

## The MYPT Professional Staff

The Methuen Young People's Theatre is pleased to have the services of these experienced professionals to work with our summer musical theater program.

Joseph Gori  
Director

Joe resides in Plaistow, NH, and has been involved with music education and musical productions in the Merrimack Valley for 30 years. During that time, Joe has served as Choral and /or Musical Director at Methuen High School, Haverhill High School, Merrimack College, Saint Mary's Parish in Lawrence and Holy Angels Parish in Plaistow. Among the many productions he has directed are *Fiddler On The Roof*, *Guys 'n Dolls*, *Hello, Dolly*, *The Music Man*, *Camelot*, *Bye-Bye Birdie*, *Into The Woods*, *The Mystery Of Edwin Drood*, *A Midsummer Night's Dream*, *Noises Off* and *Pippin*, and of course numerous Gilbert & Sullivan operettas. Joe earned his B.S. at Berklee College of Music and a master's degree at the University of Massachusetts – Lowell and studied with the HB Acting Studios in New York City.

Janet Glasser  
Music Director

Janet, who lives in Wenham, MA, runs a private voice and piano studio. She is the accompanist for several local schools and freelances as a music director and pianist/keyboardist in the Greater Boston area. Among the shows she has done as music director are *Sweeney Todd*, *Shrek*, *Mary Poppins*, *Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory*, *Saltonstall*, *Footloose* and a show from Blue Gate Theater, *Confession*, in preparation for a Broadway run. She co-founded a non-profit community theatre, enjoys all types of music and has fun as the keyboardist for the Psychedelic Relics, a classic rock cover band. Janet holds a B.M. from Lawrence University in Vocal Performance and a M.M. in Conducting from East Carolina University and is a member of the National Association of Teachers of Singing.