



Calling All Angels!



Dear Friends:

PAL has made it through year one!! Thank you to everyone who has helped to carry us to this important milestone!! Since starting, PAL's Angels has provided major assistance with moving residents into and around the building, has set up the West End Parkinson's Support Group for both residents and non-residents (which has been meeting monthly at PAL) and has been available to help out whenever called upon. We are now entering into a new phase of development and exciting advances and we would like to take this opportunity to fill you in on what's happening at 581 Cardero.

The Next Step

PAL's Angels' accomplishments to date could not have happened without the hard work of our Core Committee (Sasa Brown, Lou Chwin, Luman Coad, Joy Coghill-Thorne, Mark McConchie and Donna Wong-Juliani) and especially the generous



assistance of dedicated volunteers like yourself. In order to best serve the needs of PAL residents, we are actually going to the source and asking the residents how we can be of most assistance to them. At the same time, we'd like to get an update from you as to your ongoing interest in remaining on our Angels Roster. We need to know your availability (weekly, monthly, occasionally), and what sorts of activities you are most interested in being involved in (driving, shopping, companionship).

So:

Would you please update us on:

- 1) are you still willing to be an Angel?
- 2) what is your weekly/monthly availability?
- 3) are you willing from time to time to help someone who needs transportation?

Please contact Sasa Brown at sasabrown@hotmail.com to confirm your place in the heavens as one of our beautiful Angels!

Angels' Fundraiser



An exciting event will be taking place in the new PAL Theatre on January 18th at 8pm. A *Night of Silents* is a performance for adults, featuring the world-renowned Coad Canada Puppets ("one of North America's leading puppet theatres") in two of their award-winning mime productions. *The Box? A Show of Feelings* will open the

program, followed by Luman Coad performing *Harlequin's Cloak*. Both productions have received Citations of Excellence from the American Center of l'Union Internationale de la Marionnette. Don't miss this unique presentation! Tickets are \$10 (proceeds to assist PAL's Angels in its ongoing work). Seating is limited. For reservations call: 604-988-7724 after December 1st. Please help us spread the word about this special fundraiser.



What ever happened to SANTA BABY?

Join us for a holiday fantasy with music dance and merriment, written by David Petersen and friends and performed by the PAL Resident Ensemble!! (Based on an original concept by David Y.H. Lui). This exciting event will be a benefit for PAL Vancouver to help with our subsidies and equipment for the theatre. All participants are waiving their fees!!!

Friday, December 14, 8PM
Saturday, December 15, 2 & 8 pm
Sunday, December 16, 3pm
4 performances only!!!

Tickets now on sale at Tickets Tonight
www.ticketstonight.ca or 604-231-7535
\$20 for adults, \$10 for under 12 (plus handling)
strict no comps policy

Tell all your friends and relations...

Let's sell out!!!

PAL's stage is set!

PAL is so very excited to announce that Pi Theatre will be the first to stage a fully professional theatre



production in our new theatre. *John and Beatrice* by Governor-General award-winning playwright Carole Fréchette will play from November 14 to December 1 and features Vincent Gale and Karen Rae directed by Del Surjik. This partnership with Pi Theatre marks the beginning of PAL's active involvement in the city's professional theatre community. Tickets are FREE at the door on a first-come, first-served basis (donations gratefully accepted) or to reserve a seat: www.ticketstonight.ca or call 604-231-7535.