

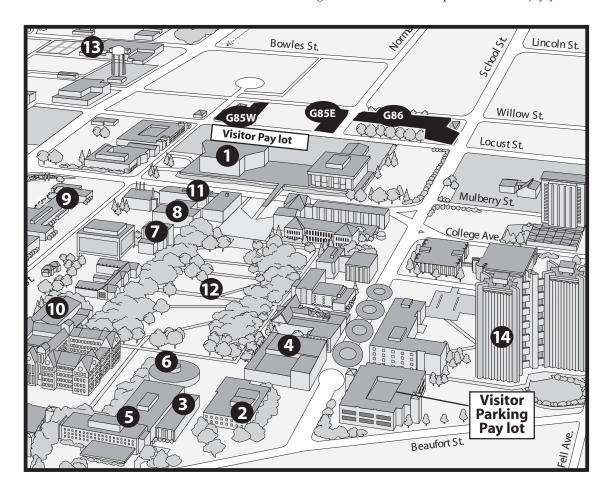






Welcome to Illinois State University, home to over 20,000 undergraduate and graduate students! This weekend, we are honored to host over 4,000 participants at the 2008 Illinois High School Theatre Festival!

Bone Student Center Brown Ballroom serves as the headquarters of the Festival, but workshops and performances are spread throughout other campus buildings. Everything is within easy walking distance. See the map below and enjoy your visit!



- 1. Bone Student Center (BSC) Braden Auditorium, Old Main
- 2. Centennial East (CE) Kemp, Allen Studio Theatre, Westhoff
- 3. Centennial West (CW)
- 4. Center for the Performing Arts (CPA)- Concert Hall, Theatre
- 5. Center for Visual Arts (CVA)
- 6. Center for Visual Arts Rotunda (CVA)
- 7. Cook Hall

- 8. Edwards Hall Capen Auditorium
- 9. Metcalf Hayden Auditorium
- 10. McCormick Hall (McC)
- 11. Schroeder Hall Annex (SCH)
- 12. Quad
- 13. University High School (UH) Stroud Auditorium
- 14. Watterson Food Court



GENERAL INFORMATION

FESTIVAL HEADQUARTERS

Contact Headquarters at 309-438-5714.

Information, maps, answers to questions, etc. may be obtained at Festival Headquarters in the Bone Student Center Brown Ballroom during these hours: Thursday, 3:00-9:30pm; Friday, 8:00am -10:00pm; and Saturday, 9:00am -4:00pm.

ALSO IN BONE STUDENT CENTER BROWN BALLROOM

- Exhibits from over 50 college and university theatre programs and theatre-related companies/ organizations
- Displays of pictures, drawings, and other materials from high school theatre productions from across the state
- FEST GEAR STORE (T-shirts, sweatshirts, etc.)
- Swap desk for performance tickets (Friday and Saturday only)

ADMISSION TO ACTIVITIES

All Festival registrants must have a ticket and name badge to attend Full-Length, Showcase, Opening, or All-State performances. Workshops are not ticketed, but name badges must be worn at all times, or you will be asked to leave. Some workshops may fill to capacity and participants may be turned away. Dance tickets for Friday night can only be purchased in advance at the FEST GEAR store located in the Bone Student Center Brown Ballroom. Tickets for the dance are \$5.00. There will be no tickets sold at the door of the dance. Students MUST wear their name badge to be allowed entrance to Friday evening activities. BADGES WILL BE CHECKED!

LOST BADGES AND PROGRAM BOOKS

Badges must be worn at all times. Replacement badges may be purchased at Festival Headquarters for \$2.00 each. Additional program books are also available for \$3.00 each.

SWAP DESK HOURS, LOCATIONS AND PROCEDURES

New this year we are adding a satellite swap desk. The hours for each location are:

Main Swap Desk (located by the Registration Desk in BSC Brown Ballroom)
Friday- 8am to 8:30pm
Saturday- 9am to 1:15pm

Satellite Swap Desk (located in CPA lobby) Friday- 10:30am to 8pm Saturday- 9am to 1:15pm Participants may trade any valid ticket for any available ticket. (Students may not swap All-State tickets.) In the event that Full-length or Showcase tickets are still available fifteen minutes before a show's curtain time, tickets will be distributed without the necessity of a trade.

BUILDING ABBREVIATIONS

BSC Bone Student Center CE Centennial East

CPA Center for the Performing Arts

CVA Center for the Visual Arts

CW Centennial West
McC McCormick Hall
SCH Schroeder Hall Annex
UH University High School

DINING OPTIONS

For those who have purchased meal tickets, Watterson Food Court will be open Friday and Saturday from 11:30am until 2:30pm. The \$13 meal cards or cash can be used at any of the following selections in the food court: Main Course, Donzello's Pizza, Pepe's Mexican Cuisine, Boomer's Grill, Tower Deli, Chick-Fil-A, Eleanor's Kitchen (Asian cuisine), W.C. Greens, Freshens, Ben and Jerry's Ice Cream, and The Bakery Basket. MEAL TICKETS ARE ONLY GOOD AT WATTERSON FOOD COURT!

WATTERSON DINING CENTER DINING OPTIONS

	(Thurs.) Jan. 10	(Fri.) Jan. 11	(Sat.) Jan. 12
Watterson Dining Center	Closed	11:30am - 2:30pm	11:30am - 2:30pm

BONE STUDENT CENTER DINING HOURS

	(Thurs.) Jan. 10	(Fri.) Jan. 11	(Sat.) Jan. 12
The Cage II	7:30am - 7:00pm	7:30am -10:00pm	7:30am - 4:00pm
Mc Allister's Deli	11:00am - 3:00pm	11:00am - 8:00pm	11:00am - 2:00pm
Pizza Hut Express	10:30am - 8:00pm	10:30am - 8:00pm	10:30am - 2:00pm
Burger King	8:00am - 8:00pm	8:00am - 8:00pm	10:30am - 2:00pm
Freshen's	10:30am - 4:00pm	10:30am - 8:00pm	8:00am - 2:00pm
Lobby Shop	7:30am -10:30pm	7:30am -10:30pm	7:30am - 6:00pm

AIRPORT LOUNGE @ CENTENNIAL HOURS

	(Thurs.) Jan. 10	(Fri.) Jan. 11	(Sat.) Jan. 12
Airport Lounge	Closed	7:30am - 8:00pm	7:30am - 2:00pm



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DEAR TEACHERS/SPONSORS:

YOU = ITA

You are here at the 2008 Festival because you believe in the power of theatre in the lives of your students and your community. You can increase the impact of your energy, commitment, and talent by joining the Illinois Theatre Association—the only organization in the state that actively bridges the gaps between professional, community, children's, and educational theatre. By joining ITA you add your voice to our mission: To advocate the importance of theatre in the lives of individuals by influencing local and state government to value and support the art of theatre. Your membership will help to strengthen the connections among those fighting the good fight to create quality theatre, arts programming, education, and professional networking.

This Festival, recognized nationally for its non-competitive inclusiveness, scope, and organization, is the largest ITA-developed and sponsored annual event, but there are others this year that meet the needs of our wide constituency: Professional Auditions, CD/CT Conference, Community Theatre Festival, and the annual Convention.

ITA member benefits: personal pride that you are contributing to the advancement of your profession; registration discount for all ITA events; member-only group mail, database, bulletin board, and classified ads; networking with theatre artists in other interest areas.

On our Website (www.illinoistheatreassociation.org) you will find complete information about ITA, monthly news items, and links to theatres, corporate and organizational members, and affiliated arts organizations.

Please stop by Festival Headquarters to pick up an ITA membership form and share your ideas and concerns with a Board representative. Join us and the Illinois State University School of Theatre for the reception Friday at 10:00pm in the Circus Room of the Bone Student Center.



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Dear Theatre Festival Participants:

On behalf of the Illinois Theatre Association, I would like to welcome you to the 33rd annual Illinois High School Theatre Festival. I invite you all to find what "Theatre Is" at the Festival this weekend.

You are here at the 2008 IHSTF because you are excited by the power of theatre. You have discovered that theatre is something that affects lives, evokes imagination and motivates change. As a theatre artist in the state of Illinois, the only state in this country with a High School Theatre Festival of this magnitude, you have a responsibility to use the Festival to affect at least one life and hopefully many through theatre. Use the amazing experiences you will be having this weekend to define for yourself truly what "Theatre Is".

- Don't miss any opportunity this weekend to get involved.
- Plan your time wisely and diversely.
- See lots of productions, both Full-Length and Showcase.
- Participate in workshops presented by passionate theatre professionals just waiting to share their gifts with you.
- Talk with the wonderful vendors around the ballroom.
- Enjoy the talents of all the people working together to create our All-State Production.
- Make new friends. You will find that theatre people are the same no matter
- And finally, have fun.

My wish for you is that this Festival will inspire, motivate and enlighten you to make even better art through theatre.....and I for one can't wait to see what you create.

Sincerely,

John Muszynski

President, Illinois Theatre Association

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This Festival is proudly produced by the Illinois Theatre Association, the one representative association of all theatre professionals in this state. We are making theatre better together.

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January 2008

Dear Theatre Students and Educators:

Welcome to the 33rd annual Illinois High School Theatre Festival! Illinois State University is honored to host this celebration and proud of our long association with the Illinois Theatre Association. This year over 4,000 students and educators will meet at Illinois State University to share their talents and ideas. We hope the three-day festival will be filled with learning and excitement for everyone.

At Illinois State University we are committed to the performing arts. We take great pride in our facilities, including Bone Student Center's Braden Auditorium and the new state-of-the-art Center for Performing Arts. The Center for Performing Arts has added a 450-seat proscenium theatre and an 800-seat concert hall to our campus community.

These new facilities complement previously existing space and provide space to handle every type of performance. The School of Theatre at Illinois State University ensures student involvement at all levels of design, construction, direction and performance, which has been a trademark of the College of Fine Arts.

I hope your visit is filled with memorable learning experiences. Please accept my best wishes for an enjoyable and productive festival.

Sincerely,

C. Al Bowman President





PARTICIPATION GUIDELINES

- Festival Participants are expected to attend and be a part of Festival-sponsored activities and performances.
- Take full opportunity of the Festival by arriving on time for workshops and performances. Tickets for performances are only valid until published performance times. At published curtain times, empty seats will be filled by participants who do not have tickets.
- If you, or your school, have performance tickets that you are not going to use or swap, please turn them in to one of the swap desks at least 30 minutes before curtain time.
- Information about the Ticket Swap Desks for ticket exchange can be found on page 1 of the Festival program.
- As an audience member, you are part of the performance, but you are not a performer. Therefore, good manners toward those on stage are extremely important.
- No one may save seats for any performance.



- No food or drink is allowed in the theatres and workshop spaces with the exception of bottled water.
- The use of any audio or video recording device or camera in any theatre is prohibited. This includes picture and video phones.
- Please plan to maintain a full schedule on both Friday and Saturday. Get plenty of rest so that you do not find yourself losing interest or energy in the middle of the day. Many professionals and schools have donated time to provide quality workshops and shows. Please show your appreciation by attending every event that you can.
- You must wear your Festival badge to all events, including Friday night activities. Your badge must include your full name and school name. Note: A sponsor, monitor, or University staff member has the right to ask to see your badge. Replacement badges must be purchased at Festival headquarters (for \$2.00) if originals are lost.
- The use of drugs/alcohol during attendance at the Festival is absolutely prohibited. Parents of a student who is found in violation will be contacted and requested to remove the student immediately—no matter what time of the day or night.



- Smoking is prohibited in *all* University buildings.
- Students are *not* allowed to smoke on campus or in the hotels.
- Students should travel in groups of at least three and inform their chaperone of their schedule. Emergency phones are located throughout the campus and will connect you to the campus police if needed. (Refer to back of name badge for numbers.)
- Curfew: City ordinance requires that no minor be on the streets without an adult after 11:00pm on Thursday and 11:59pm on Friday.
- Please remember that you are representatives of your school's theatre program and conduct yourselves accordingly. The Festival is a time to share new ideas and concepts. It is expected that you will be polite and receptive at all performances and workshops.
- Also, courteous behavior is expected at Bloomington-Normal area hotels, restaurants, and stores.



LET'S SET THE PROPER TONE — TURN OFF THE CELL PHONE!

(No calls, texting, or IMing during performances or workshops!) Students found using phones during performances will have their phones confiscated. (Confiscated phones can be picked up at the Festival Headquarters in the Bone Student Center.)

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

Campus Police 309-438-8631

Rescue Squad 911

Festival Headquarters 309-438-5714 South Campus Headquarters 309-438-8110 North Campus Headquarters 309-438-7372

A nurse will be located in the Bone Student Center during the hours of the Festival. In other emergencies, please call 911 (or 9-911 from a campus phone).



FESTIVAL OBJECTIVES

I. TO ENRICH THE EDUCATION OF HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS:

By helping students realize through this experience that theatre is one means of fulfilling each individual's innate need and desire to create.

By bringing diverse young persons together in an environment of creative and imaginative stimuli where theatre can be witnessed, experienced, ingested, talked about, and lived.

By providing experiences in which each student can recognize and share common ambitions, goals, and interests with other students from diverse communities and programs.

By allowing students to witness different types and styles of theatre process and performance.

By providing opportunities for students to showcase their creative efforts.

II. TO SERVE TEACHERS, DIRECTORS, AND THEATRE SPONSORS:

By demonstrating specific educational theatre materials and techniques.

By providing exposure to various program sizes and alternative approaches for theatre programs.

By providing a showcase for accomplishments of student groups.

By developing a forum and network for the exchange and sharing of ideas to build and expand theatre programs.

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John Muszynski Maine South HS





PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS:

4,104 registered high school students and sponsors attending from 163 high schools across the state.

Addison Trail HS Alden-Hebron HS Althoff Catholic HS

Alton HS

Amos Alonzo Stagg HS Antioch Community HS

Arcola HS Barrington HS Bartlett HS Belvidere HS

Belvidere North HS Benton Consolidated HS

Bloomington HS Carl Sandburg HS Cary-Grove HS Centennial HS

Champaign Central HS Civic Memorial HS

Clemente Community Academy

Clinton Community HS Crescent-Iroquois HS Crystal Lake Central HS Crystal Lake South HS

Dakota HS

Decatur MacArthur HS

Deerfield HS

Driscoll Catholic HS
East Leyden HS
Edwardsville HS
Effingham HS
Elmwood HS
Elmwood Park HS
Farmington Central HS

Galena HS Galesburg HS

Geneva Community HS Genoa-Kingston HS

Georgetown Ridge Farm HS

Gibault Catholic HS
Glenbard East HS
Glenbard North HS
Glenbard West HS
Glenbrook North HS
Glenbrook South HS
Granite City HS
Guerin College Prep

Guilford HS Hamilton HS

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Homewood-Flossmoor HS

Huntley HS Illini West HS

J. Sterling Morton West HS

Jersey Community HS John Hersey HS Johnsburg HS Jones College Prep

James B. Conant HS

Keith Country Day School

Lake Forest HS Lake Park HS Lake Zurich HS Lakes Community HS Lane Tech College Prep HS

Larkin HS Lemont HS Libertyville HS

Lockport Township HS Loyola Academy HS

Macomb HS

Mahomet-Seymour HS

Maine East HS Maine South HS Maine West HS

Marengo Community HS

Marion HS Mattoon HS

McHenry HS - East Campus McHenry HS - West Campus Minooka Community HS

Moline HS Morton East HS

Mother McAuley Liberal Arts HS

Mt. Vernon Township HS

Mundelein HS

Naperville Central HS Naperville North HS Nazareth Academy Neuqua Valley HS Newton Community HS

Niles North HS Niles West HS

Normal Community HS Normal Community West HS

North Boone HS North HS

Notre Dame HS for Boys

O'Fallon Township HS

Oak Forest HS

Oak Park and River Forest HS

Oswego East HS

Peoria Notre Dame HS

Peotone HS

Plainfield HS - Central Campus

Plano HS

Pleasant Plains HS
Princeton HS
Prospect HS
Proviso West HS
Putnam County HS
Queen of Peace HS

Rantoul Township HS

Reavis HS Reed-Custer HS Resurrection HS

Richmond-Burton Community HS

Ridgewood HS

Rochelle Township HS

Rock Island HS

Rockford Auburn CAPA HS

Rolling Meadows HS Round Lake HS

Sacred Heart-Griffin HS Saint Bede Academy Saint Ignatius College Prep

Saint Patrick HS Salem Community HS Schaumburg HS Southwestern HS

Spectrum International Prep HS

St. Anthony HS St. Charles East HS St. Charles North HS St. Francis HS St. Joseph HS

St. Joseph-Ogden HS

St. Teresa HS Teutopolis HS

The HS of Saint Thomas More

Thomas Kelly HS Timothy Christian HS

Trinity HS

Tuscola Community HS

Unity HS University HS

University Laboratory HS

Urbana HS Vernon Hills HS Victor J. Andrew HS

Washington Community HS



Waubonsie Valley HS
Wauconda HS
West Carroll HS
West Chicago Community HS
West Leyden HS
Wheeling HS
William Fremd HS
Willowbrook HS
Winchester HS
Woodstock HS

WORKSHOP PRESENTERS:

Thank you to all our wonderful volunteer workshop leaders... this Festival could not take place without you. Students, thank your workshop leaders!

Brian Alexander, Clinton HS
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Josh Andrews, Play On
Becki Arnold, Bradley University
Robert AuFrance, Waldorf College
Mallory Backstrom, University of
Missouri-Columbia
Lisa Bany-Winters, Play On
David Barone, Glenbard North HS
Kevin Bautch, University of Northern
Colorado

Katie Bayles, Illinois Wesleyan Jennifer Bechtel, Mahomet-Seymour HS Charles Berglund, Retired, Glenbard North HS

Jim Borrelli, Effingham HS
Amanda Brown, The Mime Company
Cyndee Brown, Illinois State University
Craig Bryant, Washington Schools
Beth Bullock, Auditorium Theatre of
Roosevelt University

Jennifer Burgdorff, Wheeling HS Ryan Colton, St. Charles North HS Tim Conway, Highland Park HS Connie de Veer, Texas Christian University

Emily Dugan, Teen Comedy Fest Bruce Earnest, University of South Dakota

Matt Elwell, Comedy Sportz Chicago Hunter Evans, Oak Park & River Forest HS

Jeremy Fiebig, Waldorf College Jay Fontanetta, St. Joseph HS Tim Frawley, Libertyville HS James Furnas, Illinois State University Father Dominic Garramone, Saint Bede Academy

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Alysia Prosser, The HS of Saint Thomas More

Festival

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Andy Sinclair, Maine East HS Tom Skobel, Illinois State University Roger Speidel, Southern Illinois University - Edwardsville

Nick Stefanic, The HS of Saint Thomas More

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Kyle Waites, Maine East HS Pam Walden, Illinois State U

Pam Walden, Illinois State University Daniel Weiermann, Mainstage

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EXHIBITORS:

Come visit them in the Bone Student Center Brown Ballroom Thursday 3:00pm - Saturday 1:30pm.

All Dressed Up Costumes (Batavia, IL)

AMDA - The American Musical & Dramatic Academy (Los Angeles, CA)

Bob Rogers Travel (Woodridge, IL)

Bradley University (Peoria, IL)

Broadway Costumes, Inc. (Chicago, IL)

Cardinal Stritch University (Milwaukee, WI)

Carthage College (Kenosha, WI)

Chicago Improv Festival Productions (Chicago, IL)

Costume Holiday House, Inc. (Fremont, OH)

Culver-Stockton College (Canton, MO)

Designlab Chicago (Chicago, IL)

Dramatic Publishing Company (Woodstock, IL)

Elmhurst College (Elmhurst, IL)

Eureka College (Eureka, IL)

Field Studies Center of New York (Salem, UT)

Forte Stage Combat (Glen Ellyn, IL) Grand Stage Co. (Chicago, IL) Hall Associates Flying Effects (DeKalb, IL)

Illinois State University (Normal, IL)

Illinois Theatre Association (Chicago, IL)

Illinois Thespians (Chicago, IL)

Illinois Wesleyan University (Bloomington, IL)

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Lewis University, Philip Lynch Theatre (Romeoville, IL)

Lincoln College (Lincoln, IL)

Mainstage Theatrical Supply, Inc. (Milwaukee, WI)

Miami University (Oxford, OH)

Monmouth College (Monmouth, IL)

Music Theatre International (New York, NY)

National High School Institute (Evanston, IL)

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Northern Illinois University (DeKalb, IL)

Rockford College (Rockford, IL)

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Saint Mary's University (Winona, MN)

Southeastern Illinois College (Harrisburg, IL)

Southern Illinois University - Carbondale (Carbondale, IL)

Southern Illinois University -Edwardsville (Edwardsville, IL)

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University of Illinois (Urbana, IL)

University of Illinois at Chicago (Chicago, IL)

University of Northern Colorado (Greeley, CO)

University of South Dakota (Vermillion, SD)

USITT-Midwest Section (Winfield, IL)

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Waldorf College (Forest City, IA)

Webster University (St.Louis, MO) Western Illinois University

(Macomb, IL)

Western Michigan University (Kalamazoo, MI)

PRODUCTION RESPONDENTS

Many thanks to all those who volunteered their time to respond to productions submitted by schools from throughout the state.

Annaliisa Ahlman Steven Fegert Brian Alexander **Brian Fruits** Carol Allen James Fumas Mark Begovich Laura Gilbert Brett Blair **Ieff Graham** Jessica Buczek Gary Grubneau **Eileen Bunting** Lana Hagan Chrissy Cacciatore Karen Hall Patt Cheney Patricia Haynes **Greg Chew** Nathaniel Haywood Peter Cocuzza Anna Jakubka Heidie BW Dunn D. Ann Jones **Hunter Evans** Cory Kelley

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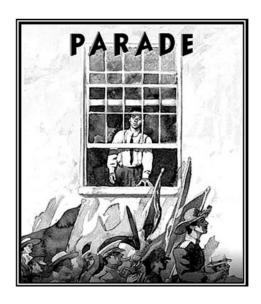
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THE 2008 ILLINOIS HIGH SCHOOL THEATRE FESTIVAL PRODUCTION



PARADE

Book by Alfred Uhry

Music by Jason Robert Brown

Lyrics by

Jason Robert Brown

Co-Conceived and Directed on Broadway by **Harold Prince**

Based on the true story of the trial and lynching of Leo Frank

PRODUCTION STAFF

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Suzanne Aldridge (Centennial) **Production Coordination**

and Finance

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Miriam Kenning (Ottumwa) Choreographer

Lisa Gonwa (Victor J. Andrew) Technical Director

Geoffrey Epperson (Carl Sandburg) Scenic Designer

Brandon Lewis (Amos Alonzo Stagg) Lighting Designer

Francine Schulman (Homewood-Flossmoor) Costume Designer

Michael Stephenson (Victor J. Andrew) Production Assistant/ Company Manager

Greg Matushek (Northern Illinois University) Assistant Musical Director

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Milo Ellis (Geneva) *Cast*

Adam Fane (West Aurora)

Sarah Geinosky (Queen of Peace)

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Emily Goldberg (Oak Park & River Forest) Cast

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Maddy Low (Glenbrook North) Orchestra

Maria Mathine (St. Joseph-Ogden) *Orchestra*

Torian Miller (Rolling Meadows) Cast

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Orchestra
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Robert Stepek (Rolling Meadows) *Crew*

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9:00 am -10:15 am

FALSETTOLAND - NILES NORTH HS

525



by William Finn



Timothy Ortmann, Director

Marvin is gay; he has a kid; he's self-involved; and he's Jewish. Come meet his ex-wife, his ex-psychiatrist, his kid, and the lesbians from next door. With its spicy lyrics, lush melodies, and edgy plot, *FALSETTOLAND* follows Marvin as he navigates through life with his extended family. Music and lyrics by William Finn who won two Tony Awards for FALSETTOS -- and who brought us the 25th ANNUAL PUTNAM COUNTY SPELLING BEE. Don't miss meeting these crazy people in this fast-paced, contemporary musical. Contains mature themes and adult content and language.

9:00 am -11:00 am Metcalf Hayden

THE ODD COUPLE (FEMALE VERSION) - WAUBONSIE VALLEY HS

327





Gary Smiley, Director with Amy Haga and Dave Calvert

The Odd Couple, is built squarely on the collision of opposites. Olive Madison is a divorced TV producer, living alone, who hosts five friends for a weekly Trivial Pursuit game. In the first scene, Florence, usually quite punctual, arrives hours late in emotional distress, with the horrific news that her husband kicked her out. Olive invites Florence to become her roommate, and the "odd couple" is formed.

9:00 am -11:15 am UH Stroud

ROMEO AND JULIET - NEUQUA VALLEY HS

989



by William Shakespeare

Brigid Tileston, Director

Romeo and Juliet tells the tale of two star-crossed lovers who meet tragic ends due to their passion for one another.

9:00 am - 9:45 am

MINNESOTA MOON - GLENBARD EAST HS

700

CPA Concert

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DRAMA

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CW 207	Scott Shallenbarger, Highland Park HS	
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John Muszynski, Director

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BSC-Circus Room David Barone, Glenbard North HS & Kyle Waites, Maine East HS

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11:30 am -12:45 pm

FALSETTOLAND - NILES NORTH HS

525



by William Finn

Timothy Ortmann, Director

Marvin is gay; he has a kid; he's self-involved; and he's Jewish. Come meet his ex-wife, his expsychiatrist, his kid, and the lesbians from next door. With its spicy lyrics, lush melodies, and edgy plot, *FALSETTOLAND* follows Marvin as he navigates through life with his extended family. Music and lyrics by William Finn who won two Tony Awards for FALSETTOS -- and who brought us the 25th ANNUAL PUTNAM COUNTY SPELLING BEE. Don't miss meeting these crazy people in this fast-paced, contemporary musical. Contains mature themes and adult content and language.

12:00 pm -2:15 pm

MARVIN'S ROOM - DECATUR MACARTHUR HS

100

CE-Allen Studio Theatre

by Scott McPherson

Mark Waller, Director

Love is defined in many ways in this play. A woman faced with her own death finds humor and understanding with her dysfunctional family.

12:00 pm -12:45 pm

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200

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STUDENT DIRECTOR DIALOGUES: STAGING AND MOVEMENT

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Jennifer Bechtel, Mahomet-Seymour HS

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BSC-Circus Room	David Barone, Glenbard North HS & Kyle Waites, Maine East HS	
	Get your fellow techies and test your skills in wiring a plug, focusing a light, tying a knot, setting props, nicopress crimping, costume changing, sound set-up and flat construction.	
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C V / (14)	Andrea Nixon, Illinois State University Most high school students have had previous experience with stage makeup; they know what the	
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75

Faye Ryan, Illinois Thespians

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Elaine Laws, Althoff Catholic HS

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3:00 pm - 4:15 pm CE 220

MONOLOGUE TUNE-UP Martin McClendon, Carthage College

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Performing monologues is like going to the dentist: nobody likes it but everybody needs to do it. This workshop will help you tune up your monologues and offer suggestions to put the final polish on a memorable performance. Participants should have solid monologues ready to work.



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10:30 am-11:45 am 10:30 am-11:45 am	BOHO THEATRE ENSEMBLE: STUDENT PLAYWRIGHTS FESTIVAL WORKSHOP	CVA 310 CW 202
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10:30 am-11:45 am	ALL-FESTIVAL IMPROV TEAM	EDWARDS-CAPEN
10:30 am-11:45 am	YOGA FOR THEATRE AND DANCE	MCC 104
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12:00 pm-1:00 pm	B.A.F.L.: BY TEENS, ABOUT TEENS, FOR EVERYONE; LISTEN! - RESURRECTION HS	CPA CONCERT
12:00 pm-1:15 pm	STUDENT DIRECTOR DIALOGUES: STAGING AND MOVEMENT	BSC-3RD E LOUNGE
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12:00 pm-1:15 pm	SHAKESPEARE: STAGES, SIDES, SOLILOQUIES	CVA 151
12:00 pm-1:15 pm	A METHOD OF LIGHTING THE STAGE	CVA 17
12:00 pm-1:15 pm	WAR WOUNDS ON THE STAGE: A SURVIVOR'S GUIDE TO STAGE MAKEUP	CVA 27
12:00 pm-1:15 pm	STUDENT DIRECTOR DIALOGUES: DESIGN	CVA 30
12:00 pm-1:15 pm	GOD I HOPE I GET IT: HOW TO NAIL AN AUDITION AND GET THE ROLE	CW 202
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1:30 pm-4:00 pm	SHAKESPEARE'S VILLAINS!	MCC 104
1:30 pm-2:45 pm	MUSICAL THEATRE BOOT CAMP	MCC 205-LG GYM
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3:00 pm-4:15 pm	MONOLOGUE TUNE-UP	CE 220
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3:00 pm-4:15 pm	STUDENT DIRECTOR DIALOGUES: COSTUMES/PROPS	CVA 147
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3:00 pm-4:15 pm	STUDENT DIRECTOR DIALOGUES: LIGHTING	CVA 47B
3:00 pm-4:30 pm	BEYOND WORDS: THE ASTONISHING ART OF MIME	CW 207
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3:00 pm-4:15 pm	COMPUTER SCENE DESIGN USING GOOGLE SKETCHUP	CW 306 CW 315
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3:00 pm-4:15 pm	HOW TO BE A PROFESSIONAL ACTOR, INSTEAD OF A WAITER	SCH 242
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3:30 pm-5:45 pm	MARVIN'S ROOM - DECATUR MACARTHUR HS	CE-ALLEN THEATRE
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7:00 pm-9:30 pm	ALL-STATE PRODUCTION 2008 - PARADE	BSC-BRADEN
7:15 pm-9:45 pm	HOW TO SUCCEED IN BUSINESS WITHOUT REALLY TRYING - GLENBARD WEST HS	UH STROUD
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10:00 pm-11:45 pm	SPONSOR'S RECEPTION	BSC-CIRCUS
10:00 pm-11:45 pm	EXPO - EXPLOSION!	BSC-LG PRAIRIE ROON
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10:00 pm-11:45 pm	BROADWAY SING-A-LONG	BSC-OLD MAIN
		MCC 205-LG GYM
10:00 pm-11:45 pm	STUDENT DANCE MONTY DYTHON AND THE HOLY CRAIL	
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10:00 am-12:00 pm	WAIT UNTIL DARK - NAZARETH ACADEMY	CPA THEATRE
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10:00 am-11:15 am	MULTIMEDIA PRODUCTIONS: LEARN HOW TO USE MOVIE MAKER	BSC-3RD E LOUNGE
10:00 am-11:15 am	PUTTING IT TOGETHER: HOW TO SUCCEED IN BUSINESS	CE 224
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10:00 am-11:15 am	IMPROVISING WITH MAXIMUM ENERGY	COOK 212
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10:00 am-11:15 am	COSTUMING ON A BUDGET	CVA 47B
10:00 am-12:30 pm	IMPROV! SHORT FORM IMPROVISATION FOR FUN AND ACTOR TRAINING	CW 202
10:00 am-11:15 am	WANNA LEARN MORE ABOUT PLAY EVALUATION/RESPONSE?	CW 302
10:00 am-12:30 pm	COMPUTER RENDERING FOR THE STAGE	CW 303A
10:00 am-11:15 am	COLLEGE THEATRE: EXPOSED!!! YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED BY	CW 308
10:00 am-11:15 am	THE SHAKESPEARE BEAT	CW 308A
10:00 am-11:15 am	PUTTING IT TOGETHER: TWELVE DREAMS	MCC 104
10:00 am-12:30 pm	BASIC STAGE COMBAT	MCC 205-LG GYM
10:00 am-11:15 am	HIP HOP 'TIL YOU DROP	MCC 206-SM GYM
10:00 am-11:15 am	WEAPONED STAGE COMBAT: SAFETY'S THE THING	SCH 130
10:00 am-11:15 am	BUILDING THE ENSEMBLE	SCH 238
10:00 am-11:15 am 10:15 am-11:15 am	INTERPLAY IMPROVISATION TECHNIQUE OF CALIFORNIA	SCH 242
10:15 am-11:15 am	GHOST STORIES - HOMEWOOD-FLOSSMOOR HS CUT AND RELATIVE STRANGERS - LOYOLA ACADEMY	CE-ALLEN THEATRE CE-KEMP
10:15 am-11:15 am	CUT AND RELATIVE STRANGERS - LOTOLA ACADEMY CUT - MAHOMET-SEYMOUR HS	METCALF HAYDEN
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11:00 am-12:15 pm	WINGS - NAPERVILLE NORTH HS	CE-WESTHOFF
11:30 am-12:45 pm	MULTIMEDIA PRODUCTIONS: LEARN HOW TO USE MOVIE MAKER	BSC-3RD E LOUNGE
11:30 am-12:45 pm	AUDITION 101	CE 220
11:30 am-12:45 pm	PUTTING IT TOGETHER: MARVIN'S ROOM	CE 224
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11:30 am-12:45 pm	MOVEMENT INVENTION AND IMPROVISATION	CW 302
11:30 am-12:45 pm	COLLEGE THEATRE: EXPOSED!!! YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED BY	CW 308
11:30 am-12:45 pm	THE SHAKESPEARE BEAT	CW 308A
11:30 am-2:00 pm	WARM UP YOUR VOICE FOR REHEARSAL AND PERFORMANCE	MCC 104
11:30 am-12:45 pm	HIP HOP 'TIL YOU DROP	MCC 206-SM GYM
11:30 am-12:45 pm	WEAPONED STAGE COMBAT: SAFETY'S THE THING	SCH 130
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1:00 pm 1:00 pm-2:15 pm	WINGS - NAPERVILLE NORTH HS	CE-WESTHOFF
1:00 pm-2:15 pm	AUDITION 101	CE 220
1:00 pm-2:15 pm	PUTTING IT TOGETHER: THE FANTASTICKS	CE 224
1:00 pm-2:15 pm	IMPROVISATION THEATRE TECHNIQUES FOR TEACHERS	COOK 305
1:00 pm-2:15 pm	DIRECTING STUDENT DIRECTORS	CVA 30
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3:00 pm - 4:15 pm	STAINED, BUT NOT TAINTED!	20
CVA 27	Roger Speidel and Sara Woodworth, Southern Illinois University - Edwardsville Do you want to boost up your set design? Use stained glass windows to dazzle your audience when scene painting and light come together to create a cathedral look. Come for a round table discussion and demonstration of how to use scene painting to create stained glass effects on fabric. Want to play? Come dressed to paint.	
3:00 pm - 4:15 pm	SCENIC PAINTING WITH SIDEWALK CHALK	30
CVA 310	Jim Borrelli, Effingham HS	
	Come and rediscover your childhood, learn to color outside the lines to create some of the most beautiful scenic back drops imaginable. Use both sidewalk chalk and paint to create back drops that are both affordable and beautiful.	
3:00 pm - 4:15 pm	USING PROSTHETICS ON STAGE	20
CVA 47A	Julane Sullivan, All Dressed Up Costumes	
	Need a witch, a wolf, a beast, a winged monkey, or a Who??? Using prosthetics on stage can enhance the technical production qualities of your show. In this hands on workshop, the use and application of prosthetics will be detailed. Types of prosthetics available on the market will be reviewed. Get detailed instruction on how to apply prosthetics, use them in productions effectively, featuring quick changes and on stage changes. Learn to apply the make-up over the prosthetic and how to care for the prosthetic so it can be used again.	
3:00 pm - 4:15 pm	STUDENT DIRECTOR DIALOGUES: LIGHTING	25
CVA 47B	Martin Holden, Lincoln College Effective lighting begins with some basic knowledge. Learn how to use equipment, color, and placement to help tell your story. This session will also cover some simple tricks for both on-stage and back stage lighting.	
3:00 pm - 4:15 pm	BEYOND WORDS: THE ASTONISHING ART OF MIME	50
CW 207	Amanda Brown and Eliot Monaco, The Mime Company	
	The Artistic Directors of The Mime Company will present a demonstration of this powerful, nonverbal art form in performance, followed by a unique, hands-on workshop experience for students and teachers. This is a great physical challenge for actors and directors.	
3:00 pm - 5:30 pm CW 214	TABLOID MONOLOGUES: EXPLORATION OF CREATION AND PERFORMANCE OF MONOLOGUES THROUGH TABLOID STORIES Doug Rosson, Bradley University	35
	Students will create and perform a monologue based on a character from a tabloid story. Participants should bring a copy of a tabloid with them to the workshop (Enquirer, Star, etc.) as well as writing utensils and paper.	
3:00 pm - 4:15 pm	WHY KNOT?	40
CW 301	Tracy Nunnally, Hall Associates Flying Effects	
	The ancient art of knot tying is one of the most important skills for a theatre technician to possess. Knowing the proper knot and how to use it will increase the safety and efficiency in almost every area of theatre technology. Knot-master Tracy Nunnally will teach several basic theatrical knots and show	

you how they are used in our industry.



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3:00 pm - 4:15 pm

SO YOU WANT TO BE A THEATRE EDUCATOR?

30

CW 308

T. J. Velazquez, Julia Macholl, Peter Schwartz, James Furnas and Tom Skobel, Illinois State University Students will gain an understanding of how theatre education functions in educational and professional settings. We will discuss what high school students should look for in theatre education programs when applying to colleges.

3:00 pm - 4:15 pm

COMPUTER SCENE DESIGN USING GOOGLE SKETCHUP

15

CW 315

Otis Sweezey and Jordon Villines, Southern Illinois University - Edwardsville

This hands-on workshop enables the computer user to build and modify 3D models quickly and easily. Google Sketchup is a powerful, yet easy to learn software tool. Free and downloadable to a personal computer, the program reveals the potential for creating scene designs. Schools can add the advanced version to their computer labs for free. Come and explore this new technology.

3:00 pm - 4:15 pm

MIRROR, MIRROR

150

McC 206-Sm Gym

Cyndee Brown, Illinois State University

Just getting started in theatre? Come and explore the ultimate metaphor for theatre and acting - the mirror exercise! See how versatile and challenging this deceptively easy theatre exercise can be.

3:00 pm - 4:15 pm

SERIOUS ABOUT PLAY

75

SCH 238

Lisa Bany-Winters and Josh Andrews, Play On

Let's get serious about playing! This workshop will explore how playing theatre games is useful to the serious actor.

3:00 pm - 4:15 pm

HOW TO BE A PROFESSIONAL ACTOR, INSTEAD OF A WAITER.

100

SCH 242

Alex Miller, Millikin University

Students will learn that it is, in fact, possible to make a living in this field. In a question/answer setting, students may ask questions pertaining to the life of a professional actor, how to market yourself, where to base yourself, the importance of training, and how to reach for the stars while keeping your artistic integrity intact.

3:15 pm - 5:45 pm

HOW TO SUCCEED IN BUSINESS WITHOUT REALLY TRYING - GLENBARD WEST HS

989

UH Stroud

by Loesser, Burrows, Weinstock, & Gilbert



Michael Fox, Director

In this musical, J. Pierrepont Finch uses a little handbook called "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" to climb the corporate ladder from a lowly window washer to high-powered executive. He tackles such familiar but potent dangers as the aggressive, compliant "company man," the boss' whiny nephew, backstabbing co-workers, caffeine addictions and, of course, true love.

3:30 pm - 5:45 pm

MARVIN'S ROOM - DECATUR MACARTHUR HS

100

CE-Allen Studio Theatre



by Scott McPherson Mark Waller, Director

Love is defined in many ways in this play. A woman faced with her own death finds humor and understanding with her dysfunctional family.

3:45 pm - 5:45 pm

LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS - CHAMPAIGN CENTRAL HS

175

CE-Westhoff



by Menken and Ashman LaDonna Wilson, Director

In this B-movie put to stage as a musical, Mushnik's flower shop and employees are dealing with a man-eating plant--Audrey II. The shop has been very successful since the plant arrived, but Seymour needs to feed it blood to keep it thriving. Now he has to figure out a way to keep the plant alive.





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4:15 pm - 5:45 pm

TWELVE DREAMS - CARY-GROVE HS

525

CPA Theatre

by James Lapine



Laura Whalen, Director

Inspired by an actual case history denoted by Carl Jung, the play traces the story of a little New England girl, Emma, who makes a booklet of her dreams which she gives to her psychiatrist father, Charles Hatrick, for Christmas.

4:30 pm - 5:15 pm BSC-Old Main

THE FAN

200



By Bob Randell adapted for the stage by John Muszynski & Kathy Phillips

John Muszynski, Director

You will be on the edge of your seat as you watch this romantic thriller. Based on a novel in letter form, this experiment in live theatre will feature four high school theatre teachers who will only have the opportunity to rehearse this piece as a cast for one hour prior to its performance.

This performance features: Kathy Wandro - Hoffman Estates HS, Tim Ortmann - Niles North HS, John Tilford - Unity HS, and Janine Delmonico - J. Sterling Morton West HS

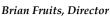
4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

THE FANTASTICKS - OSWEGO EAST HS

700

CPA Concert

by Tom Jones & Harvey Schmidt



The Fantasticks tells the story of a boy, a girl, two fathers and a wall. It is a timeless musical that appeals to parents, children, and teenagers. Accompanied by harp and piano, The Fantasticks is a classic minimusical.

4:30 pm - 5:15 pm Metcalf Hayden

WHATEVER WILL BE, WILL BE - CARL SANDBURG HS

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STUDENT DIRECTOR DIALOGUES: CHARACTER MOTIVATION

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BSC-3rd E Lounge

Elaine Laws, Althoff Catholic HS

Take your peers from the page to the stage. Discover tips and techniques to utilize when given the reigns to direct a show of your own. Learn to motivate, animate, facilitate, and manipulate the young actors in your charge to bring life to the characters they've been chosen to portray.

4:30 pm - 5:45 pm

WHAT IS ITA AND HOW CAN IT MAKE ME A BETTER PROFESSIONAL?

24

BSC-Founder's Suite

John Muszynski and Aimee Lynn Newlan, Illinois Theatre Association

For teachers only. The Illinois Theatre Association (ITA) is the one professional association in the state that unifies and strengthens theatre professionals in all aspects of theatre. Come and find out how ITA can help you and see what great things ITA is doing in the state. You do not need to be an ITA member to attend, just a theatre professional who wants to make a difference. This session will be an open forum and discussion.



FRIDAY

Max # 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm **MONOLOGUE TUNE-UP** 20 CE 220 Martin McClendon, Carthage College Performing monologues is like going to the dentist: nobody likes it but everybody needs to do it. This workshop will help you tune up your monologues and offer suggestions to put the final polish on a memorable performance. Participants should have solid monologues ready to work. 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm PUTTING IT TOGETHER: THE GIFT OF THE MAGI 35 CE 224 The High School of Saint Thomas More Come hear how we put it all together. From the page to the stage and finally traveling with this production to Festival, this workshop will help participants understand the thrills and challenges of a production on the road! 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm **PUTTING YOUR SINGING AUDITION TOGETHER** 100 Cook 212 William Rush, William Rush Voice Consultants The session will focus on how to select and prepare your audition song. Discover some practical do's and don't's to increase chances for success. Participants are urged to bring songs for coaching. **LADIES: FINDING YOUR BELT VOICE** 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm 30 Corinne Ness, Carthage College Cook 305 Sing out! Exercises in this workshop will include group activities aimed at gaining comfort with the belt voice as well as individual coaching of several singers. Students who wish to sing in the master class portion should bring sheet music. The workshop will include a brief overview of belt technique, vocalises for developing belt, and repertoire suggestions for beginning belters. IMPROV MAFIA - IMPROVISATION 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm 50 Cook 308 ISU Improv Mafia, Illinois State University Illinois State University's Improv Mafia would like to invite anyone interested in improvisational comedy to come and learn about the basics of long form improv. We will play improv games and teach particpants how to be a better improviser. THEATRE IS . . . FLEXIBLE SET PIECES 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm 50 CVA 145 Father Dominic Garramone, Saint Bede Academy Need a lot of scenery but have little space? Learn how to design and create multiple-use set pieces that can be used in a variety of scenes and shows. (Carnival, South Pacific, Les Miz, Joseph, Beauty and the Beast and more!) Participants will receive drawings and photos. Both students and teachers should bring their ideas to share as well. 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm STUDENT DIRECTOR DIALOGUES: COSTUMES/PROPS 75 CVA 147 Carol Allen, Mahomet-Seymour HS This workshop is good for student productions, as well as full scale shows and includes demonstrations of how to make and/or design costumes and props (especially geared toward student directors.) STAINED, BUT NOT TAINTED! 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm 20 CVA 27 Roger Speidel and Sara Woodworth, Southern Illinois University - Edwardsville Do you want to boost up your set design? Use stained glass windows to dazzle your audience when scene painting and light come together to create a cathedral look. Come for a round table discussion and demonstration of how to use scene painting to create stained glass effects on fabric. Want to play? Come dressed to paint.





FRIDAY

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integrity intact.

to base yourself, the importance of training, and how to reach for the stars while keeping your artistic



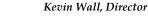
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BSC-Braden





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7:15 pm - 9:45 pm

HOW TO SUCCEED IN BUSINESS WITHOUT REALLY TRYING - GLENBARD WEST HS

989



by Loesser, Burrows, Weinstock, & Gilbert

Michael Fox, Director



In this musical, J. Pierrepont Finch uses a little handbook called "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" to climb the corporate ladder from a lowly window washer to high-powered executive. He tackles such familiar but potent dangers as the aggressive, compliant "company man," the boss' whiny nephew, backstabbing co-workers, caffeine addictions and, of course, true love.

7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS - CHAMPAIGN CENTRAL HS

175

CE-Westhoff

by Menken and Ashman



LaDonna Wilson, Director

In this B-movie put to stage as a musical, Mushnik's flower shop and employees are dealing with a man-eating plant--Audrey II. The shop has been very successful since the plant arrived, but Seymour needs to feed it blood to keep it thriving. Now he has to figure out a way to keep the plant alive.

8:00 pm - 9:30 pm

TWELVE DREAMS - CARY-GROVE HS

525

CPA Theatre

by James Lapine



Laura Whalen, Director

Inspired by an actual case history denoted by Carl Jung, the play traces the story of a little New England girl, Emma, who makes a booklet of her dreams which she gives to her psychiatrist father, Charles Hatrick, for Christmas.

8:00 pm - 8:45 pm

THE FAN

200

BSC-Old Main

By Bob Randell adapted for the stage by John Muszynski & Kathy Phillips

John Muszynski, Director



You will be on the edge of your seat as you watch this romantic thriller. Based on a novel in letter form, this experiment in live theatre will feature four high school theatre teachers who will only have the opportunity to rehearse this piece as a cast for one hour prior to its performance.

This performance features: Kathy Wandro - Hoffman Estates HS, Tim Ortmann - Niles North HS, John Tilford - Unity HS, and Janine Delmonico - J. Sterling Morton West HS

8:00 pm - 9:00 pm

THE FANTASTICKS - OSWEGO EAST HS

700

CPA Concert

by Tom Jones & Harvey Schmidt

Brian Fruits, Director



The Fantasticks tells the story of a boy, a girl, two fathers and a wall. It is a timeless musical that appeals to parents, children, and teenagers. Accompanied by harp and piano, The Fantasticks is a classic mini-

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FRIDAY EVENING ACTIVITIES

FOR STUDENTS

10:00 pm -11:45 pm

EXPO - EXPLOSION

BSC-Lg Prairie Room Come explore! Get twisted with ultimate twister, take a crazy costume glamour shot and personalize your Fest t-shirt. Activities also include: a poster design contest, origami and much, much more! Bring your friends, unwind and have a good time!

10:00 pm -11:45 pm

PORCELAIN STONE

BSC-Lg Prairie

Room

Come listen to a local Bloomington-Normal rock band play a mix of cover music as well as their own work. Bring your friends and get ready to rock!

10:00 pm -11:45 pm

BROADWAY SING-A-LONG

BSC-Old Main

Come join the fun, singing some of your favorite Broadway show tunes. A

great way to end a busy Festival Friday!

10:00 pm -11:45 pm

STUDENT DANCE

McC 205- Lg Gym

Tickets will be available at the Fest Gear booth in the Bone Student Center Brown Rallroom. The dance ticket price is \$5.00 and all tickets must be purchased in

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advance.

10:00 pm -11:45 pm

SCH 130

MONTY PYTHON AND THE HOLY GRAIL

This cult classic film from 1975, tells the story of King Arthur's quest for the Holy Grail. When the knights embark on their quest, hilarity ensues as they encounter a persistent Black Knight, a threeheaded giant, a killer rabbit, and a handful of rude

Frenchmen.

10:00 pm -11:45 pm

ALL-FESTIVAL IMPROV TEAM

Edwards-Capen

Meredith Melville, Chicago Improv Festival and Emily Dugan, Teen Comedy Fest Are you ready for this? Participants from this morning's improv workshops, led by the Chicago Improv Festival and ComedySportz, will perform for you. See the amazing results of three hours of bonding/rehearsing as they explore

the realms of improvisational theatre. This is not a ticketed event.

FOR SPONSORS

10:00 pm -11:45 pm

SPONSOR'S RECEPTION

BSC-Circus Room

The Illinois State University School of Theatre and Illinois Theatre Association host a reception with hors d'oeuvres and beverages in the Circus Room at BSC. All are invited to share refreshments and network with their peers and members of the Illinois Theatre Association.



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WAIT UNTIL DARK - NAZARETH ACADEMY

525

CPA Theatre

by Frederick Knott





Wait Until Dark is a tense thriller, a deadly game of cat and mouse, that will keep you on the edge of your seat until the lights turn off...literally.

10:00 am -12:00 pm

DANCING AT LUGHNASA - MUNDELEIN HS

989

UH Stroud

by Brian Friel



Jonathan Meier, Director

This extraordinary play is the story of five unmarried sisters eeking out their lives in a small village in Ireland in 1936. It is the time of the festival of Lughnasa, which celebrates the pagan god of the harvest with drunken revelry and dancing. Their spare existence is interrupted by brief, colorful bursts of music from the radio, their only link to the romance and hope of the world at large.

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Glenbard West HS

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La Donna Wilson, Champaign Central HS

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CE 229

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10:00 am -11:15 am

IMPROVISING WITH MAXIMUM ENERGY

50

Cook 212

Meredith Melville, Chicago Improv Festival

In this 70 minute workshop, Meredith Melville will help students break out their maximum energy so they can play at full capacity. Meredith will use fun games and powerful exercises to help each student become fully alive whenever they play onstage or in a rehearsal setting. The students ought to be prepared to move around with great physicallity. Meredith Melville is the Education Director for Chicago Improv Festival Productions.





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Cook 308 SINGING FOR MUSICAL THEATRE - THE EASE OF BELTING Bruce Earnest, University of South Dakota This workshop will focus on singing musical theatre safely and powerfully. The concept of belting be presented in an open workshop format. Students are asked to dress comfortably and to bring two contrasting songs to present.		50
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10:00 am -12:30 pm CW 202	IMPROVI SHORT FORM IMPROVISATION FOR FUN AND ACTOR TRAINING Chris Gray, Lincoln College Improv is fun, funny, and a great tool for actor development. Learn basic improvisation techniques and short form games and play along with the Lincoln College Improvisation Team.	30
10:00 am -11:15 am CW 302	WANNA LEARN MORE ABOUT PLAY EVALUATION/RESPONSE? Timothy Ortmann, Niles North HS and Sandra Zielinski, Illinois State University For teachers only. This workshop is the second step in the official workshop sequence for becoming an ITA Certified Respondent for the Festival. Workshop attendees must see one of the Friday performances of Falsettoland. If you did not receive tickets to the performance in your school packet, please see Kurt Steinhauser at the Festival registration desk.	30



Max # 10:00 am -12:30 pm **COMPUTER RENDERING FOR THE STAGE** 10 CW 303A Kevin Bautch, University of Northern Colorado This workshop will focus on rendering applications of Vectorworks, showing possibilities for computer rendering in the presentation of design ideas. Participants will have an opportunity to develop a sample rendering. 10:00 am -11:15 am COLLEGE THEATRE: EXPOSED!!! YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED BY FIRST YEAR COLLEGE STUDENTS 30 CW 308 Steven McQuown and Sonya Roberts, Northwestern University; Charlie Lubeck, U of I; Mallory Backstrom, Missouri; Katie Bayles, Illinois Wesleyan; and Oriane Szekelyhidi, U of I Chicago Interested in pursuing theatre in college? Come to this round-table discussion to have your questions answered by freshman students from these universities. We will discuss the application process, auditions, classes, getting your foot in the door, and more. This is appropriate for students who plan to major, minor, or just be involved in college theatre. 10:00 am -11:15 am THE SHAKESPEARE BEAT 30 CW 308A Herschel Kruger, Carthage College The Shakespeare beat teaches students how to drive through the text and use the energy of the metre. With the use of contemporary music this workshop opens up the endless possibilities for interpretation and performance. PUTTING IT TOGETHER: TWELVE DREAMS 10:00 am -11:15 am 60 McC 104 Cary-Grove HS Come hear how we put it all together. From the page to the stage and finally traveling with this production to Festival, this workshop will help participants understand the thrills and challenges of a production on the road! 10:00 am -12:30 pm **BASIC STAGE COMBAT** 100 McC 205-Lg Gym Allen Mezo, John A. Logan College Learn how to effectively and safely simulate basic combat moves in a theatrical environment. Be able to execute (deliver and receive) realistic punches, blocks, kicks and falls with a partner. Participants should wear comfortable, non-restricting clothing (part of the workshop deals with falling down, so you WILL be on the floor at some point.) 10:00 am -11:15 am **HIP HOP 'TIL YOU DROP** 150 McC 206-Sm Gym Jennifer Burgdorff, Wheeling HS This class combines elements of club and jazz dance with influences from current pop and hip hop artists. Students are encouraged to pick up the choreography given and interpret the moves in varied ways. Offered for all levels of dancers and non-dancers, the workshop will be fast-paced and challenging while allowing students to build upon their creative, rhythmic talents. 10:00 am -11:15 am **WEAPONED STAGE COMBAT: SAFETY'S THE THING** 300 SCH 130 Tim Frawley, Libertyville HS This demonstration will center on safe and effective stage combat, primarily focusing on edged weapons (swords, daggers, knives, etc). Safety techniques for the actor and determining the safety of the weapons will be stressed. 10:00 am -11:15 am **BUILDING THE ENSEMBLE** 75 **SCH 238** Lisa Bany-Winters and Josh Andrews, Play On Learn techniques for creating an ensemble of actors using games and exercises. Directors of Play On,

ensemble-building techniques.

an educational theater company located near Chicago, will lead participants through a variety of





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INTERPLAY IMPROVISATION TECHNIQUE OF CALIFORNIA

100

SCH 242

Diane Rawlinson, Wheeling HS

InterPlay originated in California and is practiced by over 300 certified leaders and thousands of people worldwide. This workshop will focus on the movement and storytelling aspects of InterPlay. Participants will learn to decrease judgment and respond to the unexpected in a fun and non-threatening environment.

10:15 am -11:15 am

GHOST STORIES - HOMEWOOD-FLOSSMOOR HS

100



by Annie Evans

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Dana Coffey, Student Director

Three high school friends re-unite for a camping trip ten years after graduating. Pasts are confronted, secrets are revealed and releationships are defined.

10:15 am -11:15 am CE-Kemp

CUT AND RELATIVE STRANGERS - LOYOLA ACADEMY

189



1. by Ed Monk 2. by Sheri Winter

1. Brianna Kratz, Student Director; 2. Matt Grossbart and Lizzie Wright, Student Directors



1. *Cut* -- A group of actors rehearses a play within a play within a play. As the plot complications multiply, the actors begin to forget who is playing whom and who is the real director -- as opposed to the actor who is playing the director, or vice versa.

2. *Relative Strangers* -- A young airline passenger decides that the woman seated next to her might be the mother she never had. She finds an ally in a wacky stewardess who, unlike the reluctant mother figure, believes these two passengers are a match made in heaven.

10:15 am -11:00 am

CUT- MAHOMET-SEYMOUR HS

327



by Ed Monk

Sara Jahn and Tyler Gegg, Student Directors



Actors rehearse a play within a play within a play. Actors forget who they are playing. They are not sure who is the real director. Things begin to get very confusing, especially when actors become directors and the other way around.

11:00 am -12:15 pm

WINGS - NAPERVILLE NORTH HS

175



by Arthur Kopit

AUDITION 101

Bill Burghardt, Director



A woman, Emily Stenson, has a stroke. The entire production is told from her point of view as a stroke victim.

11:30 am -12:45 pm

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CE 220

Dana Peters and Hannah Binish, Carthage College

20

Many high school students arrive at college not knowing the proper way to audition and what kind of monologues they should choose. This workshop will cover the basics and also, if time permits, critique some monologues that have been prepared and memorized by the students.



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CV/150	This workshop will give high school directors practical ideas for managing student-directed one-acts for performance. Student directed productions are great, especially if you can manage your student directors. This workshop focuses on practical ideas for teachers and how to guide your students through their production process.	
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CW 214	Jeannie Woods, Western Illinois University This workshop is for high school students who might be interested in studying directing. The workshop will include a discussion of what directing involves, what kind of skills are needed, and participatory exercises in some fundamental directing techniques. The workshop will conclude with a question and answer session.	
11:30 am -12:45 pm	GUIDANCE FOR THE MISGUIDED: STUDENT DIRECTORS	40
CW 301	Timothy Ortmann, Niles North HS Discover the basics of directing, at the speed of light! This fun, hands-on session for student directors by students directors, addresses the process of directing from pre-production to the run of the show.	
11:30 am -12:45 pm CW 302	MOVEMENT INVENTION AND IMPROVISATION Janet Neidhardt, Loyola Academy	30
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CW 308	Steven McQuown and Sonya Roberts, Northwestern University; Charlie Lubeck, U of I; Mallory Backstrom, Missouri; Katie Bayles, Illinois Wesleyan; and Oriane Szekelyhidi, U of I Chicago Interested in pursuing theatre in college? Come to this round-table discussion to have your questions answered by freshman students from these universities. We will discuss the application process, auditions, classes, getting your foot in the door, and more. This is appropriate for students who plan to major, minor, or just be involved in college theatre.	



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11:30 am -12:45 pm CW 308A	THE SHAKESPEARE BEAT Herschel Kruger, Carthage College The Shakespeare beat teaches students how to drive through the text and use the energy of the metre. With the use of contemporary music this workshop opens up the endless possibilities for interpretation and performance.	30
11:30 am -2:00 pm McC 104	WARM UP YOUR VOICE FOR REHEARSAL AND PERFORMANCE Connie de Veer, Texas Christian University This workshop will offer participants a thorough voice, diction, and physical warm up using exercises from the Linklater and Alexander Techniques.	60
11:30 am -12:45 pm McC 206-Sm Gym	HIP HOP 'TIL YOU DROP Jennifer Burgdorff, Wheeling HS This class combines elements of club and jazz dance with influences from current pop and hip hop artists. Students are encouraged to pick up the choreography given and interpret the moves in varied ways. Offered for all levels of dancers and non-dancers, the workshop will be fast-paced and challenging while allowing students to build upon their creative, rhythmic talents.	150
11:30 am -12:45 pm SCH 130	WEAPONED STAGE COMBAT: SAFETY'S THE THING Tim Frawley, Libertyville HS This demonstration will center on safe and effective stage combat, primarily focusing on edged weapons (swords, daggers, knives, etc). Safety techniques for the actor and determining the safety of the weapons will be stressed.	300
11:30 am -12:45 pm SCH 238	BUILDING THE ENSEMBLE Lisa Bany-Winters and Josh Andrews, Play On Learn techniques for creating an ensemble of actors using games and exercises. Directors of Play On, an educational theater company located near Chicago, will lead participants through a variety of ensemble-building techniques.	75
11:30 am -12:45 pm SCH 242	INTERPLAY IMPROVISATION TECHNIQUE OF CALIFORNIA Diane Rawlinson, Wheeling HS InterPlay originated in California and is practiced by over 300 certified leaders and thousands of people worldwide. This workshop will focus on the movement and storytelling aspects of InterPlay. Participants will learn to decrease judgment and respond to the unexpected in a fun and non-threatening environment.	100
11:45 am -12:45 pm CE-Allen Studio Theatre	by Annie Evans Dana Coffey, Student Director Three high school friends re-unite for a camping trip ten years after graduating. Pasts are confronted, secrets are revealed and releationships are defined.	100





Max #

11:45 am -12:45 pm **CUT AND RELATIVE STRANGERS - LOYOLA ACADEMY**

189

CE-Kemp

1. by Ed Monk 2. by Sheri Winter



1. Brianna Kratz, Student Director; 2. Matt Grossbart and Lizzie Wright, Student Directors

1. Cut -- A group of actors rehearses a play within a play within a play. As the plot complications multiply, the actors begin to forget who is playing whom and who is the real director -- as opposed to the actor who is playing the director, or vice versa.



2. Relative Strangers -- A young airline passenger decides that the woman seated next to her might be the mother she never had. She finds an ally in a wacky stewardess who, unlike the reluctant mother figure, believes these two passengers are a match made in heaven.

11:45 am -12:45 pm CPA Concert

THE GIFT OF THE MAGI - THE HIGH SCHOOL OF SAINT THOMAS MORE

700



Jodi L. Prosser, Director

by Peter Ekstrom

This heart-warming one-act musical is based on the O. Henry short story which captures the true spirit of giving. A holiday favorite, set in turn-of-the-century New York City, gives us Jim and Della Young, newlyweds approaching their first Christmas together.

11:45 am -12:30 pm

CUT - MAHOMET-SEYMOUR HS

327

Metcalf Hayden

by Ed Monk



Sara Jahn and Tyler Gegg, Student Directors

Actors rehearse a play within a play within a play. Actors forget who they are playing. They are not sure who is the real director. Things begin to get very confusing, especially when actors become directors and the other way around.

1:00 pm -2:15 pm

WINGS - NAPERVILLE NORTH HS

175



by Arthur Kopit

Bill Burghardt, Director

A woman, Emily Stenson, has a stroke. The entire production is told from her point of view as a stroke victim.

1:00 pm -2:15 pm

AUDITION 101

20

CE 220

Dana Peters and Hannah Binish, Carthage College

Many high school students arrive at college not knowing the proper way to audition and what kind of monologues they should choose. This workshop will cover the basics and also, if time permits, critique some monologues that have been prepared and memorized by the students.

1:00 pm -2:15 pm CE 224

PUTTING IT TOGETHER: THE FANTASTICKS

35

Oswego East HS

Come hear how we put it all together. From the page to the stage and finally traveling with this production to Festival, this workshop will help participants understand the thrills and challenges of a production on the road!



Max #

1:00 pm -2:15 pm Cook 305

IMPROVISATION THEATRE TECHNIQUES FOR TEACHERS

30

Emily Dugan, Teen Comedy Fest

In this 70 minute long workshop for teachers, Emily Dugan will share how to teach improv to high schools students. She'll share tips on working with students who are both beginners and experienced at improvisation. She will also share ideas on how to intregrate improvisation into the actor's process. Emily Dugan is the Artistic Director of Chicago Improv Festival Productions' Teen Comedy Fest. She is also the Director of Outreach and the Artistic Director of the School of the Arts from the Beverly Arts Center. She has also created and directed several youth performances at the Beverly Arts Center. This class will be restricted to teachers. The workshop is limited to 30 teachers.

1:00 pm -2:15 pm

DIRECTING STUDENT DIRECTORS

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CVA 30

Ann Witting, TF South HS

25

This workshop will give high school directors practical ideas for managing student-directed one-acts for performance. Student directed productions are great, especially if you can manage your student directors. This workshop focuses on practical ideas for teachers and how to guide your students through their production process.

1:00 pm -2:15 pm

BUT WHAT I REALLY WANT TO DO IS DIRECT -- I THINK!

35

CW 214

Jeannie Woods, Western Illinois University

33

This workshop is for high school students who might be interested in studying directing. The workshop will include a discussion of what directing involves, what kind of skills are needed, and participatory exercises in some fundamental directing techniques. The workshop will conclude with a question and answer session.

1:00 pm -2:15 pm

GUIDANCE FOR THE MISGUIDED: STUDENT DIRECTORS

40

CW 301

Timothy Ortmann, Niles North HS

40

Discover the basics of directing, at the speed of light! This fun, hands-on session for student directors by students directors, addresses the process of directing from pre-production to the run of the show.

1:00 pm -2:15 pm

MOVEMENT INVENTION AND IMPROVISATION

30

CW 302 Janet N

Janet Neidhardt, Loyola Academy

This class will help students learn how to create movement through improvisation and various choreographic tools. Students will find connections between movement and acting through exploration of gestures and their bodies in space.

1:15 pm -2:15 pm

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2:00 pm - 4:30 pm

ALL-STATE PRODUCTION 2008 - PARADE

BSC-Braden

Kevin Wall, Director



Atlanta, Georgia, 1913. A Jewish man from Brooklyn stands accused of the murder of a young factory worker. Based on the true story of Leo Frank, *PARADE* recalls the press frenzy and public hatred surrounding the trial, and his wife's crusade for justice. In a time of religious intolerance, political injustice and racial tension, this musical explores the endurance of love and hope against all the odds. *PARADE* is the winner of two Tony Awards for Book and Score, and also the Drama Desk and New York Critics' Circle Awards for Best Musical.





PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR TEACHERS

Teachers have two types of professional development opportunities through their participation in Festival activities: Graduate Credit Courses through Illinois State University and CPDUs are available through the Illinois Theatre Association, which are approved providers.

The School of Theatre at Illinois State University is going to extend graduate offerings in conjunction with the Festival in 2008. The following opportunities are available this year.

- 1. Theatre 408 (Directed Projects). Spring 2008 1–4 hours credit may be earned for directing a project (Full-Length or Showcase; the project need not be selected for presentation at the Festival), presenting a Festival workshop, responding to Full-Length or Showcase productions at other schools for Festival 2008, or directing a spring-semester production.
- 2. Theatre 309 (Directed Projects). Spring 2008 1–3 hours credit may be earned for design work (costumes, scenery, sound, lights, props) for any project entered for the response process in the Festival or Springwork. Again, the project need not be selected for Festival performance.

3. Theatre 493.01 (Workshop in Theatre as an Interscholastic Activity in the Secondary Schools). Spring 2008. 2 hours credit for this course (which is repeatable) is generated through workshops and a program attended during the Festival and does not interfere with the teacher's responsibilities to students. This workshop carries graduate-level credit and is a recognized elective in the Master's program. If the outline of course content is required for administrators, please contact the School of Theatre at Illinois State University.

Teachers registering for the above courses do not have to be admitted to a formal degree program at Illinois State University. Credits are transferable to other degree programs. All are repeatable.

Grad Credit Information: Sandra Zielinski Illinois State University 309-438-8783 (Theatre Office) 800-898-6987 skzieli@ilstu.edu

CPDU Information: Aimee-Lvnn Newlan Illinois Theatre Association aimeelynn@woway.com

WORKSHOPS RECOMMENDED FOR TEACHERS AND FACULTY

FRIDAY:	8:00am 9:00am 10:30am 12:00pm 12:00pm 12:00pm 1:30pm 1:30pm 1:30pm 3:00pm 3:00pm 4:30pm 4:30pm	Graduate Credit Informational Meeting Creating an Ensemble in Classroom/Cast/Club Licensing In-and-Out: Royalties, Rights, and Scripts Creating an Ensemble in Classroom/Cast/Club Creative and Effective Facility Management Creating and Producing Original Musicals Creating an Ensemble in Classroom/Cast/Club Creative and Effective Facility Management Creating and Producing Original Musicals Does Our Show Get To Go To Festival? Resources for Musical Theatre Putting it Together: The Odd Couple Graduate Course Informational Meeting What is ITA and How Can It Make Me a Better Professional
SATURDAY:	9:00am	Graduate Credit Informational Meeting

10:00am Wanna Learn More About Play Evaluation/Response?

10:00am Putting it Together: How to Succeed in Business without Really Trying

10:00am Putting it Together: Twelve Dreams 10:00am Becoming a Theatre Advocate Fundraising 101 10:00am

11:30am Becoming a Theatre Advocate

11:30am Fundraising 101

11:30am Putting it Together: Marvin's Room 11:30pm **Directing Student Directors** 1:00pm Putting it Together: The Fantasticks

Improvisation Theatre Techniques for Teachers 1:00pm

DON'T FORGET: In addition to these workshops, come to the Hospitality Room in the Founder's Suite of the Bone Student Center. It's a great place to network and share with peers throughout the Festival.



PROFILES OF SCHOOLS PRESENTING PRODUCTIONS

Carl Sandburg High School (*Whatever Will Be,Will Be*) produces a fall play, spring musical, and one acts. Thespian Troupe #1571 supports all theatrical performances.

Cary-Grove High School (*Twelve Dreams*) is located in Cary, a small community nestled near the Fox River, approximately fifty miles northwest of Chicago. The school has a population of about 1,600 students.

Champaign Central High School (*Little Shop of Horrors*) has 1,400 students and approximately 100 are involved in theatre productions. There is one teacher on staff for the drama program who teaches one introductory and one advanced class in acting. Champaign is a university community, but Central is more of a small urban environment.

Decatur-MacArthur High School (*Marvin's Room*) is a school of 1,300 plus students. The drama program is completely self-supporting/funding and does approximately four shows per year.

Edwardsville High School (*The Greatest Generation*) is home to over 2,400 students where more than 200 enjoy participating in extracurricular and classroom theatre. One hundred students are enrolled in theatre classes and two hundred students work the full-length productions. EHS produces a Thespian show, a fall production, a student written and directed Christmas show, a spring musical, and Theatre Arts class productions, along with serving the district with drama workshops for fine arts days and other community requests.

Glenbard East High School (*Minnesota Moon*) has an active theatre/speech program. Courses include Intro to Speech with Advanced Technologies, Intro to Theatre, Acting, Design for Theatre, Stagecraft, and Analysis of Film and Television Production. The program produces four main stage shows per year.

Glenbard West High School (How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying) mounts five productions each year including three main stage shows (a musical, comedy and a drama) and two studio shows (including a series of original plays written by students). The school is located in Glen Ellyn, a small town in the far western suburbs of Chicago. The school has approximately 2,000 students and over 150 students are involved in the Glenbard West theatre program. Intro to Theatre and Advanced Acting are course offerings. Three faculty members are involved with the theatre

program throughout the year and several others assist with the fall musical. There is also a student run improvisation troupe called That One Group that performs several times throughout the year.

Homewood-Flossmoor High School (*Ghost Stories*) is located in south suburban Flossmoor. H-F is a large, culturally diverse public high school with a student body of just under 3,000. Approximately 300 students are involved in both curricular and extra-curricular programming. Five theatre courses are currently offered, including: Acting, Play Production, Advanced Theatre Performance, Technical Theatre, and Dramatic Literature and Composition. In 2007, H-F Theatre produced *Rabbit Hole, Lysistrata* (State Champion Group Interpretation), *A Midsummer Night's Dream, Seussical, Once On This Island* (2007 Edinburgh Fringe Festival), *Anonymous, Ghost Stories*, and *A Chorus Line*. The Theatre Staff includes three directors, a technical director, and a costumer.

Lakes Community High School (*Snow Angel*) is an out-of-school program run by one person with a few support staff. Approximately 80-100 students participate in the drama program.

Loyola Academy HIgh School (*Relative Strangers/Cut*) is a private, Jesuit, co-educational, college preparatory school of 2,000 students located in Wilmette, just north of Chicago. Each year almost 200 students participate in the co-curricular theatre program. An additional 150 students enroll in seven courses offered.

Mahomet-Seymour High School (*Cut*) has 130+ students in the drama club, with a school attendance of around 800. The Thespian Troupe began in 1973. This year the program has added support through the newly formed Drama Boosters. Performed in the fall were *You Can't Take It With You* and the annual Children's Christmas play. In 2008 Mahomet-Seymour will present the Variety Show, student-directed one-acts and an annual spring musical.

Mundelein High School (Dancing at Lughnasa) is located forty miles north of Chicago. The school has approximately 2,100 students; roughly 50 students make up the Drama Department. MHS produces three shows per school year, including a spring musical. Some plays produced over the last few years include The Laramie Project, Marvin's Room, Charley's Aunt, Crimes of the Heart, A Few Good Men and Beyond Therapy. Musicals have included Working, Chicago and Into the Woods. Theatre classes at MHS include Theatre 1,



Theatre 2 and Technical Theatre. Jonathan Meier teaches all theatre classes and directs all the shows. David Mork is the Set Designer and Sara Gunther is the Light Designer.

Naperville North High School (*Wings*) performs six annual theatre performances: a summer show in September after Labor Day (students are cast over the summer and learn lines/rehearse periodically over the summer); a fall show, a children's play in December, a musical in March, and a spring show in late April. The school also presents student directed one acts toward the end of May. Naperville North offers Acting, Advanced Acting and Play Production, and has an active Theatre Club of about 60 that meets bi-weekly. Staff includes a Stage Director, Technical Director, Costume Director, and two faculty members who coordinate the Theatre Club and Theatre Fest. Naperville is a large suburb west of Chicago.

Nazareth Academy (Wait Until Dark) is a Catholic co-educational college preparatory school with approximately 775 students. The theatre program has an annual participation of approximately 200 students per show. The school does two full length shows and one children's play each year. There are three Acting Classes: Acting I, Advanced Acting, and Acting III/ Directing. Two teachers are involved in the program. The community serves the Chicago city area and a wide Chicago suburban area.

Neuqua Valley High School (Romeo and Juliet) involves over 350 students in their theatre program who perform six shows each year including a fall play, a children's play, a winter play, a spring musical, a freshman show, and a student-written monologue performance. This year's season includes Romeo and Juliet, Cinderella, Tapestries: A Celebration of Black History, Guys and Dolls, Freshman One-Acts, and the annual Monologue Show. Additionally, Neuqua offers two theatre arts classes:Theatre Arts I (focusing on performance) and Theatre Arts II (focused on technical theatre and production).

Niles North High School (*Falsettoland*) is located just north of Chicago in Skokie and has an enrollment of 2,500 students. With 200+ students involved in theatre, Niles North offers eight semesters of drama and a seven-play season (including a musical, children s play, drama, comedy, period play, and a student-produced play).

Oswego East High School (*The Fantasticks*) is currently in its fourth year since opening in 2003. Currently, the student population is over 2,000 strong. Oswego East offers several theatre courses such as Theatre Arts I & II, Technical Theatre I & II, Oral Interpretation of Literature, Film Studies. There are also specific acting/directing course studies offered to upperclassmen upon approval. The OEHS Theatre Drama Department is proudly run by Mr. Brian Fruits who has been with the school since its conception. The Performing Arts Center is used for both educational and community rentals throughout the year. The Oswego Community of 16,000+ contains the intimate feeling of small town, yet is vastly growing year to year.

Resurrection High School (*B.A.F.L.*) is a college preparatory school for young women. Situated on the northwest side of Chicago, Resurrection has an enrollment of 750 with more than 125 students active in drama. The school produces two main stage shows, a Christmas program, a variety show and a Fine Arts Festival production along with special event projects such as Breakfast with Santa and Afternoon with the Easter Bunny. Students are able to complete a four year program in drama. Courses include Speech, Acting I, Acting II, Drama Honors and Advanced Drama Honors. Students are afforded the opportunity to compete on the Forensics Team in Individual Events.

The High School of Saint Thomas More (*The Gift of the Magi*) has 385 students. The school has an average of seventy-five students involved in the productions. The program generally includes only a spring musical, but is growing and this is the first year a fall show has been produced. In the future, the school hopes to offer a fall play, a spring musical, and possibly a children's show and student directed projects. The High School of St. Thomas More also offers a summer musical theatre camp for younger students. Currently the theatre program is run by a drama director and the music teacher. We have a drama club and Thespian troupe, which were both started in the 2006-2007 school year. This is our first year to take a group to Theatre Fest

Waubonsie Valley High School (*The Odd Couple - female version*) includes 4,000+ students, with 200+ students in the theatre program. The program produces three main stage productions per year, including a spring musical, one contest play, student-directed one-acts, and group interpretation. Waubonsie Valley High School offers two Theatre Arts I classes and one Theatre Arts II class. There are five teachers involved with the theatre program.



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PLAN YOUR FESTIVAL SCHEDULE

Use the form below to help plan out your schedule.	
Name	School

FRIDAY	EVENT TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
9:00am - 10:30am			
10:30am - 12:00pm			
12:00pm - 1:30pm			
1:30pm - 3:00pm			
3:00pm - 4:30pm			
4:30pm - 6:00pm			
6:00pm - 7:00pm			
7:00pm - 10:00pm			
10:00pm - 11:45 pm			
SATURDAY	EVENT TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
9:30am - 11:30am			
11:30am - 1:00pm			
1:00pm - 2:00pm			
2:00pm			

The All-State Production of *Parade*, is being performed on Friday at 7:00pm and on Saturday at 9:30am and 2:00pm. Please note the performance for which your school has been assigned.

NOTES





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Be the first to correctly identify what plays the lines on the Festival program cover are from and turn this form into Fest Gear for your chance to win a prize.

Name	School
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Conviction	Needed
Creation	Passion
Culture	Play
Destiny	Possibilities
Differences	Reflective
Dreams	Self
Escape	Sensation
Freedom	Strength
Heart	Tradition
Home	Trust
Imagination	Truth
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Life	



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Director and Production team during this year's Festival at:

Friday, 12 Noon or 1:30pm in Schroeder 130