

JOIN FRIENDS OF THE THEATRE!

Now in its 18th year!

FRIENDS OF THE THEATRE 2021-22 Registration Form



From the 2020-21 Production: *An American House*

Your contribution to **Friends of the Theatre** not only gets you great entertainment, it also fosters the advancement of SMSU's Theatre Program.

Your support:

- helps increase learning opportunities for students,
- supplements production costs when needed, and
- provides funding for guest artists, special projects, facilities improvement, and equipment.

Your participation in **Friends of the Theatre** ensures that the Theatre Program can continue to serve as a cultural, educational, and entertainment resource for the community and region.

COVID-19

We continue to monitor the COVID-19 situation and will follow the latest public safety guidelines to keep our audiences, performers, and production staff safe.



From the 2020-21 Production: *Peter and the Starcatcher*

Check our website, Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter for updates on SMSU Theatre events throughout the year!



2021-22 SEASON

Pinkalicious: The Musical

Book by Elizabeth Kann & Victoria Kann. Music by John Gregor; Lyrics by John Gregor, Elizabeth Kann & Victoria Kann
October 28-31 and November 5-7, 2021

Pinkalicious Pinkerton ignores her parents' warnings and eats so many pink cupcakes that she turns pink from head to toe! The doctor orders Pinkalicious to eat only green foods to cure her Pinkitis, but she just can't resist one more cupcake! Will her little brother Peter help Pinkalicious find her true colors? What will Pinkalicious and her family learn from this wild experience? Come see this charming musical adaptation of the popular book and find out!

Personal History

By Dominic Taylor

December 9-12, 2021

Playing with time, *Personal History* imagines an African-American couple navigating three moments in American life. From 1903 to 1953 to 1996, the play explores what life would be like for Eugene and Bethany in each of these times, as they interact with an evolving society, confronting issues of race and class, as well as the dynamics of their own personal relationship.

The Cherry Orchard

By Anton Chekhov

April 4-10, 2022

Our first-ever production of a full-length Chekhov play! Alternately funny and poignant, *The Cherry Orchard* follows the Gaev family as they decide the fate of their cash-poor estate and its beautiful orchard. Colorful personalities and clashing ideals complicate matters, against a backdrop of social and economic transition that signals the end of the family's way of life.



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Friends Gift Levels

Gift	Club	Reward
\$25	Apprentice	2 ticket vouchers* <small>*(age 25 & under or SMSU grad within last 5 years)</small>
\$75	Actor	3 ticket vouchers
\$125	Designer	6 ticket vouchers
\$250	Director	9 ticket vouchers
\$500	Producer	12 ticket vouchers and Theatre web page listing
\$1000	Angel	15 ticket vouchers and Theatre web page listing

All club levels include program recognition.

Ticket vouchers are good for performances only. Additional charge will apply for dinner theatre.

Production Underwriter \$5,000 PER PRODUCTION

Our season provides a great opportunity to build and strengthen positive ties with the community. Underwriter benefits include:

- 20 ticket vouchers for 2022-22 SMSU Theatre performances, and
- acknowledgements on the Theatre web page and show posters, in social media posts, media releases, and radio interviews, and in a lobby display during the run of the show.

If you would like to underwrite a production, please call the SMSU Theatre at 507-537-7103.

Name: _____

Name(s) as you wish to be recognized in programs:

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

____ Check here if you wish to remain anonymous.

GIFT LEVEL:

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| ____ Apprentice (\$25) | ____ Producer (\$500) |
| ____ Actor (\$75) | ____ Angel (\$1000) |
| ____ Designer (\$125) | ____ Other \$ _____ |
| ____ Director (\$250) | ____ Production Underwriter |

PAYMENT OPTIONS:

- ____ Check Enclosed (Payable to SMSU Foundation)
 ____ Monthly Electronic Fund Transfer (EFT)

Please send me information on signing up for EFT.

____ Charge my credit card: __ Visa __ MC __ AMEX

Credit Card #: _____

Expiration Date: ____ / ____ (MM/YY)

Signature: _____

MATCHING GIFT PLAN:

____ This gift will be matched by my employer.

Company Name: _____

Please check your employer's matching gift requirements since some companies do not match all gifts.

SMSU PAYROLL DEDUCTION:

____ I authorize my employer, Southwest Minnesota State University, to deduct from my earnings my contribution to become a member of Friends of the Theatre. Salary deductions will be equally distributed from 09/28/2021 to 05/10/2022.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

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SMSU Foundation
 c/o Friends of the Theatre
 1501 State Street, Marshall MN 56258



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A Season of
TRANSITIONS

Join Friends of the Theatre for the 2021-2022 Season