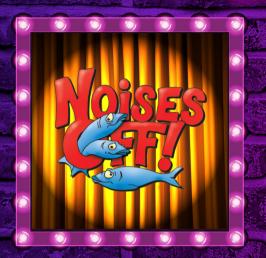
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Performances:

January 19 - 28, 2024 Fridays & Saturdays @ 7:30 PM

also

Sundays @ 2:30 PM

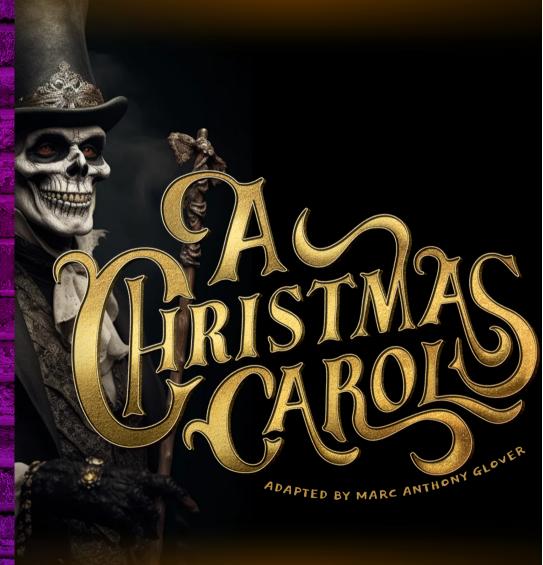


Performances:

February 8-11, 2024
Thursday at 7pm
Friday at 7pm
Saturday at 3pm / 7pm
also

Sunday at 2:30 PM

STAGE DOOR INC. CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS AND EDUCATION® PROUDLY PRESENTS



NOVEMBER 30 - DECEMBER 17, 2023

THE COMPANY

| Narrator - Martha | Jordan Vaughan |
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| Scrooge | Joey Spell |
| Cratchit - Richard - Brooker - Thomas | Jacob Vaughan |
| Spirit of Christmas Past - Broker | O'Hanna Moore |
| Spirit of Christmas Present | Lorrie Spell |
| Spirit of Christmas Future - Townsperson | Paul Stafford |
| Ms. Bennett / Emma - Ms. Oliver | Christi Clayton |
| Ms. Evvie - Belle | |
| Mrs. Dilber | Denise Hardin |
| Cook - Mrs Fezziwig - Rose | Jessica Thatcher |
| Townsperson - Ignorance - phantom | Grayson Cox |
| Tackleton - John - Jacob Marley | |
| Ghost of Marley - Old Joe | David Arabie |
| Townsperson - Belinda | Mva Edmonson |
| Want - Tiny Tim - Fan | Mollie Spell |
| Young Scrooge - Peter | Jude Edwards |
| Want - Tiny Tim - Fan Young Scrooge - Peter Fred - Ebinezer | James Suisse |
| Mrs. Cratchit - Caroline | Andrea Bunt |

PRODUCTION STRFF

| DirectorAssistant Director | Marc Anthony Glover |
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| Assistant Director | Jennifer Sheffield |
| Production Asst | |
| Production Manager | Jody Vaughan |
| Asst. Production Manager | Mario Hernandez |
| Technical Director | Chris Anorga |
| Tech. Supervisor | • |
| Tech Crew | |

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January 19 - February 4

Noises Off takes a fond look at the follies of theatre folk, whose susceptibility to out-of-control egos, memory loss, and passionate affairs turn every performance into a high-risk adventure. This play-within-a-play captures a touring theatre troupe's production of Nothing On in three stages: dress rehearsal, the opening performance, and a performance towards the end of a debilitating run. It gives us a window into the inner workings of theatre behind the scenes, progressing from flubbed lines and missed cues in the dress rehearsal to mounting friction between cast members in the final performance. Brimming with slapstick comedy, Noises Off is a delightful backstage farce, complete with slamming doors, falling trousers, and -- of course -- flying sardines



March 1 - 17

The action is set in Truvy's beauty salon in Chinquapin, Louisiana, where all the ladies who are "anybody" come to have their hair done. Helped by her eager new assistant, Annelle, the outspoken, wise-cracking Truvy dispenses shampoos and free advice to the town's rich curmudgeon, Ouiser, an eccentric millionaire, Miss Clairee, who has a raging sweet tooth; and the local social leader, M'Lynn, whose daughter, Shelby, is about to marry a "good ole boy." Filled with hilarious repartee and not a few acerbic but humorously revealing verbal collisions, the play moves toward tragedy when, in the second act, the spunky Shelby risks pregnancy and forfeits her life. The sudden realization of their mortality affects the others, but also draws on the underlying strength and love



April 19 - May 5

!The comedy genius, Mel Brooks, adapts his legendarily funny film into a brilliant stage creation! Grandson of the infamous Victor Frankenstein, Frederick Frankenstein (pronounced "Fronk-en-steen") inherits his family's estate in Transylvania. With the help of a hunchbacked sidekick, Igor (pronounced "Eye-gore"), and a leggy lab assistant, Inga (pronounced normally), Frederick finds himself in the mad scientist shoes of his ancestors. "It's alive!" he exclaims as he brings to life a creature to rival his grandfather's. Eventually, of course, the monster escapes and hilarity continuously abounds.



August 16 - September 1

It's time to carry the banner on your stage with Disney's Newsies! Set in turn-of-the century New York City, Newsies is the rousing tale of Jack Kelly, a charismatic newsboy and leader of a band of teenaged "newsies." When titans of publishing raise distribution prices at the newsboys' expense, Jack rallies newsies from across the city to strike against the unfair conditions and fight for what's right! Based on the 1992 motion picture and inspired by a true story!



September 27 - October 13

A sinister con man and two ex-convicts are about to meet their match. They have traced the location of a mysterious doll to the Greenwich Village apartment of Sam Hendrix and his blind wife, Susy. Sam had apparently been persuaded by a strange woman to transport the doll across the Canadian border, not knowing what is inside. When the woman is murdered the situation becomes more urgent. The con man and his ex-convicts convince Susy that the police have implicated her husband in the woman's murder, and the doll, which she believes is the key to his innocence, is evidence. She refuses to reveal its location, and with the help of a young neighbor, figures out she is the victim of a bizarre charade. But when Roat kills his associates, a deadly game of cat and mouse ensues between the two. Susy knows the only way to play fair is by her rules.



November 29 - December 15

Humorist Jean Shepherd's memoir of growing up in the midwest in the 1940s follows 9-year-old Ralphie Parker in his quest to get a genuine Red Ryder BB gun under the tree for Christmas. Ralphie pleads his case before his mother, his teacher and even Santa Claus himself at Higbee's Department Store. The consistent response: "You'll shoot your eye out!" All the elements from the beloved motion picture are here, including the family's temperamental exploding furnace; Scut Farkas, the school bully; the boys' experiment with a wet tongue on a cold lamppost; the Little Orphan Annie decoder pin; Ralphie's father winning a lamp shaped like a woman's leg in a net stocking; Ralphie's fantasy scenarios and more.

MEET THE CRST



Joey Spell

Joey has been involved with Stage Door since 2019. In addition to occasionally taking the stage, he also helps with set design and facility management. He works as a designer and CAD administrator. When not at the theater or at work, he enjoys spending time at home with his wife and 3 daughters. This year's production of "A Christmas Carol" is Joey's 7th time on stage for Stage Door. His first time was in the 2019 production of "A Christmas Carol". He's delighted to be reprising his role as Scrooge, and even more delighted to be sharing the stage with two of his daughters.



Lorrie Spell

Lorrie has been involved with Stage Door since it reopened its doors here in 2019. She attends Barbers Hill High School where she is currently in her junior year. Some of her favorite roles have been Wilbur in "Charlotte's Web" and Pugsley in "The Addams Family". Lorrie is excited to be sharing the stage with both her father and little sister. She'd like to thank her family for supporting her all these years.



O'Hanna Moore

O'Hanna Moore is a senior in the Culinary Arts program at Stuart Career Tech High School. She has been in many shows at Stage Door Inc including but not limited to Evil Dead: the musical (2 years ago), Rent, Addams Family, and The Larime Project. She is also in Stage Doors newly instated Protege Board of Leadership. She is very excited to be part of this amazing cast and can't wait to see what the future holds.



Paul Stafford

Paul Stafford. I have been doing theater on and off since like 2003. This is my third time performing with Stage Door Inc. and probably my favorite role I've ever played was with Stage Door Inc last year as Lurch in Addams Family! And this past fall I rotated the stage for the show Little Shop of Horrors. Another favorite role i have played is with Valley Players in Liberty, Tx which I was Dad in Best Christmas Pageant Ever. Thanks to my family for all the support!



Jacob Vaughan

Jacob has been at stage door for about a year and has enjoyed his climb from Wiesel in newsies all the way up to Seymour in Little Shop of Horror's. He is going to college to study theatre and hopes to start writing his own shows. He is happy to have so many friends and family in the cast.

MEET THE CRST



Andrea Bunt

Andrea is new to Stage Door. She is a teacher by day where she shares her passion for learning. Her passion for the arts is rooted in musicals. As a child she acted in several plays and is excited to try her hand at acting again! She looks forward to spreading love for the arts with the community through Stage Door, Inc. Andrea is so thankful for the opportunity and loves her new theater family at SDI!



David Arabie

David has been performing on the Stage Door, Inc. stage since 2022. This is his 6th show since making his debut as Uncle Fester in "The Addams Family Musical". Amongst his favorite roles: Leo Tannembaum in "The Christmas Express", Dennis Shepard in "The Laramie Project", the lovable "Yes, dear" character Reginald Poshmore in "Peril on the Mighty Mississippi", and most recently, Mr. Mushnik in "Little Shop of Horrors". He would like to thank his family and all at Stage Door, Inc. for allowing him the continued opportunity to perform on stage.



Christi Bywater Clayton

Christi has been with Stage Door since they put on "A Christmas Carol" in 2019. She has mostly been involved as the Musical Director of several of the Protege musicals, but occasionally has appeared on stage herself. Christi is grateful for her husband, son, parents, and brother for making it possible for her to be on stage again.



Jessica Thatcher

Jessica is new to Stage Door and is happy to be involved in A Christmas Carol. She started as choreographer for Evil Dead at Stage Door and has acted and danced in shows such as Oklahoma and Grease in the past. She is excited and grateful to have met so many amazing new friends and theater family. Jessica would like to thank her husband and family for always showing support and love to her endeavors in the arts.



Mollie Spell

Mollie is a 4th grader who is so excited to be playing Tiny Tim and Fan in this productiom of A Christmas Carol. This is Mollie's 7th production at Stage Door inc. She started with SDI's productions of Frozen Jr. and was most recently seen as Pearl in Finding Nemo Jr. Her favorite thing about this show is getting to share the stage with her sister and her dad.

MEET THE CRST



Grayson Cox

Grayson is new to Stage Door this year and is excited to start his theatrical journey. A 5th grade student during the day, he loves creative writing and aspires to attend Columbia University to become an author one day. Grayson is thankful to the Stage Door team for this opportunity.



Jordan Vaughan

Jordan has been at Stage Door since TNT 2022. This is her nineteenth show, ten of which have been on stage here at Stage Door Inc. Her favorite role to have played is Romaine Patterson in the Laramie Project. She currently serves on the newly elected Protege Leadership Board. Jordan would like to think her family for all their love and support.



Denise Martin Hardin

Denise has been involved with Stage Door and performing for over ten years. She's enjoyed every show she's been involved with, and this is the second time performing A Christmas Carol with SDI.



Sophia Thatcher

Sophia has truly enjoyed being a part of Christmas Carol at Stage Door Inc. Some of her recent roles include a deadite in Evil Dead the Musical, Avishay Lenser in Trap, an ensemble role in High School Musical Jr, and now Belle in Christmas Carol. She is grateful to her friends and family for their support and would like to thank all those involved with Christmas Carol and Stage Door Inc for making this and all her previous shows here such a wonderful experience.



Jude Edwards

Jude has been at Stage Door for about a year and a half and has enjoyed going from playing Augustus in Willy Wonka to Young Scrooge and Peter in A Christmas Carol. Jude has always loved musicals and theater and dreams of getting into the professional part of theater. Jude is planning to go to college to hopefully pursue a career in acting. Jude is happy to have made so many friends here at Stage Door.

MEET THE CRST



Mya Edmondson

Mya has been at Stage Door for about two years she started theater whenever she was only three in a tiny play, and she has worked my way up to going to Stage Door starting at the summer camp Aladdin Jr. and she have worked to get all the way to Belinda in the Christmas Carol. Mya has always loved anything involved with theater, and Mya want to pursue my dream into getting a professional big part in theater. Mya is planning to go to a college where she can accomplish my dream of acting. She has made so many memories and friends at Stage Door.



James "Jimmy" Suisse

Jimmy is an automation engineer at the Covestro Baytown facility. He studied electrical engineering at Utah State University, where he met his wife at a Big Band Swing club. They then went on to dance, teach, compete, and coach teams. He and his family moved to Mont Belvieu 9 years ago and they joined the Stage Door family in 2019, starting with the outdoor production of A Christmas Carol. He currently leads a not-so-quiet life with his wife and 6 children.



Mickey Thatcher

Mickey is the Husband of Jessica Thatcher and the Father of Sophia Thatcher. This is the first year for the Thatchers to be involved at Stage Door. Mickey has helped the production team on several sets and cleanup after the Midnight shows of Evil Dead.

