



**2010 - 2011 SEASON CHANGE**

Due to the insufficient number of auditionees for *1940's Radio Hour*, The Little Theatre of Tuscarawas County Board of Trustees has made the difficult decision to remove the show from our 2010-2011 season. This decision was not made lightly, and every effort was made to recruit additional actors. For a short time, the possibility of a substitute show with a smaller cast was entertained, but unfortunately, again, we were unable to find enough cast members to fill the roles. We regret any inconvenience this may have caused. We thank our members and patrons for their continued support as we move forward with the remainder of our season.

**CHRISTMAS PARTY**

All members, patrons and their families are cordially invited to a Christmas Party on Sunday, December 12th at 4PM. A special dedication in memory of Del Walker will be held at 4:30 PM.

Dress is casual, but there will be a special award given to the wearer of the "Ugliest Christmas Sweater." Please bring your own non-alcoholic beverage, plates & silverware as well as a covered dish to share:

<b><u>If your last name begins with:</u></b>	<b><u>Please bring:</u></b>
A - G	Salads/Veggies
H - O	Main Dish
P - U	Finger foods
V - Z	Dessert

**CHRISTMAS CONCERT**

*Little Theatre's Gift to the Community:  
An Evening of Christmas Music and Entertainment*

On Saturday, December 18th, 2010 at 6PM, the Board of Trustees will be hosting a Christmas concert at the theatre. There will be no admission, however, we do request donations of non-perishable food, which will be donated to a local organization in need.

Please join us for an evening of vocal and instrumental music as well as story-telling and sing-along fun for the whole family!

We have a talented line-up for the evening that includes some familiar faces as well as some new guests from out-of-town. No reserved seating. Doors will open at 5 PM.

## AUDITIONS: *LEADING LADIES*

Five men and three women are needed for the upcoming production of *Leading Ladies*. The show will be directed by Pat Potter.

Auditions are set for Sunday and Monday, December 5th and 6th. Auditions will begin at 7:00 PM each night.

In this hilarious show by Ken Ludwig, the award-winning author of *Lend Me A Tenor* and *Moon Over Buffalo*, a pair of down-on-their-luck and out of money Shakespearean actors learn of a dying old lady who plans to leave her fortune to two long-lost English nephews. They decide to pass themselves off as her beloved relatives, but when they learn the relatives aren't nephews, but nieces, their plans change as drastically as their clothing! This fast-paced farce leaves the audience laughing. It's a wonderfully challenging vehicle for character actors as well as back stage crew.

Performances of *Leading Ladies* will be Feb. 11, 12,13,18,19,20, 25 and 26.

For more information, contact Pat Potter at 330-339-3937.

## *NEW!* *LT WORK DAYS*

The second Saturday of each month from 2-6 PM have been designated as "Little Theatre Work Days." All members are welcome to join in and lend a hand!

Each month, we will have some projects that we will be concentrating on to help maintain our theatre and keep it in good organizational and working order. For the next few months, we will be helping Wardrobe Chairman Alex Allesandri-Bruce get the wardrobe organized.

The next work day is Saturday, December 11th. In addition to the wardrobe work, we will also be decorating for the Christmas Party. Hope to see you then!

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### *December 2010*

- 5th: Auditions: *Leading Ladies*, 7PM
- 6th: Auditions: *Leading Ladies*, 7PM
- 7th: Board of Trustees meeting, 7 PM
- 11th: Little Theatre Work Day, 2PM
- 12th: *Member/Patron Family Christmas Party*, 4 PM
- 18th: *LT Christmas Show*, 6 PM

### *January 2011*

- 4th: Board of Trustees meeting, 7 PM
- 8th: Little Theatre Work Day, 2PM

### *February 2011*

- 1st: Board of Trustees meeting, 7 PM
- 4th: Box Office opens for *Leading Ladies*
- 11th: *Leading Ladies*, 8PM
- 12th: Little Theatre Work Day, 2 PM
- 12th: *Leading Ladies*, 8PM
- 13th: *Leading Ladies*, 2:30 PM
- 13th: Adult Auditions, *The Wizard of Oz (Time TBD)*
- 14th: Adult Auditions, *The Wizard of Oz (Time TBD)*
- 18th: *Leading Ladies*, 8PM
- 19th: *Leading Ladies*, 8PM
- 20th: *Leading Ladies*, 2:30 PM
- 25th: *Leading Ladies*, 8PM
- 26th: *Leading Ladies*, 8PM

## HELP WANTED

### *Lighting Chairman*

Responsible for overseeing the Lighting Committee and working in conjunction with each show's director and producer to assure lights are designed and set for each production and for scheduling a light crew for each night of production and dress rehearsals. Not responsible for personally performing these duties for every show, but for the coordination of committee manpower to assure that all lighting needs are met. This is a president-appointed position. Interested parties may contact Christine at (330) 407-6677.

## WHAT'S NEW...

Due to the generosity of the estate of Louise Lang, The Little Theatre was able to purchase a new piano. The piano was delivered on October 1st. Thank you to Debra Burkhart and Rick Michel (pictured, right) for searching for the perfect piano to meet our needs.

A special thank you to Williams Furniture for the new carpet for the pit area!

On November 13th, we held our first work day. A number of seats were steam-cleaned and organizational work was done in the wardrobe area.

"Thank you" to Halle Holmes, Pam Douglas, Alex Allesandri-Bruce, Dwight Newton, Scott Daniels, Christa Roberts and Colin Roberts (below, right) for their hard work.

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Board of Trustees meets the first Tuesday of each month at 7PM in the theatre lobby. All are welcome!

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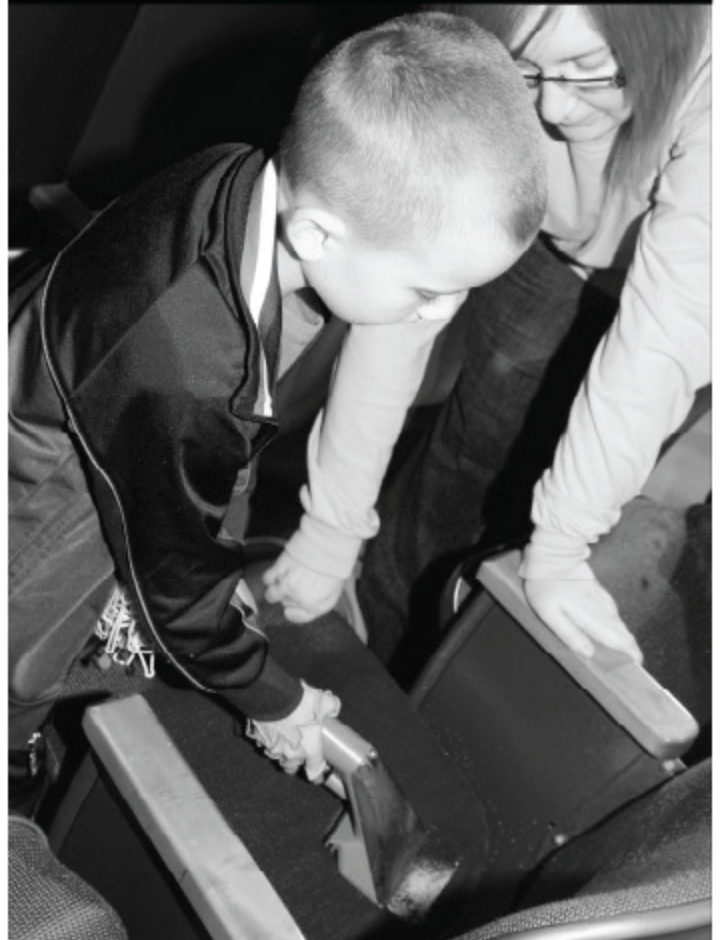
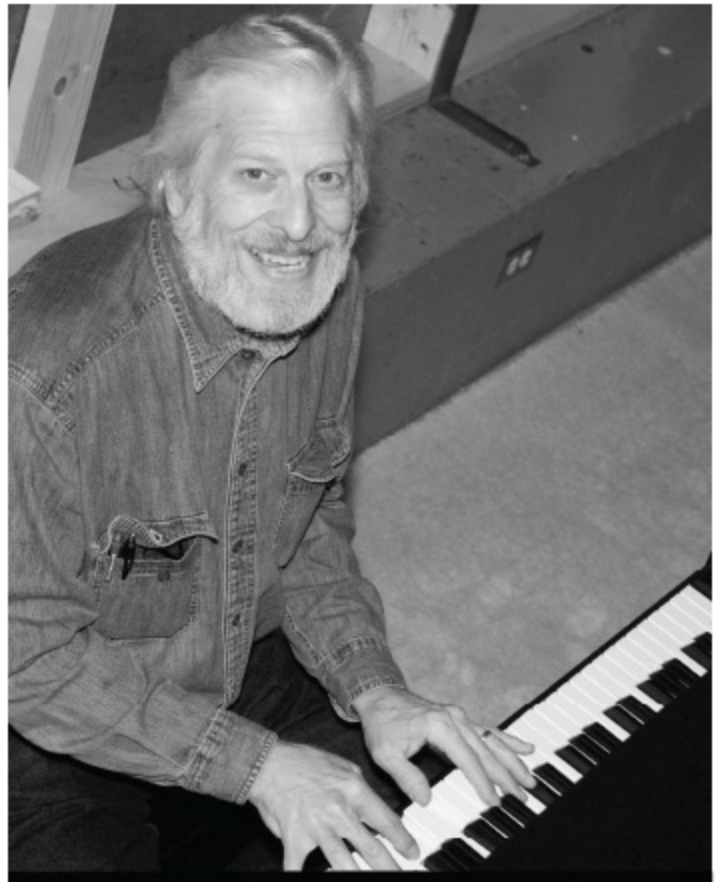
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## 2010-2011 SEASON

### LOST IN YONKERS

*fall drama, directed by Lee Elliott*

Audition Dates: July 25, 26

Performance dates: September 24, 25, 26,  
Oct 1, 2, 3, 8, 9

### LEADING LADIES

*winter comedy, directed by Pat Potter*

Audition Dates: December 5 & 6

Performance Dates: February 11, 12, 13, 18, 19, 20, 25, 26

### THE WIZARD OF OZ

*spring musical, directed by Bart Herman*

Audition Dates: Feb 13, 14 (adults) March 5, 6 (children)

Performance Dates: April 29, 30,

May 1, 5, 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15

### HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL

*summer musical, directed by Tom Morris*

Audition Dates: May 1 & 2

Performance Dates: July 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16

## THEATRE INFORMATION

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