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GALION COMMUNITY THEATRE



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Hello!

HOW DOES YOUR SUPPORT LEAVE A LASTING IMPACT ON GCT AND OUR COMMUNITY?

Galion Community Theatre was incorporated as a 501(c)(3) organization in 1984 and purchased the Galion Theatre in 1993. Our organization is governed by a fifteen-member, volunteer board of directors which oversees, maintains, and repairs the theatre; raises funding; and produces an annual season of theatrical productions and community-centered events.

Our 2024 Season will be a celebration of 40 YEARS of entertainment, education, performing, growth, and inspiration! GCT has long endeavored to develop and foster a community appreciation for the performing arts. In doing so, we've touched the lives of thousands of people who have performed on this stage and who have filled the seats in our theatre. This year will be an opportunity to shed light on where we started, and to continue momentum and excitement for where we plan to go.

The past few years have been a time for regrowth and reinvigoration, and we are incredibly appreciative for the support we have received from our community. We are privileged to be able to continue providing our audiences with quality productions and to collaborate with other local organizations in order to make Galion a vibrant place in which to live.

Throughout 2023 alone, GCT will have produced four theatrical productions, six live concerts with local musicians, twelve family movies, and special events including Christmas at The Galion, Amplified Expressions, Manhattan Short Film Festival, and our Membership Celebration. Without community partners and sponsors, this would not be possible. We are proud to provide these experiences, and we are grateful for the support to do so.

Your investment in Galion Community Theatre is an investment in bringing entertainment, education, and fulfillment to our performers, audiences, volunteers, and community as a whole. Sponsor dollars make this mission possible.

Beyond our own productions, we actively seek ways to help support and bolster other members of our community. GCT has partnered with the Galion History Center, the Galion-Crestline Area Chamber of Commerce, Galion High School Performing Arts, Three Bean Coffee House, 1803 Brewery & Taproom, the Galion Public Library, Bistro 217, the Crawford County Prevention Coalition, and so many more. We know that for GCT to succeed, our whole community must succeed. If sponsorship is not an option for your business or organization, we would love to talk with you about a way we can partner and create something exciting for both of our entities and for our community members.

GCT cannot wait to partner with you this year. Please read through the following materials, and consider joining us in our efforts to serve our community.

**BETH ANNE JARVIS, GCT BOARD OF DIRECTORS
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OUR MISSION

Galion Community Theatre was formed to develop a community appreciation for the performing arts; produce dramas, musicals, and community productions; support the performing arts department of local school districts; and build a working relationship between adults and youth in all its activities.

OUR 40th SEASON

Winter Play

February 16, 17, 23, 24, & 25

"CLUE"
A COMEDY

Summer Musical

June 21, 22, 28, 29, & 30

"THE SOUND OF MUSIC"
A CLASSIC

Youth Production

July 26 & 27 and August 2, 3, & 4

"THE ADDAMS FAMILY"
A MUSICAL COMEDY

Christmas Play

December 6, 7, 13, 14, & 15

"IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE"
A LIVE RADIO PLAY

Concerts at The Galion

Live, local bands for all to enjoy!

Movies at The Galion

A monthly, year-long series!

Season Advertising

A Low-Cost, Year-Long Advertising Opportunity!

Partnership & Special Events

Let's talk about how you can help outside on monetary sponsorship!

WINTER PLAY

CLUE: ON STAGE

FEBRUARY 16, 17, 23, 24, & 25

DIRECTED BY CRYSTAL EBNER

STAGE MANAGED BY RACHEL JARVIS

Based on the iconic 1985 Paramount movie which was inspired by the classic Hasbro board game, Clue is a hilarious farce-meets-murder mystery. The tale begins at a remote mansion, where six mysterious guests assemble for an unusual dinner party where murder and blackmail are on the menu. When their host turns up dead, they all become suspects. Led by Wadsworth – the butler, Miss Scarlet, Professor Plum, Mrs. White, Mr. Green, Mrs. Peacock and Colonel Mustard race to find the killer as the body count stacks up. Clue is the comedy whodunit that will leave both cult-fans and newcomers in stitches as they try to figure out...WHO did it, WHERE, and with WHAT! Some restrictions may apply.

A Word from the Director

This show is my directorial debut, and I could not be happier with what show it will be. Clue has not just been a long-time favorite of mine, but it has also been a hilarious movie that my entire family can laugh at together. I'm thrilled to bring that to GCT!

As I prepare for my first stint in the director role, it makes me think about just how impactful and enriching community theatre can be for individuals. I began at GCT bringing my kiddos to rehearsals, and I saw them begin to grow in confidence and build not only great skills both on and off stage. I can't wait to learn even more through this process and bring a great cast along for the ride!

With the play, we are planning some accompanying events to help promote the show (& fun!) Let us know if you are interested.



Listed on all social media posts/event listing & website

Full Slide Ad on Pre-Show Screens

Logo on show program, show posters, and newsletters

Invitation for up to 15 to attend our tech final rehearsal

Opportunity to have a presence at the production

Up to 8 tickets to the production

Advertised as Presenting Sponsor on the Marquee

PRESENTING (\$1,500)

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CLUE: ON STAGE is based on the 1985 film "Clue" based on the 1949 murder mystery board game.



GALION COMMUNITY THEATRE

WINTER PLAY

SUMMER MUSICAL

THE SOUND OF MUSIC

JUNE 21, 22, 28, 29, & 30

DIRECTED/CHOREOGRAPHED BY BETH ANNE JARVIS

STAGE MANAGED BY CHARLES ADCOCK

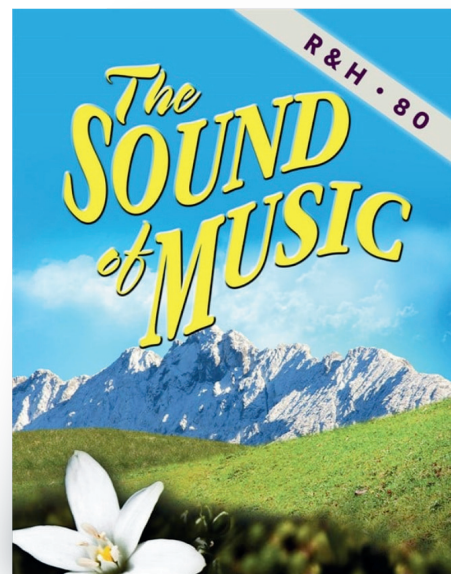
The final collaboration between Rodgers & Hammerstein was destined to become the world's most beloved musical. Featuring a trove of cherished songs, including "Climb Ev'ry Mountain," "My Favorite Things," "Do-Re-Mi," and the title number, The Sound of Music won the hearts of audiences worldwide, earning five Tony Awards and five Oscars. The inspirational story, based on the memoir of Maria Augusta Trapp, follows a cheerful, novice nun who serves as governess to the seven children of the authoritative Captain von Trapp, bringing music and joy to the household. But as the forces of Nazism take hold of Austria, Maria and the entire von Trapp family must make a moral decision.

A Word from the Director

Community theatre is so much more than what it seems. Our organization allows adults to continue their passions in the arts, or to try something new that they never thought they could do before. GCT helps people make new connections and continue to flourish.

When planning GCT's 40th Anniversary Season, our board thought that it was only right to look back at where we began. "The Sound of Music" is a classic musical that everyone knows and loves, but more than that, it is the reason GCT is here in our community at all. This musical, and the individuals who brought it about, are why Galion Community Theatre is a vital piece of the community and how so many lives were impacted.

In addition to producing our summer musical as normal, we will be celebrating our anniversary with some special events, so be sure to follow along.



*"Climb every mountain,
Ford every stream,
Follow every rainbow,
'Till you find your dream"*

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Up to 8
tickets to the
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TWO 2024 SEASON MEMBERSHIPS (CHOREOGRAPHER LEVEL)

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CONTRIBUTING (\$500)

Kim Spencer as Maria von Trapp in
GCT's Inaugural Production, "The Sound
of Music," in the summer of 1984.



GALION COMMUNITY THEATRE

SUMMER MUSICAL

YOUTH PRODUCTION

THE ADDAMS FAMILY

JULY 26 & 27 AND AUGUST 2, 3, & 4

DIRECTED BY RACHEL JARVIS

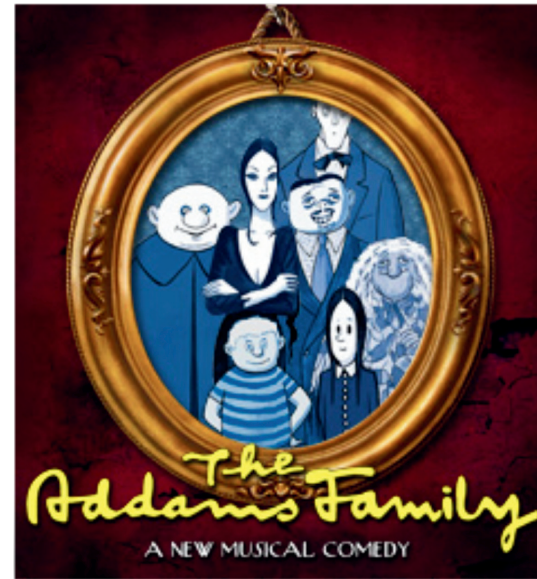
MUSIC DIRECTED BY AMY JARVIS

THE ADDAMS FAMILY, a comical feast that embraces the wackiness in every family, features an original story and it's every father's nightmare: Wednesday Addams, the ultimate princess of darkness, has grown up and fallen in love with a sweet, smart young man from a respectable family— a man her parents have never met. And if that wasn't upsetting enough, Wednesday confides in her father and begs him not to tell her mother. Now, Gomez Addams must do something he's never done before— keep a secret from his beloved wife, Morticia. Everything will change for the whole family on the fateful night they host a dinner for Wednesday's "normal" boyfriend and his parents.

A Word from the Director

One of the most rewarding things we get to do at Galion Community Theatre is produce our annual youth production. It is amazing to watch brand new actors take their first steps onto the stage, flourish as performers, and return year after year to hone their skills and pursue their passion for the arts. We take pride in the fact that these performers put on a production each year that is not just a show for their families to watch, but is a show to be enjoyed by all who love good theatre.

Not only that, but our annual youth production provides our young actors with community. The bonds they form with their fellow actors and stage crew last a lifetime. They build friendships, improve their self-confidence, foster their creativity, and find a place where they feel safe to be whatever they want to be, onstage and offstage.



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Full Slide Ad on Pre-Show Screens

Logo on show program, show posters, and newsletters

Invitation for up to 20 to attend our tech final rehearsal

Opportunity to have a presence at the production

Up to 10 tickets to the production

Advertised as Presenting Sponsor on the Marquee

PRESENTING (\$2,000)

TWO 2024 SEASON MEMBERSHIPS (CHOREOGRAPHER LEVEL)

Listed on all social media posts/event listing & website

1/2 Slide Ad on Pre-Show Screens

Logo on show program, show posters, and newsletters

Invitation for up to 10 to attend our tech final rehearsal

Up to 5 tickets to the production

SUPPORTING (\$1,000)

Listed on all social media posts/event listing & website

1/2 Slide Ad on Pre-Show Screens

Logo on show program, show posters, and newsletters

CONTRIBUTING (\$500)

In 2023, GCT saw students from 5 schools in 3 different school districts participate in "Once Upon A Mattress." GCT's goal is to involve even more youth in as many current activities and new initiatives as possible.



GALION COMMUNITY THEATRE

YOUTH PRODUCTION

CHRISTMAS PLAY

IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE

DECEMBER 6, 7, 13, 14, & 15

DIRECTED BY KEITH RAMSDELL

ASSISTANT DIRECTED BY BETH ANNE JARVIS

This beloved American holiday classic comes to captivating life as a live 1940s radio broadcast. With the help of an ensemble that brings a few dozen characters to the stage, the story of idealistic George Bailey unfolds as he considers ending his life one fateful Christmas Eve.

A Word from the Director

I'm so excited to return to GCT for this 40th Anniversary season to direct *It's a Wonderful Life: A Live Radio Play*. My time with GCT began in 1984 with the debut production, "The Sound Of Music." In the years following, I participated in many more shows, and I even directed a full production at GCT involving only high school students as part of a program GCT had at the time (GCT Apprentices).

In this production, audiences will be a part of the live studio audience and will be taken back in time to the 1940s to experience this adaptation of one of the greatest films ever made. Based on the story *The Greatest Gift*, George Bailey is shown all the lives he has touched and what the world would be like if he never existed. The heart-warming story and beloved characters are sure to get you into the Christmas spirit as we are reminded of the importance of sacrifice, kindness, community, and faith.



"Strange, isn't it? Each man's life touches so many other lives. And when he isn't around he leaves an awful hole, doesn't he?"

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Opportunity to have a presence at the production

Up to 8 tickets to the production

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PRESENTING (\$1,500)

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Up to 4 tickets to the production

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CONTRIBUTING (\$500)

Keith Ramsdell was involved with GCT right from the jump! We are thrilled to be welcoming him back to direct this interesting take on a staged play.



GALION COMMUNITY THEATRE

CHRISTMAS PLAY

CONCERTS @ THE GALION

GCT is known for putting on quality theatrical productions for four decades, but we are constantly striving to open our doors more frequently throughout the year by providing additional entertainment options to our local communities. Our third year of "Concerts at The Galion" will feature bands that have been fan favorites at GCT, and we will be incorporating additional value each night to entertain our community even further! Look out for dinners, themes, paired cocktails, and even more in store!

RHYTHM & BOOZE

GCT is partnering with 1803 Brewery & Taproom to curate delightful cocktails & mocktails for your enjoyment. While sipping spirits, groove the night away with an unforgettable performance by

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JAN 19

A MUSICAL MATINEE

In honor of our 40th Anniversary Season, a founder of our organization is putting on a concert of favorites from musicals and pop hits! Brunch by Three Bean and Ole Dog's.

KIM SPENCER

APRIL 7

FOLKSY FRIENDSGIVING

Audiences will be invited to join us for a catered meal by Bistro 217 and a concert featuring only the best bluegrass from

LINCOLN HIGHWAY BLUEGRASS BAND

NOV 22

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Presence at the Event (materials or table)

SUPPORTING (\$750)

In addition to the benefits listed to the left, Presenting Sponsors receive
Logo on the Historic Marquee 8 Tickets to Each Concert
2 Tickets to Special Events Added to Each Concert

PRESENTING (\$1,500)

MOVIES @ THE GALION

In 2023, GCT began hosting a year-long movie series - MOVIES @ THE GALION. This series was created initially to offer kids, teens, and families a fun activity during only the winter months, but it took off! Due to the popularity, we reached out to our community for help to continue the series, and y'all came out! Movies @ The Galion isn't just about watching a fun film. Families are given able to enjoy coloring, games, snacks, and quality time with friends and family.

In addition to movie sponsors, we also welcome popcorn sponsors and coloring page sponsors. If you'd like to participate in that way, or if you have an idea on how you would like to partner, we would love to hear from you. Join the fun in 2024!

JANUARY

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MRS. DOUBTFIRE

MAY

MATILDA

JUNE

THE PARENT TRAP

JULY

FINDING NEMO

AUGUST

MONSTER'S INC

SEPTEMBER

THE INCREDIBLES

OCTOBER

HOCUS POCUS

NOVEMBER

ANNIE

DECEMBER

A MUPPET CHRISTMAS CAROL

FULL MOVIES @ THE GALION SPONSORSHIP (\$2,400)

ONE MOVIE (\$200)



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SPONSORSHIP FORM

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING FORM TO CONFIRM YOUR CHOSEN SPONSORSHIP
CONTACT BETH ANNE JARVIS (419-563-5821, JARVISBETH01@GMAIL.COM) WITH ANY QUESTIONS

CONTACT INFORMATION

COMPANY NAME (AS YOU WISH TO BE ACKNOWLEDGED)

COMPANY ADDRESS (STREET, CITY, STATE, ZIP)

CONTACT PERSON

CONTACT'S PHONE

CONTACT'S EMAIL

PLEASE CIRCLE THE PRODUCTION(S) AND LEVEL(S) YOU WOULD LIKE TO SPONSOR:

	PRESENTING	SUPPORTING	CONTRIBUTING
"CLUE: ON STAGE"	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$500
"THE SOUND OF MUSIC"	\$2,000	\$1,000	\$500
"THE ADDAMS FAMILY"	\$2,000	\$1,000	\$500
"IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE"	\$2,000	\$1,000	\$500
CONCERTS AT THE GALION	\$1,000	\$500	---
MOVIES AT THE GALION	FULL SERIES	ONE MOVIE	---

PAYMENT INFORMATION

CHECK ENCLOSED

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COMPLETED FORMS CAN BE MAILED TO: 127 HARDING WAY WEST, GALION, OHIO 44833
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BECOME A SEASON ADVERTISER!

Looking for a way to grow your business or organization's reach, gain new customers, and support the arts in your local community? Look no further!

Before every play, musical, concert, and any extra event, GCT runs pre-show slides in the lobby, the gallery, and the stage. These slides include upcoming events, GCT info, and your advertisement! Choose one of the options below, send your logo and other info you would like included, and receive over 25 hours of advertising throughout 2024.

Reach out to Beth Anne with any questions concerning advertising. Submit your form as soon as possible to receive as much year-long exposure as possible.

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PLEASE MARK THE SIZE ADVERTISEMENT YOU WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE

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_____	\$100	HALF-SLIDE ADVERTISEMENT
_____	\$75	QUARTER-SLIDE ADVERTISEMENT

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I WILL PROVIDE MY
OWN ADVERTISEMENT

GCT WILL CREATE AN AD AND SEND TO ME TO APPROVE
(IF SOMETHING SPECIFIC SHOULD BE INCLUDED,
EMAIL VERBIAGE/IMAGE TO BETH ANNE)

PAYMENT INFORMATION

CHECK ENCLOSED

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TO PAY FOR YOUR SLIDE ONLINE!)



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