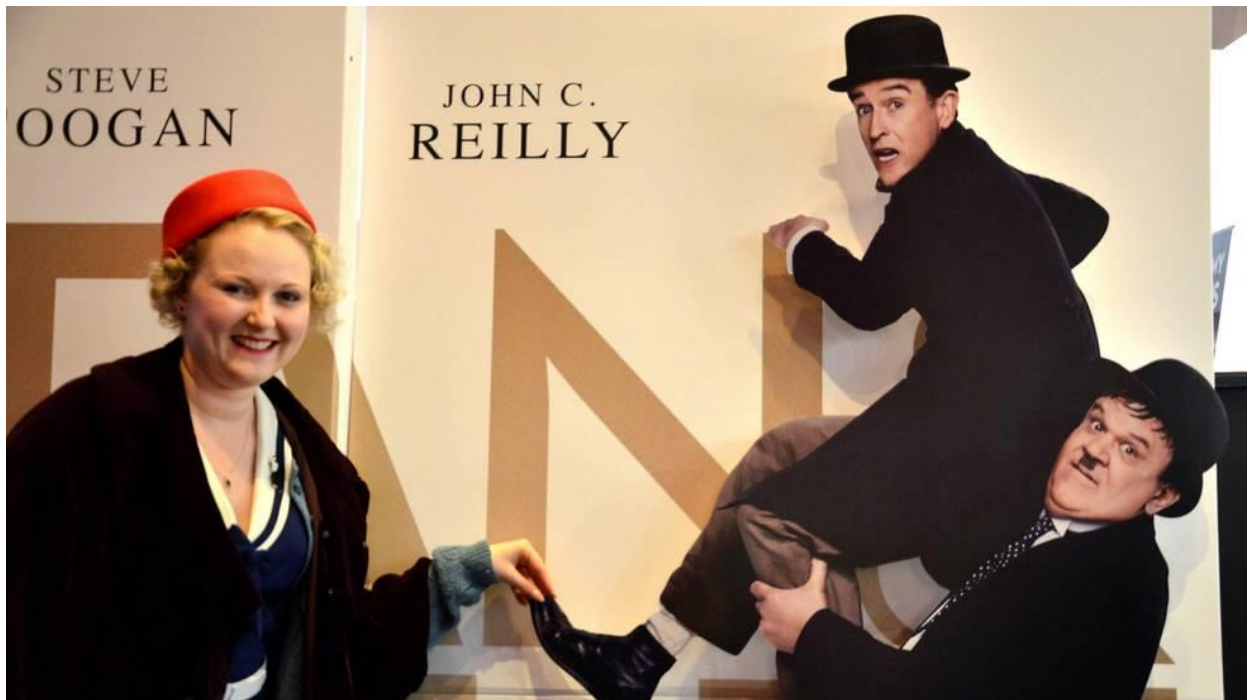


Saps celebrate the return of Stan and Ollie to Southend



Sons of the Desert everywhere are looking forward to the release of the 'Stan and Ollie' film. I have been fortunate enough to see it already and think it is excellent.

Southend Odeon cinema is screening the film during the week commencing 11th January 2019 and the Saps At Sea have linked in with the cinema to promote our town's connection with Laurel and Hardy.

- On **Saturday 12th January 2019** we will have a stand inside the cinema all day to promote the Saps At Sea
- I will have copies of then new edition of 'A Spot of Trouble in Southend – memories of their visit in 1952' for sale
- On **Sunday 13th January 2019** we will have the stall from 1130 until 1300. During this time we are delighted that **Stan and Ollie** (Philip and Tony of The Lucky Dog Theatre) and **Thelma Todd** (Emma Perry) will be there to welcome attendees
- The Saps will sing our anthem before we all take our seats for the 1300 film show. You can buy your ticket in advance or on the day
- At 1730 we reconvene at the Naval & Military Club for our Saps At Sea meeting

Everyone is welcome to join us for any part of our weekend activities. Don't forget to wear your Sons of the Desert t-shirts, fezzes, badges etc.

"We are the Sons of the Desert, having the time of our lives"