

GAIL MCMASTER

Gail's first show with PMH Players was "Camp Chaos" (1996) where she played a dizzy blonde. It seems that since then she have been type cast on several occasions, but she says she does enjoy playing dizzy blonde types including Marilyn Munro in one of our past shows.



Gail started singing with The Gilbert and Sullivan Society and then met some lovely "social" folk from St Josephs Operatic Society so continued doing shows with them. She also became part of a music hall group who travelled to venues around Canterbury to perform in halls etc – they did one performance on the back on a large truck deck – they were very versatile!

Gail then became part of a 4 person cabaret group and spent several years doing theatre restaurant work – even got paid for this – at places like Cleopatra's Restaurant or anywhere else that people would hire them! They would put together their own two hour shows and it was amazing how quickly one learnt to change from one costume into another.

After a marriage splitup, Gail met a lovely new man and shifted to the Cashmere area.

She had, for many years, attended Halswell Drama Group and PMH Players shows, so rang Gillian Parr and became involved with PMH Players and has been in every show, except one, since then. Gail has also been a committee member for many years and is the current secretary.

The people of PMH Players are a great friendly bunch - there is something about Thespians – wonderful, happy, glass half full people, who helps to make her life special.

Gail's other hobbies include "wine appreciation" and the loves of her life (as well as her husband) are her dogs - Aries and Metallica. No matter how she feels they are always so pleased to be with her, are never grumpy and give unconditional love.