

Newsletter Editor
Deb Smith

Beyond the Stage Door

SHAKESPEARE'S ROMEO AND JULIET IS NEAR!



The cast and crew have been working diligently over the last month to bring you the best performance we possibly can. Our director, Olivia Wolfe, is incredibly knowledgeable when it comes to Shakespeare. She weilds her magic and helps make these characters come alive.

The costumes are beautiful. And, one of our new members, Paul Botts, built a wonderful balcony for our lovely Juliet (who just happens to be Paul's daughter) so the famous balcony scene will be lovely.

The fight scenes are exciting and the death scenes may bring tears to your eyes.

Since the play, Romeo and Juliet, is definitely a "tragedy", and you will see the tragedy of it all up close and personal, you may want to bring a hanky.

The only concern now is the overcast weather. We have had so much rain lately. Hopefully, we will have dry weather on June 6th and 13th. However, if not, we will move the production to the TLP mainstage. Particularly because of the props and costumes. However, there will still be no charge for those 2 performances.

We intend to share the Bard's classic work with our community, so we will keep our promise of 2 free performances, rain or shine. The following weekend, June 18-20, we will be charging \$5 per person for admission so we can cover our expenses.

We will have a message on our TLP answering machine regarding the location on Sunday morning, June 6. Please call us at **870-424-0444** with details.

Spread the word! We hope to see all of you there!

The Cast:

- * Molly Moira Smart
- * Caitlin Holley
- * Craig Perry
- * Savannah Bushner
- * Elizabeth Smith
- * Hannah Ehlinger
- * Sue Howe
- * Mike Horberg
- * Rhonda Hardcastle
- * Deb Smith
- * Cameron Adkins
- * Cayden Sabella
- * Angela Lindberg
- * Roxie Botts
- * Abigail Baird

2021 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- ♦ **June 14 @ 6PM**
BOARD MTG.
- ♦ **June 16 (All Day)**
ACTING WOKSHOP
7-12 (West Plains)
- ♦ **June 21 @ 6PM**
MEMBERS MTG.
- ♦ **June 6 and 13 at 2PM**
SHAKESPEARE IN THE PARK, @ Hickory Park.
Adaptation by Olivia Wolfe from "Romeo & Juliet" by Shakespeare. If rain- @ TLP
- ♦ **June 18, 19 @ 7PM**
June 20 @ 2PM
"Romeo & Juliet @ TLP mainstage
- ♦ **July 24 @ 4PM** **PA-**
TRON APPRECIATION
EVENT @ TLP main-
stage
- ♦ **August 20 & 21 at 6PM**
FUNDRAISER "THEY SAID WHAT?!?"
by the RTS Theatre
Jockeys starring
MTN. TALK RADIO
CHEYENNE host, Scott Ramos, KTLO's Tim Tibbs, and KTLO'S Talk of The Town host, Kim Szejsi, @ TLP mainstage
- ♦ **Sept. 10, 7PM TLP**
50th Anniversary Party, @ TLP Stage, celebrating 50 years of entertainment.
- ♦ **Nov. 5-21, Fri/Sat 7PM, Sun 2PM**
Christmas production "Dashing Through The Snow" by Jones Hope Wooten



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Mission and Vision

Our mission: to entertain, enrich, and educate through community involvement

Our vision: to be recognized as a premier provider of quality entertainment and culture

INTRODUCING SEASON 2022



Directed by DEB SMITH

MAR 18-APR



AGATHA CHRISTIE'S THE MOUSETRAP

Directed by MIKE HORBERG

JUN 3-19

a comedy

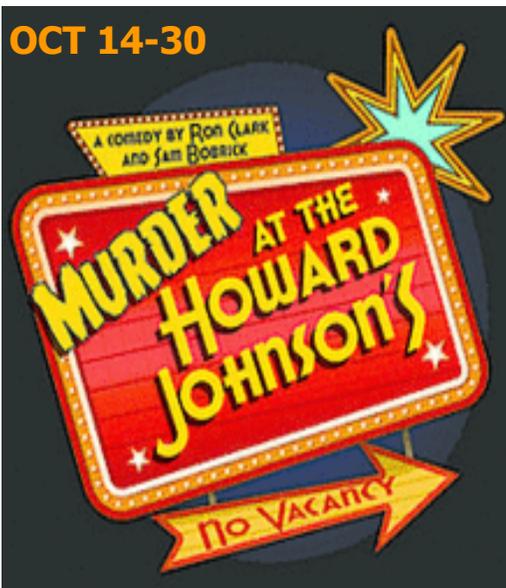
Steel Magnolias

By Robert Harling

Directed by ANNE JOHNSON

Directed by MICHAEL REICH

OCT 14-30



AUG 12-28

Wee Pigs Three

A Children's Musical Comedy
By EDITH WEISS



Directed by DIANNE PANKAU

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Peter and Jan Peitz

C.B. Hannon

Garry & Celine Kingsland

Clark & Madeleine Middleton

No. Ark. Electric Coop

Barbara Weatherby

John, Prince, & Puddles Pyskaty

Donald & Mary Ann Cox

David & Judy Doshier

Carter's Jewel Chest

Marcia Philman & Mari-Ellen Fry

Larry & Jonelle Luman

The Back Forty

George Fosberg

Alan & Barbara Amman

George & Joyce Hove

John & Carol Badsky

Town & Country Foods

Harps Food Stores

Century Bank of the Ozarks

We Want You In Our Newsletter!!!

Our monthly **Patron Highlight** has been a great success and we intend to continue sharing information with our members and patrons in this newsletter. However, to do an article about you, we must have your phone number so we can do an interview.

Debby Stanuch, our guest writer, always writes a thorough and interesting article. She needs to call you with questions. She is brief, the interview does not take long, but it must be accurate.

So we can continue, please contact the playhouse at **870-424-0444** and leave a message for Deb Smith. She will contact you and get your phone number so she can pass it on to Debby.

If you are a business, we can still write an article on you. Just give us the contact name so we know who to interview.

We look forward to highlighting you in our newsletter!



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CHAIRWOMAN'S LETTER

By Kimberly Beasley

Summer is almost upon us. Flowers have bloomed, instead of ice and snow– we have rain... lots and lots of rain. We also have a show in rehearsal, new members, and some fun events to look forward to this fall. It's so refreshing to be excited and looking forward to normal life again. Quarantine has changed a lot of how we interact and function. We have discovered family and found new hobbies. It is amazing how busy we can be without leaving home. I am on vacation the week I am writing this. I have worked harder than I do when I'm at work! And as people have changed priorities and focus, they have changed where they spend their free time.

Slowly, our volunteer pool has dwindled, with members who have led the charge needing a much deserved break. But that has left many vacancies that are going to cause problems as we work towards re-opening. The few who are still active cannot do everything, and the more they try to take on, the faster they will burnt out. As life returns to normal, I would ask each of you to consider taking on one of the many tasks that make our theater great. Any age can volunteer and no worries if you don't have experience– I promise you will have all the support you could want and experienced volunteers who will help you. And who knows– fresh eyes may show us new and, dare I say it, better ways of doing what we've always done.



What does it take to be a volunteer? *By Dianne Pankau*

Good question. In general, it takes a little time, a love of theater (or a love of someone associated with the theater) and an idea of what needs to be done. Pictured above is member Stan Helms working on building pub tables for our concession area.

Here at Twin Lakes Playhouse, we have many opportunities for almost anyone to be involved as a volunteer. There are the opportunities that might come to mind right away, such as acting, tech crew, stage crew and set building, but those are just a few of the ways you can be a part of our great organization.

When it comes time for performances to begin, we need ushers, concession stand workers, someone to man the ticket booth and people to direct parking. If you are a member, you should get an email before opening night of a new production that will ask you to volunteer with a chart of the dates and positions. When you volunteer for any of these positions you are able to see the show that day for free if there are seats available. But looking beyond that, we have so many “behind the scenes” opportunities ranging from cleaning the public parts of

the building, routine building maintenance and even taking out the trash. We need people to help with sorting and maintaining costumes. We have members who routinely look for props for upcoming shows. We currently pay someone to mow and weed the lawns, but a little extra help would always be appreciated. If you can think of a chore that must be done at home or work, it probably also needs to be done at the theater.

Do you like to shop? You could help with buying supplies.

Love to sew? You could help maintain the costumes.

Are you crazy about flowers? You could plant and maintain a planter or two.

Are you a writer? Write an article for this newsletter or a press release.

Are you good with people? Ticket booth, concession stand, or usher might be for you.

The opportunities are endless, use your imagination.

Any thriving organization will tell you they couldn't manage without their dedicated volunteers.

Now you're inspired, how do you go about finding a place to help?

Call the theater number: (870)-421-4044 and leave a message. We check messages twice a day and will be glad to get you in touch with the right person. Come to our members meetings the third Monday of each month and get to know the other members. There is always someone there who will help you find your opportunity.

We are looking forward to working with you in the near future.

Remember, it takes a village...

**TLP MEMBERS
2020/2021**

Adkins, Cameron
Beasley, Kimberly
Baker, Jennifer
Butler, Patti
Buzain, Dianne
Calhoun, Brenndon
Eberhard, John & Carol
Ellington, Andi
Fisher, Lori
Gehrke, Larry & Yvonne
Howe, Sue
Hammett, Lisa
Hardcastle, Rhonda
Helms, Joanne
Horberg, Mike & Jenny
Johnson, Anne
Kotlicky, Patty
Lateures, Margie
Leach, Angie
McKaig, Karen
Middleton, Clark
Mook, Karen
Mollenkopf, Sally
Nichols, Carol
Pankau, Dianne
Perry, Craig
Reich, Michael & Joy
Rogers, Loweta
Schlote, Nikki & Jeff
Simpson, Bill
Smith, Deb
Stanuch, Debby
Tiffin, Laurel & Stacy
Westgate-Fulco, Amy
Wilson, Patty
Wolfe, Olivia
Young, Cindy



Directed by Anne Johnson. In the tiny town of Tinsel, Texas, a colorful parade of eccentric guests arrive at the Snowflake Inn. Tina, the innkeeper, has more than she can handle coping with these nuttier-than-a-fruitcake lodgers. Hoyt and his sister try to end a 30-year feud between their aunts, Ainsley and Lenora, actors from a lower-than-low-budget touring production of A CHRISTMAS CAROL, come to fulfill a promise. Add a romantic rendezvous between Mrs. Claus and one of Santa's elves, a demanding guest who refuses to leave, a tipsy housekeeper, and a spur of the moment Christmas Eve wedding that brings together the Futrelle sisters and their best friend, Raynerd, and you have a delightfully funny show for the season.

ATTENTION 2021 SEASON TICKET HOLDERS :

The price of this production is included in the package you purchased for the 2021 Season. We will do our best to accommodate you regarding your preferred seating. However, if we must still social-distance we may not be able to do so. We apologize in advance for this and understand your disappointment. We hope to have a full audience and you are our first priority to be seated. Please verify you will be attending the performance prior to the performance date. If you would like to be reimbursed for your pre-paid seating for this production, please contact Anne Johnson at 870-424-0444 and she will refund your money.



ACTING WORKSHOPS



Acting, Improvisation, Pantomime,
Monologues, Scenework

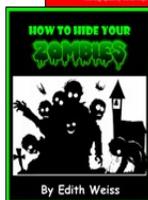
EDUCATION/OUTREACH PROGRAM



Workshops



Plays



Community Service



Cinco de Mayo at El Chino



Career Days 2014 at ASUMH

2021 Member Dues

\$15 PLEASE INCLUDE FORM

To remain an active member of Twin Lakes Playhouse, membership dues are payable at the beginning of each year. This allows members to vote on all changes, expenditures, and plays, etc. It also allows members to participate in theatre activities and stage activities. Our stage may be temporarily closed, but payment of dues is still required for our 2021 year. There are monthly bills and repairs to be made. Our facility needs to remain in tip-top shape for our re-opening in November.

So, please submit your dues to help out. And don't be a stranger— we miss you!

Thank you

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