2007-08 Season Making Memories With Theatre & Dance





Here's how it works

Everyone's subscription package includes a ticket to each of the six Mainstage productions—that's four shows in the Ted Paul Theatre (including two big musicals) and two shows in the ever-changing and versatile Andreas Theatre. Order a season subscription and get priority seating for *Cats, Enchanted April, Bus Stop, Dancing at Lughnasa, Hamlet* and *Thoroughly Modern Millie* (Friends of the Theatre get the best seats). Being a season ticket holder also allows you to buy additional tickets for any Mainstage show at regular prices before they go on sale to the public.

Ted Paul Theatre productions open on Thursday evening. To accommodate our season ticket holders, Mainstage shows in the Andreas Theatre open on Wednesday evening. Each Mainstage show will also include at least **TWO** Sunday matinee performances.

When giving us your performance preference, don't forget to circle your **first choice** and cross over your **second choice**. The Box Office will do everything it can to give you your first choice. Now is also the time to purchase tickets for our Dance Concerts in December and May. Visit **MSUTheatre.com** for the latest on these shows and the department.

Become a Friend of the Theatre

Consider joining the ranks of the Friends of the Theatre. By adding a minimum gift of \$100 or more when ordering your season subscription, you help keep quality theatre a Southern Minnesota tradition.

Friends of the Theatre Benefits

Patron's Club \$100-\$249

- > First choice of season subscriptions until September 1
- > Exclusive invitation to the Theatre & Dance Spring Gala
- > Recognition in all of the theatre programs during your membership year
- > Annual MSU Theatre mug

Sponsor's Club \$250-\$499

All of the above, plus

> Your name on a special plaque in the Performing Arts Center lobby

Director's Club \$500-\$749

All of the above, plus

> A beautiful, engraved MSU Theatre pen

Angel's Club \$750-\$999

All of the above, plus

> A calendar filled with photos from past MSU Theatre productions

Benefactor's Club \$1,000 and above

All of the above, plus

> Our undying gratitude!

For more information about our endowment program, call Dr. Paul J. Hustoles at (507) 389-2118. Donations are tax-deductible as a charitable donation.

Tickets	Regular	Discount*	Minnesota State Mankato Student**
Mainstage Season Subscription (6 shows)	\$85.00	na	na
Mainstage Single Show Tickets			
Cats	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$14.00
Enchanted April	\$14.50	\$13.00	\$10.00
Bus Stop	\$14.50	\$13.00	\$10.00
Dancing at Lughnasa	\$14.50	\$13.00	\$10.00
Hamlet	\$14.50	\$13.00	\$10.00
Thoroughly Modern Millie	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$14.00
Studio Shows and Dance Events	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$7.00

BOX OFFICE OPEN 4-6 P.M. MONDAY-FRIDAY BEGINNING NINE DAYS BEFORE A SHOW OPENS AND ONE HOUR BEFORE PERFORMANCE.

*Discounts apply to senior citizens (65 and older), children under 16 and groups of 15 or more people. ** See Order Form for Student Semester Season Ticket option; Minnesota State Mankato students must present a current student ID.

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Cats

By Andrew Lloyd Webber, lyrics by T. S. Eliot Sept. 27-30, Oct. 4-7 & 11-14, 2007 Ted Paul Theatre

Sponsored by HickoryTech Corporation

Based on T.S. Eliot's 1939 children's book "Old Possum's Book of Practical Cats," the story has been adapted to tell a story of The Jellicle Cats at the annual Jellicle Ball, where each cat tells its own life story to try to persuade the others that they should be the one chosen to have another life. Songs include: "Memory," "Macavity: The Mystery Cat" and "Mr. Mistoffoles."

Enchanted April

By Matthew Barber

Oct. 17-21 & 24-28, 2007 Andreas Theatre

Sponsored by Express Personnel Services

When two proper London housewives join with a glamorous socialite and a lonely old widow to rent a villa in Italy, they never dream of the magical ways their lives and marriages will be transformed by a month in the Italian countryside.

Bus Stop

Nov. 8-11 & 15-18, 2007 Ted Paul Theatre

Sponsored by Blethen, Gage & Krause, LLP

Four passengers and the bus driver are stranded at Grace's Diner between Kansas City and Topeka by a snow storm. In the end each has something to learn about life, love and, most of all, about themselves.

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Dancing at Lughnasa By Brian Friel

Jan. 30-Feb. 3 & Feb. 6-10, 2008

Andreas Theatre This extraordinary play, considered Friel's best, is the story of five unmarried sisters, one with a young son, eking out their lives in a small village in Ireland in 1936. It is told through memory, triggered by songs coming from the family's radio.

Hamlet

By William Shakespeare Feb. 21-24 & 28-March 2, 2008 Ted Paul Theatre

In celebration of the life of Donabel C. Linney Hamlet is William Shakespeare's most famous and enduring tragedy. Hamlet's father has been murdered, which inspires a whole series of events—bent on revenge and destined to bring destruction to all.

DANCE PROGRAM

Fall Bridges Concert December 5, 6 & 7, 2007 in the Ted Paul Theatre

Spring Collection Concert April 30, May 1 & 2, 2008 in the Ted Paul theatre

Under the co-artistic direction of Julie Kerr-Berry and Brad Garner, the University Repertory Dance Theatre presents a major concert each academic term for three exciting performances each.

Thoroughly Modern Millie

Book by Richard Morris and Dick Scanlan, new music by Jeanine Tesori, new lyrics by Dick Scanlan April 10-13 & 17-20, 2008

Ted Paul Theatre

Taking place in New York City in 1922, Thoroughly Modern Millie tells the story of young Millie Dillmount, who has just moved to the city in search of a new life for herself. It's a New York full of intrigue and jazz. It is filled with frisky flappers, dashing leading men and a dragon-lady of a villainess audiences will love to hate. The score includes "Not for the Life of Me," "Gimme Gimme" and "Forget About the Boy."

STUDIO SEASON

Studio shows are intended for adult audiences.

Hurlyburly by David Rabe Sept. 20-23, 2007

The story of characters nose deep in the decadent, perverted culture of Hollywood, pursuing their vision of the American Dream. Nominated for the 1985 Tony Award for Best Play.

Dog Sees God by Bert V. Royal Nov. 29-Dec. 2, 2007

Good grief. The take-off on the Charles Schulz comic strip "Peanuts" follows what happens when America's favorite blockhead discovers that his beloved beagle has terminal rabies.

How I Learned to Drive by Paula Vogel March 27-30, 2008

How I Learned to Drive tells the disturbing account of an eight-year-old affair between its protagonist, Li'l Bit, and her Uncle Peck. This play is the winner of the 1998 Pulitzer Prize for drama.

Wit

by Margaret Edson April 24-27, 2008

Vivian Bearing, a professor of English, has been diagnosed with terminal ovarian cancer. During her illness she reassesses her life and work with profundity and humor. Winner of the 1999 Pulitzer Prize.



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201 PERFORMING ARTS CENTER MANKATO, MN 56001

The deadline for all subscriptions is October 14. To become a Friend of the Theatre and receive priority seating, submit your subscription form and donation before September 1.

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TOTAL THE NUMBER OF SUBSCRIPTIONS **Regular** Subscription

Quantity

Price Each \$85

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MSU Student Fall Season Ticket*

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Studio Shows and		7:30 p.m. Curtain							
Dance Concerts		Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat	Sun	Qty.	Price Ea.	Total
Hurlyburly	Sept		20	21	22	23			
Dog Sees God	Nov-Dec		29	30	1	2			
U-Rep Fall Concert	Dec	5	6	7					
How I Learned to Drive	Mar		27	28	29	30			
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U-Rep Spring Concert	Apr-May	30	1	2					-

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Signature (required).

* All 6 shows in FALL SEMESTER ONLY: Cats, Enchanted April, Bus Stop, Hurlyburly, Dog Sees God, and U-Rep Fall Dance Concert.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

Discover

- The Ted Paul and Andreas Theatres are handicap accessible. If you need special arrangements, please specify when ordering tickets.
- Your season tickets will be mailed to you as soon as the order is processed (in the order it is received).
- Minnesota State Mankato Theatre productions are NOT recommended for children under 6; infants will not be permitted.
- It is recommended that all patrons arrive at least 15 minutes prior to curtain to assure timely seating.

TICKET POLICIES / NO REFUNDS:

- · Exchanges may be made for the same show subject to availability if arrangements are made at least 24 hours prior to the ticketed performance. Tickets must be brought to the Box Office for exchange.
- · Performances are almost never canceled due to weather.
- If you cannot use a ticket, please pass it along to a friend or make it a tax-deductible donation by calling the Box Office at 507-389-6661 and/or turning in your ticket for someone else to use.

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