

FORT ST. JOHN WORKSHOP PLAYERS

P.O.Box 2258,
Fort St. John,
B.C.
September 17, 1970

Dear Mrs Anderson:

The Fort St. John Workshop Players would like to make an application for a grant under the Arts Council.

We have purchased three Fresnel Spotlights, Three Clamps, Six Colour Frames and four Cinemoids. This adds to our growing reservoir of basic equipment which every theatre group needs. We also with the help of the grant, constructed a complete new set of flats which were used in "Odd Couple" and "The Importance of Being Earnest" and which will be used for quite some time to come.

We are beginning the year with a Children's Play - Cinderella which will be produced in early November. This play makes use of audience participation, will be done in the round and we hope, by means of a portable set to play it in a few other places apart from Fort St. John and thereby to make some much needed revenue for the club.

This year we intend to expand the club's activities by way of a regular monthly play reading followed by a social coffee gathering, make a drive for new members - mainly townspeople and non teachers and consequently enlarge our audiences and appeal. We also hope to commission a play from a North Peace resident for performance in Centennial Year. The ultimate which we would hope to achieve some time in the future is premises of our own either as part of the proposed Community Centre or in some alternative rented or purchased premises.

To this end and also in view of our proposed programme this year we would like to add to our basic equipment. We would like to apply for a grant of \$695.00 which is enumerated as follows:

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