

LAST YEAR'S.



August 2016

Stage North Theatre Society invites you to joins us in 2017 to celebrate 40 Years of live theatre in Fort St. John. A special line-up of plays for the 2016-2017 includes two musicals, a mystery farce, a black comedy, a light comedy and a crime-drama dinner theatre. Stage North is also co-producing a Christmas classic with Studio2Stage.

**We invite you to be a sponsor of this exciting season of local, live theatre. As a Sponsor of the Stage North's 2016-2017 season, you will be supporting local talent and providing quality entertainment for the entire North Peace. Attached is the Sponsorship Information. Stage North Theatre Society requires community support to keep theatre alive and thriving in Fort St. John and area.**

Stage North productions will be staged in the North Peace Cultural Centre, the Evangel Chapel and the Pomeroy Hotel. Thanks to the generosity of Surerus Pipelines, Stage North continues to have space for rehearsals and set construction at an affordable rental rate. With space to work, Stage North provides training opportunities for budding thespians in acting and technical skills.

Stage North produces quality theatre entertainment for the residents of the area and introduces career opportunities for young people. Workshops in directing, lighting, sound, set design and construction help volunteers to learn skills which they use in other activities in the community. Stage North members repeatedly assist productions staged by other community groups.

We invite you to be "Front Row Centre" in this season's performances. Please consider a sponsorship for the 2016-2017 season.

Sincerely, The Board of Directors: Paul Swartz Vice President, Emry Mika Secretary, Sue Popesku Treasurer, and Directors Matt Preprost, Kevin Smith, Teela Gould and Twyla Jordan

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Stage North continues the 2017 year celebrating the 40<sup>th</sup> year. Stage North was formed in 1977 in conjunction with the Northern Lights College Drama Department. *The Alcan Craze of '42* starts off the season by bringing back the shock and awe of the residents of Fort St. John when 10,000 US soldiers invaded the Peace Country to build the Alaska Highway. A Christmas special for the entire family will top off the year and the season continues into 2018 with a comedy of Italian proportions when *Tony and Tina's Wedding* is presented in a Dinner Theatre co-produced by the Fort St. John Rotary Club. The Spring Show is *Mary's Wedding* set in WWI about love, hope and survival and will also be the Theatre Festival Entry.

Stage North 2017-18 productions will be staged in the North Peace Cultural Centre or the Northern Grand Hotel. Thanks to the generosity of Surerus Pipelines, Stage North continues to have space for rehearsals and set construction at an affordable rental rate. With space to work, Stage North provides training opportunities for budding thespians in acting and technical skills. Stage North produces quality theatre entertainment for the residents of the area and introduces career opportunities for young people. Anyone can take part. Workshops in directing, lighting, sound, set design and construction help volunteers to learn skills which they use in other activities in the community. Members also assist productions staged by other community groups.

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Join us as a Sponsor of the Stage North's 2018-19 season of fun and dramatic plays live on stage in Fort St. John. You will be supporting local talent and providing quality entertainment for the entire North Peace. Stage North Theatre Society requires community support to keep theatre alive and thriving in the North Peace.



From Shakespeare, like you have never seen it before, to the dramatic Edward Albee's *Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf*, Stage North players have many surprises in store this season. Game players will particularly like *She Kills Monsters*. The Christmas classic of *The Nutcracker*, favored by children and adults alike, and *Tony and Tina's Wedding*, a comedy of Italian proportions, will be co-produce with Studio2Stage and the Fort St. John Rotary Club respectively.



Stage North 2018-19 productions will be staged in the North Peace Cultural Centre with one production at the retrofitted Stage North "The Space". Thanks to the generosity of Surerus Pipelines, Stage North continues to have "The Space" for rehearsals and set construction at an affordable rental rate. With space to work, Stage North provides training opportunities for budding thespians in acting and technical skills as well as an intimate venue for an audience of sixty people.



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