



Backstage

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May 2015



NUNSENSE

Thursday-----May 14 @ 7:30 p.m.
Friday-----May 15 @ 7:30 p.m.
Saturday-----May 16 @ 7:30 p.m.
Sunday-----May 17 @ 7:30 p.m.

The final show of our season will hit the stage May 14-17 curtain time for all of the shows is 7:30 p.m. Some of you may remember several years ago when the Star staged the show Nuncrackers. Nunsense finds the Little Sisters of Hoboken embarking on a fundraiser to raise funds for the burial of 52 of their sisters after the cook accidentally poisoned them. They decide they will put on a variety show to attempt to raise these funds. Here we meet Reverend Mother Regina, a former circus performer, played by Jennifer Hill of Carey, Ohio; Sister Mary Hubert, the Mistress of Novices, played by Judy Hall of Upper Sandusky; a street-wise nun from Brooklyn named Sister Robert Ann, played by Keitha Voorheis of Upper Sandusky; Sister May Leo, a novice who is a wannabe ballerina, played by Kathleen Bather; and the delightfully wacky Sister Mary Amnesia, the nun who lost her memory when a crucifix fell on her head, played by Ana Barth of Upper Sandusky. The entertainment that they present includes solo star turns, madcap dance routines and an audience quiz and comic surprises. This show has become an international sensation. So remember your promise to Ron Boose and come help sell out this final show of our season. Call today to reserve your tickets at 419-294-1411.

HELLO, DOLLY!

Hello Dolly set to kick off our 2015-2016 season

Audition dates have been set for this summer's musical, Hello Dolly. Auditions will be held on May 16 at 2:00 p.m. and on May 18 & 19, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. For auditions please bring a prepared Broadway style song to sing. An Accompanist will be provided. Also you will be asked to read excerpts from the scripts.

Hello Dolly is the story of Dolly Levi, a matchmaker and her pursuit of Horace Vandergelder, the well-known "half-a-millionaire". This romantic comedy takes place in New York at the turn of the twentieth century. This show includes familiar musical numbers such as Put On Your Sunday Clothes, Ribbons Down My Back and one of the most famous songs in American Musical comedy, Hello Dolly!

Performance dates will be July 31, August 1, 7 & 8 at 7:30 p.m. and August 2 and 9th at 2:00 p.m.

Make sure to return your membership form included in this newsletter... We are counting on your support for another wonderful season of community theater!



121 W. Wyandot Avenue,
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Projector Capital Campaign Still Ongoing Your Help is Needed

We are still trying to raise funds for the purchase of a new digital projector for the Star. Based on the ever changing movie industry, our current projector has become obsolete as the majority of movies are no longer printed on 35mm film. This upgrade to the theatre will provide an improved movie experience for our patrons with an increase in picture and sound quality. As stated in our last newsletter, our goal is to raise the sum of \$40,000 to complete this project. Thanks to the generosity of our members and community members, we have raised approximately \$24,000 toward our goal. Movies have long been an important source of revenue to help keep our theatre doors open. Our hope is that with the upgrade to our movie equipment, we will have even more people coming out to enjoy movies at the Star. You can make a contribution to this campaign by sending a check to us at Star Theatre Attn: Projector Fund at 121 W. Wyandot Ave., Upper Sandusky, OH 43351 or by filling out the membership form and noting your contribution for the Projector Fund where indicated on the form.

You will see that also enclosed in this newsletter are the membership forms for the upcoming season. Remember, our season runs from July through June. We rely heavily on the generous support of our members to keep the theatre running.

Our hope is that the generosity you have shown for the Projector Fund will not impact your giving toward your membership. We did notice an increase of utility bills over this cold winter and a reduction of revenue from movies led to a larger depletion of our operating funds than anticipated. We thank you in advance for your generous membership contributions. The Star Players are a 501(c)(3) organization.

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