

Director: John O'Hora
Stage Management: Seán O'Hora
MC: Tommy Kilroy
Sound & Lighting: Seán Doherty, Alan Timmons
Stage Crew: Pauline Timmons, Josephine Gillespie, Padraic Egan, Seamus Reddington, Chris Flynn.
Front of House: Noel McAndrew, Gerry McAndrew, Breege Kelly, Lena Slye.
Costumes & Make up: Joan Rutledge
Programme: Leona Finan
Poster: Office Pro, Bernard Guthrie, Tel: 087 7669476

Previous productions by Ardagh Community Players:

2004 - Sharon's Grave – John B. Keane
2005 – Professor Tim – George Shiels
2006 – Wigs on the Green – Noel Marian
2007 – Moll – John B. Keane
2008 – Swan Song – Noel Marian
2009 – The Country Boy – John Murphy
2010 – Big Maggie - John B. Keane
2011 – Cripple of Inishmaan - Martin Mc Donagh
2012 – Cafflin' Johnny - Louis D'Alton
2013 – A Damsel From Dublin - Thomas King-Moylan
2014 – Cobweb's Glory – Bryan Michael O'Connor
2015 – Bless Me Father – T. A. Powell
2016 - Cupid Wore Skirts – Sam Cree
2017 – Sive – John B. Keane
2019 – The New Gossoon – George Shiels
2020 – The Farm Boy – Ann Lavelle
2023 – Love Thy Neighbour – Jimmy Keary

20th Anniversary Production

ARDAGH
Community Players
Present Hilarious comedy by Jimmy Keary
Marrying Mike
Ardagh Community Centre
Fri 9th Sat 10th Sun 11th
February at 8.00pm

The poster features a red background with a large white heart in the center. Inside the heart is a cartoon illustration of a groom in a blue suit and a bride in a white dress holding a bouquet. The text is arranged in a hierarchy, with the group name at the top, the play title in a large script font, and the performance dates and time at the bottom.

Welcome, sit back and enjoy !!!

Meet the cast:

Mike Fogarty:

A farmer and bachelor who doesn't like change. Played by **Dermot O'Boyle** in his third appearance with the group.



Damian Bradley:

Collette's married boyfriend who knows what he wants. Played by **Cormac Flynn** in his second appearance with this group.



Kate O'Sullivan:

A local widow and a helping 'hand' to Mike. Played by **Donna Murray** who returns 10 years after her first appearance with this group.



Madge Sweeney:

An overly-religious, humour-less local woman. Played by **Mary Martyn** who has had many roles with this group. Another from 2004.

Barney O'Toole:

A farmer friend of Mike who wants to help Mike and himself at the same time! Played by **Eoin Flood** in his first appearance with this group.



The entire play takes place in the living-room of Mike's farmhouse.

There are three acts:

- Act 1 Scene 1: Morning
Scene 2: The following afternoon
- Act 2 Scene 1: The following day
Scene 2: Later same afternoon
- Act 3 Scene 1: A week later
Scene 2: The following day

20 Years later
Ardagh Community Players would like to thank everyone who has been involved with the group throughout the last 20 years. It is a significant achievement for a small local parish which is made possible with the support of all the audiences and the local community.

Thank You



Colm Garrity:

A local farmer who may not exactly be helpful! Played by **Oisin Finan** in his second appearance with this group.

Colette O'Toole:

Barney's sister and a woman who likes to help her brother, if it benefits her! Needs no introduction, having played many roles, is **Dolores O'Boyle** who plays Collette. A survivor from 2004.



Thanks to everyone who helped in any way with this production and to you our patrons for your continued support.

******* Sit back, relax and enjoy "Marrying Mike"*******