valley Short Film Festival

any genre

10 minutes or under

1st prize \$500

2nd prize \$300

3rd prize \$200

**Peoples Choice Award \$250**

sponsored by

Laguna Wine Bar



**Friday 21st September 2007**  
**Laguna Hall 7pm**

Send entries to  
**Old Northern Trading Post, Laguna**  
**NSW 2325**

closing date for entries 24th August 2007

download the entry form from [www.valleyartists.org](http://www.valleyartists.org)  
or pick one up at Laguna Wine Bar or Wollombi General Store

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