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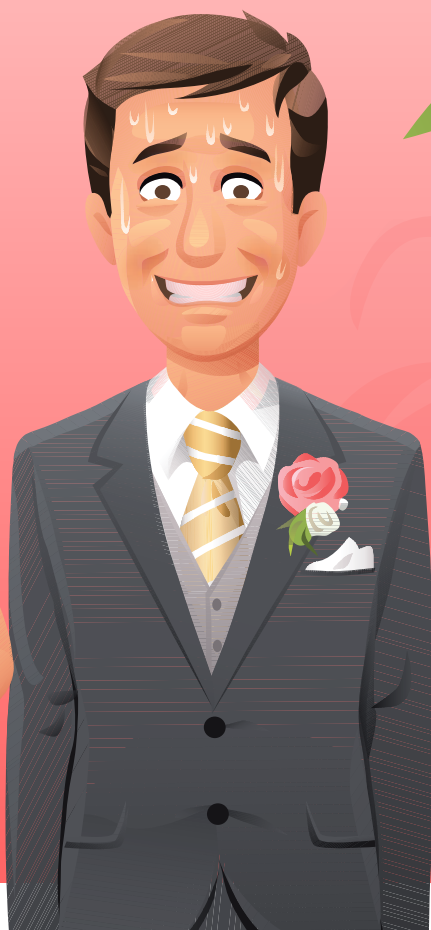
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# Perfect Wedding

Play by Robin Hawdon

A DINNER THEATRE PRODUCTION



# Perfect Wedding

BY ROBIN HAWDON

**Director** – Mark Mannisto

**Stage Manager** – Jessica Sawicz

**Assistant Stage Manager** – Satine Stanfield

**Set Construction** – Tom Stewart, Chad Racette, Troy Kennedy

**Set Painting** – Libby Michie, Sam Onski, Caitlin Drohan, Madison Cameron

**Audio Operation** – Sean Perras

**Lighting Design** – Shelby Lebeau

**Program Editor** – Tanya Saari

**Graphic Designer** – Tara Hawkes

**Cast Photos** – Brittany Desjardins

**Thank you to our pre-show performers:**

James Dorland, Louis Simao, and Brian Quebec.

This evening's meal has been catered by Helvi's Catering. **Thank you!**

## Cast

Rachel – Brittany Desjardins

Bill – Max Trainor

Tom – Brent Chayka

Judy – Rachelle St-Denis

Julie – Angel Mannisto

Daphne – Lindsay Dainton

**Place:** The honeymoon suite of a gracious period country-house hotel somewhere in the country outside of London.

## Act One

The Wedding Day

## Act Two

A Few Moments Later



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## DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

What a cast! What a script!  
What a wedding!

*Perfect Wedding* has got to be in my top five plays, ever. Having directed it in 2009, it brings back a lot of fond memories. They say you can't go home again. However, with this stellar bunch, I may not have gone home, but I have found a home away from home.

I thank all of the volunteers who have leant a hand with *Perfect Wedding*. Without our volunteers, we cannot exist. The trust and faith that Sudbury Performance Group's Board of Directors puts into its Artistic Committee is delivering in spades. What a team! With that being said, we need more team members. I am giving you the opportunity to reach me at any time to become part of the group. You can reach me at 705-662-8518, or at [mark@sudburyperformance.ca](mailto:mark@sudburyperformance.ca). Together, let's make the arts scene in Sudbury as strong as it has ever been!

Mark Mannisto, President  
Sudbury Performance Group



## JESSICA SAWICZ - STAGE MANAGER



Jessica is excited to be doing another show with Sudbury Performance Group! Jessica was previously involved in past SPG shows such as *We Will Rock You*, *Godspell*, and *Chicago*, as well as a member of the SPG Board of Directors. After being away for a couple of years, *Perfect Wedding* has been the "perfect" show to get back into the swing of things. She would like to thank Mark for the gentle nudge that brought her back, and to the cast, for their tremendous kindness and patience. She hopes the show makes you laugh as much as she has during the rehearsal process!



### **BRITTANY DESJARDINS – RACHEL**

Brittany is an independent-film-and-television graduate. She is a non-union actor who is also a theatre enthusiast. Brittany has a relatively extensive background in improv, and has recently been in such productions as *Cabaret*, and *The Crucible*.

### **MAX TRAINOR – BILL**

Max is excited to welcome you all to *Perfect Wedding!* Max will be playing the Groom: Bill. This is Max's fourth-ever show, with his most recent role being Giles Corey in *The Crucible*. Max is happy to be working with SPG again, and wants to thank everyone for coming to the show!

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### **BRENT CHAYKA - TOM**

Brent auditioned for *Perfect Wedding* after he was laid off from the CRA. He thought he could use the commitment as a way to keep his hand off the bottle. He doesn't particularly enjoy performing. Brent was called back to work only a month later after he had committed to the role of Tom, so now he finds himself grumpy most of the time. Brent's only other stage part was as Max in *Cabaret*, which was performed in the round, so he never needed to remember to face the audience. As such, Brent never developed this skill, and is constantly being placed properly by his castmate Brittany, whenever she is near him.



### **RACHELLE ST. DENIS - JUDY**

Rachelle is excited to be back for another dinner theatre with SPG. She was in Theatre Cambrian's production of *Perfect Wedding*, where she played Rachel, the bride. This time around, she's playing an entirely different character. She's a little nervous, but also excited to be practicing her British accent with this character. This a funny, fast-paced show, and promises to be an audience favourite. She thanks you for coming, and hopes you enjoy the meal and the show!



## ANGEL MANNISTO - JULIE

Angel is extremely excited to be a part of *Perfect Wedding!* Some of Angel's SPG credits include Vernadette–*The Sweet Delilah Swim Club*, Leaf Coneybear–*The 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee*, Joanne–*RENT*, Sally–*A Charlie Brown Christmas*, and Sinclair–*Sealed for Freshness*. Upcoming productions include co-directing *Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer*, as well as directing the January dinner-theatre production of *The Miss Magnolia Senior Citizen Beauty Pageant*. Angel hopes to add a few more credits to her resume in the New Year! Angel would like to thank the Mark, Jessica and her cast mates for all the fun during the rehearsal process!

## LINDSAY DAINTON - DAPHNE

This is Lindsay's first dinner theatre performance. She has been performing in SPG musicals from day one, and now decided to try something new in order to grow as an actress. Everything in this process has been new and challenging, but "you have to be challenged in life in order to grow". Enjoy!



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