Dedication

The Babson Players would like to dedicate the fall production of "Noises Off" to a very special young man. Upon an initial investigation of how everyone felt about working with this individual, the concensus was basically unanimous. You know, we've worked with a lot of directors. Some of them were geniuses. Some of them were bastards. But we've never met one who was so totally and absolutely...We don't know...

Our opinions have since changed.

Edward M. Monahan graduated for Babson College in the spring of 1992 with a major in Marketing. He is currently employed as an internal auditor at State Street Bank in Quincy MA, but his ultimate goal is to get his Masters degree in education so that he may fulfill his dream of being a high school math teacher. Ed was involved with the Babson Players when he was a student here, and he has continued his dedication by directing the past three fall shows.

Ed brings to every production a special flair which can often be seen as the actors delight in a job well done. He is a magical person who brings alive the kind of creativity that many of us could only dream of having. Ed has not only brought the kind delicate mentorship and direction that is essential when working with struggling college students, but also the caring understanding which marks true friendship. Ed has dedicated numerous hours of hard work. He has not only served as a director, but also as an advisory figure for the current executive board and a friend to all in the cast and crew. Ed always has an open ear, a smile on his face, or a shouler to cry on. Many would consider what Ed does as a personal sacrifice, but he just considers it part of his routine. To Ed this is a way of making dreams come true. For all of these reasons and many more, it has been a distinct pleasure and honor to work with this young man. From the bottom of our hearts, we thank him.

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The Babson Players:
In conjunction with the Student Government Association of Babson College
proudly present:

November 17th 18th, 19th 1994
Knight Auditorium
Babson College
8:00 PM

Play by: Michael Frayn

Director: Ed Monahan
Producers: Christi Okun, Emma Yates
Our Message

No curtain. A small budget. A great lecture hall but not a great theatrical stage. No wings for prop storage. The list goes on... These are but a few of the obstacles that the Babson Players face performance after performance, semester after semester, year after year. Why, you then ask, should we bother with the hours of rehearsal, the bruises from missing the nail and hitting the thumb while constructing the sets, the unrecognized work that goes on behind the scenes?

Each member of the cast and crew has their own reason; a laugh from the crowd, applause, seeing their name in the program; and yes, the cast party. However, interwoven in all these reasons is one common bond - belonging to a hard-working, extremely dedicated group that strives to achieve a single purpose. A sense of unity is created, and from this unity excellence is bred.

Mark Carver
Player, '84
The Cast

(in order of appearance)

Dotty Otley / Mrs Clackett  Katie Dunklee
Lloyd Dallas  Kevin Imm
Garry Lejeune / Roger Tramplemain  Michael Blumberg
Brooke Ashton / Vicki  Johanna Perri
Poppy Norton-Taylor  Kelly A. Gryncel
Frederick Fellowes / Philip Brent  Christopher J. Tiernan
Belinda Blair / Flavia Brent  Emma C. Yates
Tim Allgood  Riley J. Garrigan
Selsdon Mowbray / Burglar  Paul Guarino

About the Show

Act I
Midnight dress rehearsal before opening night.
Des Moines, Iowa

Act II
Backstage - Six weeks later.
Miami, Florida

Act III
Performance - Six weeks later.
Cleveland, Ohio
Production Staff

Producers:
Christi Okun    Emma Yates

Set Design:
Robert Curatola

Set Construction:
Robert Curatola    David Pelletier

Scenic Artists:
Babson Society of Fine Arts

Artistic Concept:
Roger Brenninkmeyer

Technical Coordinators:
Jack Kenn    Robert Dziekiewicz

Lighting:
Fred Bowen    Todd Silverstein

Stage Manager:
Christi Okun

Assistant Stage Manager:
Rebekah Silva

House Manager:
Colleen Downey

Program:
Katie Dunklee    Kelly A. Gryncel    Josh Jacobs

Program Artwork:
D. Hutchins

Costuming:
Colleen Hennessey
Quotes

(in order of appearance)

Katie: "F___K," "These damn sardines" "I'd like to see you shake this cheesy bottle."

Kevin: "To be nobody but yourself, in a world which is doing its best, night and day, to make you everybody else, means to fight the hardest battle which any human being can fight, and never stop fighting." -- e.e. cummings.

Michael: "Choose to chance the rapids, and dare to dance the tides." "P.S. - Watch out for that last step. It's a @#!?$!!!"

Johanna: "Am I supposed to be happy with this???

Kelly: "Shuuut up, and drink!"
"Ed, I'm supposed to be naked right now, and no one is up here yet."

C.J.: "We all perform everyday; some of us just do it on stage."

Emma: "I'll just tell them a small girl is missing."
"I guess as a director, you get to do a lot of things." -- P.G at South Pacific. "Oh my God Mike, are you alright?"
"Who needs a set anyway."

Riley: "See me, Feel me, Touch me, Heal me."

Paul: "My father was on the Titanic, once."
Who's Making Noise in the Cast?

Katie Dunklee (Dotty/Mrs. Clackett) — Originally from Dallas, TX, Katie returns to the Babson stage for her third show. In the time that she took off from school she was the assistant director for a children's production of "Alice in Wonderland", and the musical director for a children's production of "Aladdin". Katie is very excited to be acting again, and she is already looking forward to the musical in the spring. After Katie finally graduates in May, she hopes to be employed in the Boston area. She sends her sincere thanks and lots of love to her mom, two sisters, and her boyfriend, I made it this far because of y'all. Many smiles and hugs to all. To Errin and Alexis...Good luck on the relationship, my thoughts are with you.

Kevin Imm (Lloyd Dallas) — Kevin made his Babson Players debut in "Rumors" (fall '92) when he was only a wee little freshman. Previously he starred in five productions with the Canterbury Drama Club, and one short film entitled "The Locket." His goal in life is to someday act in a film with Charlie Sheen and Ben Vereen. He wishes to thank the punks of Keith D for not letting him go insane during this whole time, especially Franko Stimp (Sil!), and War-ass (with a W). Also, thanks Dan for 1394772.88. In addition, a big thanks to Mom and Dad for all the support this semester.

Michael Blumberg (Garry/Roger) — Michael is a freshman here at Babson. While this is his first show here, he had had roles in "Rumors", "While the Lights Were Out", "Father Knows Best", and "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat." He would like to thank his whole family and his friends for their continual support and encouragement — Mom, Dad, Kar, Jen, Grandma, and Grandpa .... Love ya!

Johanna Perri (Brooke/Vicki) — Johanna is very excited to be a part of "Noises Off". Johanna was last seen as Reno Sweeney in "Anything Goes". She will also be performing in "Catch the Spirit" with the Babson Dance ensemble on December 1-3 at 8 PM in Knight Auditorium. Johanna is a junior, double majoring in entrepreneurial studies and management. She would like to thank her family and friends for their continued love and support. Karen, thanks for once again dealing with all my stressful nights — I could not have done it without you!

Kelly A. Gryncel (Poppy) — This is Kelly's second performance with the Babson Players, and she was previously seen as Chastity in "Anything Goes". Kelly began her thespian career with the A.H.S. Theatrical society where she performed in about a dozen plays/musicals. She is proud to be the publicist for the players and hopes that you'll all go out an tell a friend about the show! Thanks Mom, Lisa, and the Munchkin for your love and unending support. Thanks to Kerry for putting up with your wacky Indian roommate, to Scott for de-stressing me when things got tough, and to everyone in C3 for coming out to show your support and/or ridicule!! I love you all!!
Christopher J. Tieman (Freddie/Philip) — C.J. is a senior majoring in Marketing and Communications. I'm currently looking for and entry-level sales position with a Fortune 500 or 1000 Company. References available upon request (617) 239-4654. This is Christopher's third Babson Players production. Previous roles include: Leon in last fall's "Fool's" and Curly in the spring '93 musical "Oklahoma." While I never understood why actors feel the need to philosophize in their Bios, I will anyway. A positive attitude is everything, so remember life is 10% what happens to you and 90% how you react to it. Then again, a wise man once said that 87% of people who use statistics to prove a point are lying. It's been great drinking, I mean working, with all in the cast and crew. Good luck to everyone in the future. Thank you, Ed, for putting up with us — you love it!! Thanks to my family. I love you Mom and Dad, thanks for the money, boy do I owe you guys big time. A4: thanks guys!

Emma Yates (Belinda/Flavia) — Emma is having a blast in "Noises Off" This is her third time on stage with the Players, having also performed in "Oklahoma!" and "Anything Goes." Originally from Pequannock, NJ, she is a junior majoring in Entrepreneurial Studies/MIS. Emma would like to thank her three best friends, mom, dad, and as always, Todd for their love, continuous support, and help memorizing lines! As the president of this fine organization, Emma hopes you have just as much fun watching the show as the cast and crew did performing it.

Riley J. Garrigan (Tim) — Riley is from Blair, NE, and comes to Babson as a transfer student from Occidental College in Los Angeles, CA. He has been involved with theatre and musical theatre since he was a young boy, and became involved in movies and television while at Occidental. You may have seen him in Beverly Hills 90210, Wierd Science: the TV Show, and the feature film "A Dangerous Place. Riley offers his thanks to his family.

Paul Gaurino (Selsdon/Burglar) — Hi, my name is Paul. I'm the goofy one up there playing the drunk, Selsdon Mowbray, the burglar. I've previously been in two plays: "The Wizard of Oz" and "Brigadoon", and I enjoyed them both. I'm from Florida, and a junior transfer here at Babson College. Pay close attention to the play, it's very fast, but it's funny!"

Ed Monahan (Director) — Ed is a graduate of Babson back to direct his third show at the school. Previous directing credits include "Rumors" and "Fools" at Babson and an all children's version of "Alice in Wonderland" in Stoughton. He is very proud of his work this summer as stage manager/assistant director on "Peter Pan". He will be going to Grad school full time in the spring to continue his pursuit to become a teacher. Thanks to the entire cast and crew for all their hard work. A very special thanks to Robert Curatola for making the third time a charm. Finally, thanks to the Pres, K.D. and my family. I love you all for the support.
See you at the Show!

Good luck
Emma and Kevin

from the gang:

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Congratulations!!

to the

Babson Players

from

all of us at

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Break a Leg!

To the cast and crew of

NOISES OFF!

From the Health Center Staff
(P.S. no pun intended)

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BABSON PLAYERS

from the Officers and
members of
BABSON HILLEL

Best wishes to the cast of Noises
Off!

Break a leg guys!!!

From all of the Admission
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The Babson Players
The Best of Luck
in

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Katie Dunklee

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and Linda Bloom
To the Cast and Crew of

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and to all the Players

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