

fiftysomething theatre company
is for people over fifty who
enjoy learning new things,
meeting new people in friendly
and supportive activities
and having a good time.



**We would welcome
more people to join us.**

We also welcome invitations from
community organisations and
groups to perform at local venues.

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fiftysomething theatre company
is a community theatre company
formed in August 1995 with help and
encouragement from Burnley Council
under the auspices of Full Circle Arts
of Manchester. We launched as a fully
independent company in January 1997.



We devise our own work - but not
exclusively - taking in, for example,
environmental and ageist issues, but
also including general entertainment
and performances. Activities include
workshops for ourselves and
performances (concerts/drama/
sketches/musical items) for
community groups and general
audiences.

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fiftysomething theatre company

fiftysomething
theatre company
is about enjoying
all things
theatrical

**THAT'S
ENTERTAINMENT!!**



We meet every
Thursday afternoon at
Burnley Youth Theatre
1.30 to 4.00 pm

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Pictured above are members celebrating their success in the Group Speaking category at the Speech and Drama festival in Colne in November 2006

And further success below, when Anne Goodway, fiftysomething Chairperson, received the Bovett Trophy on behalf of the Company in the Group Speaking Category at the Blackburn Festival of Speech and Drama in May 2007.



"Feeling Good, Keeping Safe"

This production came out of a Lancashire County Council initiative to educate and raise the awareness of doorstep crime - including distraction crime.



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The production involved 12 members of the theatre company in a series of performance sketches highlighting doorstep crime, and toured various community venues Lancashire-wide.

fiftysomething theatre company has a community emphasis including performances for community and social forums including (but not exclusively) sheltered housing and day centres.

"The Falls Project"

In conjunction with E.Lancs PCT the group produced a series of sketches focussing on the dangers of falls, and took this to community venues - like the one pictured here at Browhead Court in Burnley in October 2006.



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Members are rehearsing for a Summer Concert with



songs, verses and sketches around a holiday theme. . .

. . The first performance was held on 9th June '07 at Pendle Community Hospital and was very well received.

