

## THEATRE PLANNING GROUP



NEW VICTORIA THEATRE WOKING - 29th May 2024 at 2.30

Andy Hamilton and Guy Jenkin have written a <u>Drop The Dead Donkey</u> stage show.

The sitcom, which ran for 65 episodes from <u>1990</u> to <u>1998</u>, followed the trials and tribulations of Globelink, a fictional television news company. It was notable for being written and recorded much closer to transmission than most sitcoms, allowing Hamilton and Jenkin to satirise current events and the leading news stories of the week.

Drop The Dead Donkey: The Reawakening! will star original cast members Susannah Doyle (Joy Merryweather), Robert Duncan (Gus Hedges), Ingrid Lacey (Helen Cooper), Neil Pearson (Dave Charnley), Jeff Rawle (George Dent), Stephen Tompkinson (Damien Day) and Victoria Wicks (Sally Smedley). The TV comedy also featured David Swift as Henry Davenport, and Haydn Gwynne as Alex Pates. Sadly, neither are with us now.

If you remember this programme you will want to be at the front of the queue for tickets! As the date is so far ahead, we are inviting expressions of interest. E mail <u>derekchild@icloud.com</u> so that we can make a list of members to whom we can write when we put the tickets on sale December/January. The likely cost will be £42.