Minutes of Special Meeting of Shuswap Theatre Board and Artistic Committee

March 7, 2017, 5:30 pm

Purpose of meeting was to develop a response to the cancelling of the third Mainstage production of the season, *After You*, because of inability to cast the play.

Present: Kathy Moore, Kim MacMillan, Marcus Smith, Joyce Henderson, Monica Gignac, Tracy Nash, Sherry Bowlby, Bea Kirkwood-Hackett, James Bowlby, Julia Body, Aidan Sparks.

Regrets: Hamilton McClymont, Astrid Varnes

Due to an inability to meet the unique casting challenges of *After You*, the play will not be performed in the spring slot.

A letter was received from Astrid re her thoughts on the situation.

After much discussion the following motion was made:

Moved by Joyce, seconded by Bea, that because of time restraint Shuswap Theatre not present a published play for the third Mainstage production. Carried

Peter Blacklock has expressed an interest in working with others to develop something that would involve seniors and young people. Those present agreed that this offer should be pursued. Aidan will contact Peter to determine his interest and begin to develop a plan. He will report back to the regular board meeting March 14, 2017.

Meeting adjourned approximately 6:30 pm.		
Acting Recording Secretary	President	