



## The Haunting of Hill House

**Written by:** F. Andrew Leslie

**Directed by:** Ian Pring

**Performed:** Wed 26th - Fri 28th October 2005 at 7.45pm, and Sat 29th at 3pm & 7.45pm at New Wimbledon Studio Theatre

Cast		Crew	
Eleanor.....	Julia Coleman	<b>Director</b> .....	Ian Pring
Theodora.....	Rachel Tozer	<b>Producer</b> .....	Tina Hartley
Mrs. Montague.....	Sarah Monk	<b>Stage Manager</b> .....	Sharron Stubbs
Mrs. Dudley.....	Ada Halley	<b>Lighting Operator</b> .....	Richard Frampton
Dr Montague.....	Paul Johnson	<b>Lighting and Set Design</b> .....	Mark Stannett , Tracey Childs
Luke Sanderson.....	Stuart Butler	<b>Sound</b> .....	Zoe Andrews
Arthur Parker.....	Ben Ellis		

## Synopsis

"Hill House has stood for ninety years, and might stand for ninety more... Silence falls heavily against the wood and stone of Hill House; and whatever walks there, walks alone!"

No-one will go within miles of the place. No-one has ever stayed there more than a couple of nights.

No-one lives for miles around, so no-one will hear you if you scream in the night.

No-one will be there. In the night. In the dark.

Despite warnings about its evil reputation, the parapsychologist Dr Montague decides to conduct an experiment to investigate the supposedly supernatural occurrences in a remote mansion. With him are Eleanor and Theodora, both of whom have had their own encounters with the supernatural.

But nothing can prepare any of them for what lurks in Hill House.

Because the house is alive, with a will and desires of its own.

And what it desires the most is Eleanor.

F. Andrew Leslie's play is based on Shirley Jackson's classic ghost story, which has also been filmed several times.

## NODA Review

The club produced an excellent evening's entertainment with good quality acting supported by very high standards in the technical aspects of the play, particularly the sound canvas and the costume. The studio theatre is a very intimate space and the... [\[more\]](#)

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