

fringe

**New
Genesis
Productions**



THE MRS DEWINTERS

WRITTEN AND PERFORMED BY
LIZ BOIKO BURDICK AND LESLEY A. SAWHILL
Based on an actual recorded conversation.

Edinburgh Fringe Festival
Greenside: Fern Studio
August 23-26
12:50PM

The Cast

Helen.....Lesley Ann Sawhill

Elizabeth.....Liz Boiko Burdick

Music.....John Burdick

911 Operator...Alayna Perry

EMT.....Zach Gibson

Direction Consultants

Mary Kunicki Caroline Roland-Levy

Cass Tunick

Jane Ashe

Jo Rendell

Techs.....Brandon Cobalt (NYC)

Shannan Hunt (NYC&ED)

Alayna Perry (ED)

Anna Boiko-Weyrauch(NYC)

Setting: Brockport, NY, present day.

Wellsville, NY c. 1940s and 50s.

Syracuse, NY c. late 1950s.

a willow that grows aslant a brook

Who's Who

Lesley Sawhill (Co-Creator) is the founder

and artistic director of the **Little Globe Theatre** in West Shokan, NY. Her production company, **New Genesis**, focuses on Shakespeare and the Classics. <https://www.newgenesisproductions.org/>

Liz Burdick (Co-Creator) is an actor and playwright working in film, television, and theater in the metro NY and Hudson Valley New York area. She is a member of SAG/AFTRA

John Burdick (Music) is a songwriter, composer, and multi-instrumentalist in New York's mid-Hudson valley. He has performed and recorded with Laura Stevenson and with Old 97's frontman Rhett Miller, with whom he recently composed music for Marvel's popular *Wastelanders: Wolverine* audio series. His own work is released under his name and with his quintet, *The Sweet Clementines*.

NOTE:

The Mrs Dewinters was developed from a conversation Liz had with her mother in law Amy Burdick. Amy performed the role of "I" or "the 2nd Mrs Dewinter" in the Stage Play of Daphne du Maurier's novel *Rebecca* in Wellsville, NY. In our conversation, Amy called it her "shining hour."

THE NANCY HOWE PLAYERS
PRESENT
"REBECCA"
A Drama in Three Acts by Daphne du Maurier
Directed by Kathryn Patroy and William Attwood
Assisted by Corita Attwood

THE CAST
(in order of their appearance)

THURSDAY and FRIDAY EVENINGS
MARCH 15 - 16, 1951
CURTAIN 8:15 P. M.
NANCY HOWE AUDITORIUM

FRITH	-	-	-	-	-	WILLIAM ATTWOOD
BEATRICE LACY	-	-	-	-	-	LOUISE WARD
MAJOR GILES LACY	-	-	-	-	-	WILLIAM HENDERSON
FRANK CRAWLEY	-	-	-	-	-	GEORGE BEERS
ALICE	-	-	-	-	-	GLADYS UPDYKE
ROBERT	-	-	-	-	-	THOMAS BOLAM
MAXIM DE WINTER	-	-	-	-	-	EUGENE FORHAN
MRS. DE WINTER	-	-	-	-	-	AMY SHADEED
MRS. DANVERS	-	-	-	-	-	DORIS CARTER
JACK FAVELL	-	-	-	-	-	FLOYD THOMPSON
COLONEL JULYAN	-	-	-	-	-	FREDERICK MULHOLLAND
WILLIAM TABB	-	-	-	-	-	PAUL LESTER

SCENE
The entire action of the play takes place in the hall of Manderly, the home of Maxim de Winter, in Cornwall, England, some years before the last war.