

# AQUARIUS PANTO

## PICO PAN

### The Production Teams

**Scriptwriter**

Imogen &  
Edmund Morris

**Scenery**

Mike Baker  
Nigel Knowles

**Director**

Hannah Lunniss

**Props**

Members of the cast & others  
Mike Baker

**Producer**

Rodger Wheeler

**Programme Design**

Richard Cannon  
Frank Rainsborough  
Printing by JDC/IFA

**Music**

Imogen Morris  
Rodger Wheeler  
Pat Halling

**Catering**

Linda Wheeler  
Joan Bray  
Stuart Schaffer

**Make-Up**

Jean Hendra

**Video Services**

Richard Cannon  
Rodger Wheeler

**Booking Office**

Richard Cannon

**Stage**

Nigel Knowles  
Gordon Courtney

**Sound & Lighting Engineer**

Rodger Wheeler

There is no admission charge but donations will be welcome.  
Refreshments will be available after each performance  
for a small charge.

*The unmissable*

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## OH NO IT ISN'T OH YES IT IS

Saturday 15th January 2011 2:30 pm & 6 pm

Peter Pan is a pantomime based on a story created by Scottish novelist and playwright J. M. Barrie (1860–1937) in which the leading character is a mischievous boy who magically, can fly and, doesn't want to grow up.



In our version of this story it's **Pico\* Pan**, a three act production, scripted by **Imogen and Edmund Morris** and directed by **Hannah Lunniss**. Pico\* Pan spends his never-ending childhood adventuring, perhaps, on the River Thames island of Neverland, known locally as Platts Eyot, and just upstream is Aquarius Mansions where Mr & Mrs Darling and their children, Wendy John and Michael, live. The Darlings, Pico\* Pan, and other characters from J. M. Barrie's story, namely, The Lost Buoys, Indians, Fairies, Pirates, a pet dog and the all important crocodile, will all appear.

\* For those who might be wondering, why **Pico** Pan?

**Answer:** The 'Pico' is a sailing dinghy, a very popular boat for beginners, widely used throughout the UK and in overseas sailing holiday locations. Many clubs use Picos, AQSC has four Picos used here, not far from Neverland, by many members of the cast.

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## A synopsis of the Pantomime 'Pico Pan'

### ACT 1

**Scene 1.** Mrs Darling is telling stories to the children, Pico Pan is spying on them, the audience tries to get Mrs D. to see him.

**Scene 2.** Mr. and Mrs. D are going out to a party. Mr. D trips over Banana the faithful dog and banishes her from the house. Banana barks outside the door. Mr & Mrs Darling leave. The children are sleeping. Pico Pan enters through window with Stinkerbell. Pico Pan invites Wendy to come to Neverland with him. Wendy says yes if her brothers can come too. They use Stinkerbell's perfume to fly away.

**Song** 'We're walking in the air', and the Aquarians meet. **Song** Home on the range.

### ACT 2

**Scene 3.** They arrive in Neverland. They see Captain Hook and his pirates, and he fires a cannon at them. Pico Pan thinks Wendy is dead but then realizes that she is alive. The Lost Buoys build a house and then ask Wendy to become their mother. The Aquarians explain that John, Michael and Tigerlilly the Indian princess have been captured. Pico Pan goes to save John, Michael and Tigerlilly, and there's lot of sword fighting. The Aquarius Indians thank them...

**Scene 4.** The pirates have their captives. The audience is invited to sing along 'What Shall we do with a Drunken Sailor?' the scene ends with the Aquarians singing 'Age of Aquarius' - **audience please join in!**

**Pas de trois**

**Scene 5.** Wendy feels homesick and wants to leave Neverland.

**Scene 6.** Captain Hook captures Wendy and the boys as they try to get home.

**Violin duet** Flow Gently, Sweet Afton (Spilman) and Evening Song (R. Schumann)

**Scenes 7.** Hook also puts poison in Pico Pan's medicine. Stinkerbell drinks the medicine before Pico Pan can. She dies but Pico Pan calls on everyone to say "I believe in fairies" and she comes back to life. Pico Pan learns that Wendy and The Lost Buoys have been captured.

**Scenes 8.** There is a big battle and Captain Hook is caught by the crocodile'.

**Song** 'Never Smile at a Crocodile' - **audience, please join in!**

**Song** 'How Much is that doggie in the Window?' - **audience, please join in!**

### ACT 3

**Scene 9.** The children fly home and the Darlings adopt The Lost Buoys.

**Reprise** 'Never Smile at a Crocodile' - **audience, please join in.**

## Cast List

<i>Pico Pan</i>	<i>Edmund Morris</i>
<i>Wendy</i>	<i>Julia Iremonger</i>
<i>John</i>	<i>Robbie Lunniss</i>
<i>Michael</i>	<i>Dom Lunniss</i>
<i>Mr Darling</i>	<i>Kyle Farren</i>
<i>Mrs Darling</i>	<i>Grace Farren</i>
<i>The Lost Buoys</i>	<i>Imogen Morris</i>
<i>Aquarian 1</i>	<i>Frank Rainsborough</i>
<i>Aquarian 2</i>	<i>Mike Hendra</i>
<i>Banana</i>	<i>Jean Hendra</i>
<i>Stinkerbell</i>	<i>Rodger Wheeler</i>
<i>Captain Hook</i>	<i>Tony Hopkins</i>
<i>Pirate 1</i>	<i>Andrew Morris</i>
<i>Pirate 2</i>	<i>Nigel Knowles</i>
<i>Tigerlilly</i>	<i>Lydia Iremonger</i>
<i>Crocodile</i>	<i>Anna Iremonger</i>

Last year's Panto (The Princess and the Pico) cast at a rehearsal

