

You're Not Ray ...?

At the start of Dance Variations 2000 ...
 ... Miss Julie walked into the Rhoda McGaw Theatre to meet Ray,
 the Theatre's Technician, and to set up the show.

As she did a guy cycled in and jumped off his bike. Miss Julie, in her all white outfit and carrying butterfly nets looked at him (and expecting, we suspect someone much more senior) said "You're not Ray are you?" He was. An actor and singer who had spent his entire life in theatre, working backstage when not onstage. The two worked together for the week on the Show. It was a taste of things to come.

They worked together again at that year's Panto - Cinderella with Bobby Davro, Melinda Messenger and Danny La Rue. Two years later Miss Julie and Mr Ray were married and 3 years later in the Spring of 2005, Mr Ray joined the school teaching Drama, Lamda and generally getting involved in everything.

As well as his teaching Ray has been instrumental in moving the school forward both creatively and administratively. He is responsible for the business management and planning and provides enormous support to both the teaching staff and students.

*Here we share Mr Ray & Miss Julie's wedding day,
 but does anyone know who made Miss Julie's wedding dress?*

