

Danville Light Opera
CENTER STAGE

Have you ever had the experience that you were “going through the motions”? Have you ever dreamed what it would be like to be someone more glamorous or sensual? Do you have that lifelong friend who is there when no one else is? If you do, you could be one of the many characters who take the stage in

A... My Name Will Always Be Alice.

When I began this experience, I didn't know what to expect. After all, it's my first time! It's my first time directing adults, first time music directing, and first time being absolutely 100% in control of a show. There were no set assignments with parts and musical numbers. I have to admit, it's more than a little intimidating.

Then, auditions came, and Jeanne auditioned, and then Flynn, Jenny, Stefanie, Gretchen, and Sarah. At that point, I heaved a BIG sigh of relief. These are the women that this show is about. When I began assigning songs, I had no idea how this material would hit the cast.

These ladies have been braver than any performers I've met. All barriers are gone—and they're willing to put it all out there. We've had tears, laughter, and nerves, and all because this show IS us.

We are the woman who longs for her mother—long since passed. We are the normally strong woman who is intimidated by our daughter's kindergarten teacher. We are the angry young girl at the bus stop who receives life-changing news.

We are all of them. And so are you.

~ Stephanie Keller ~ Director of Drama and Music

Performances are:

February 18th, 6:30 pm

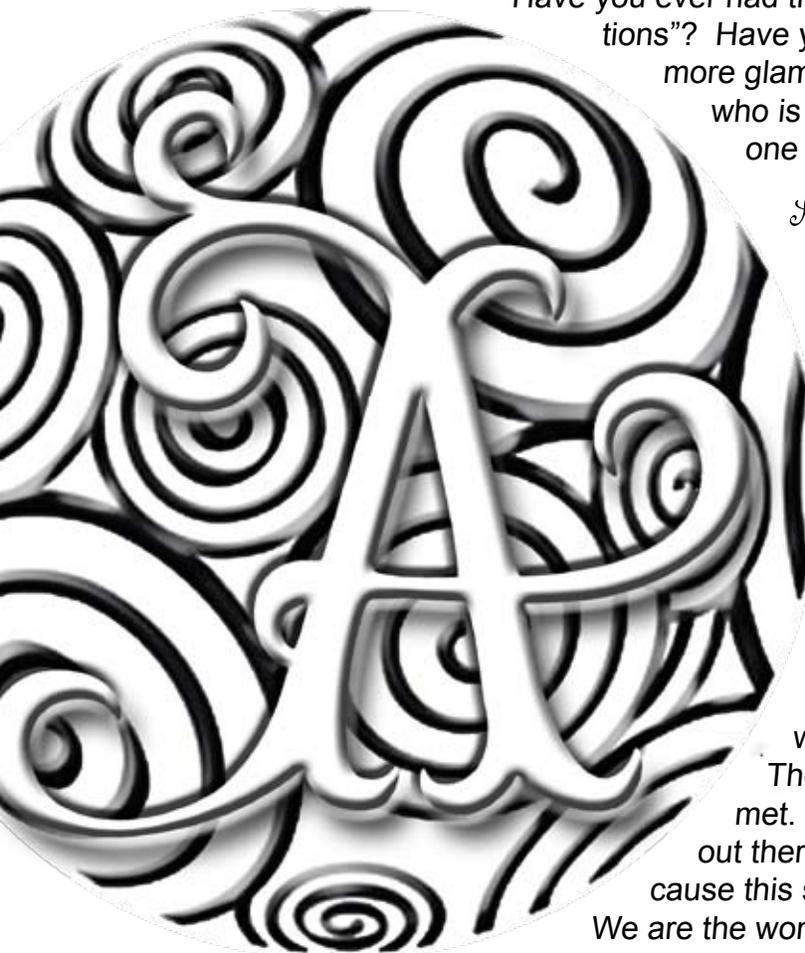
February 19th, 11:30 am

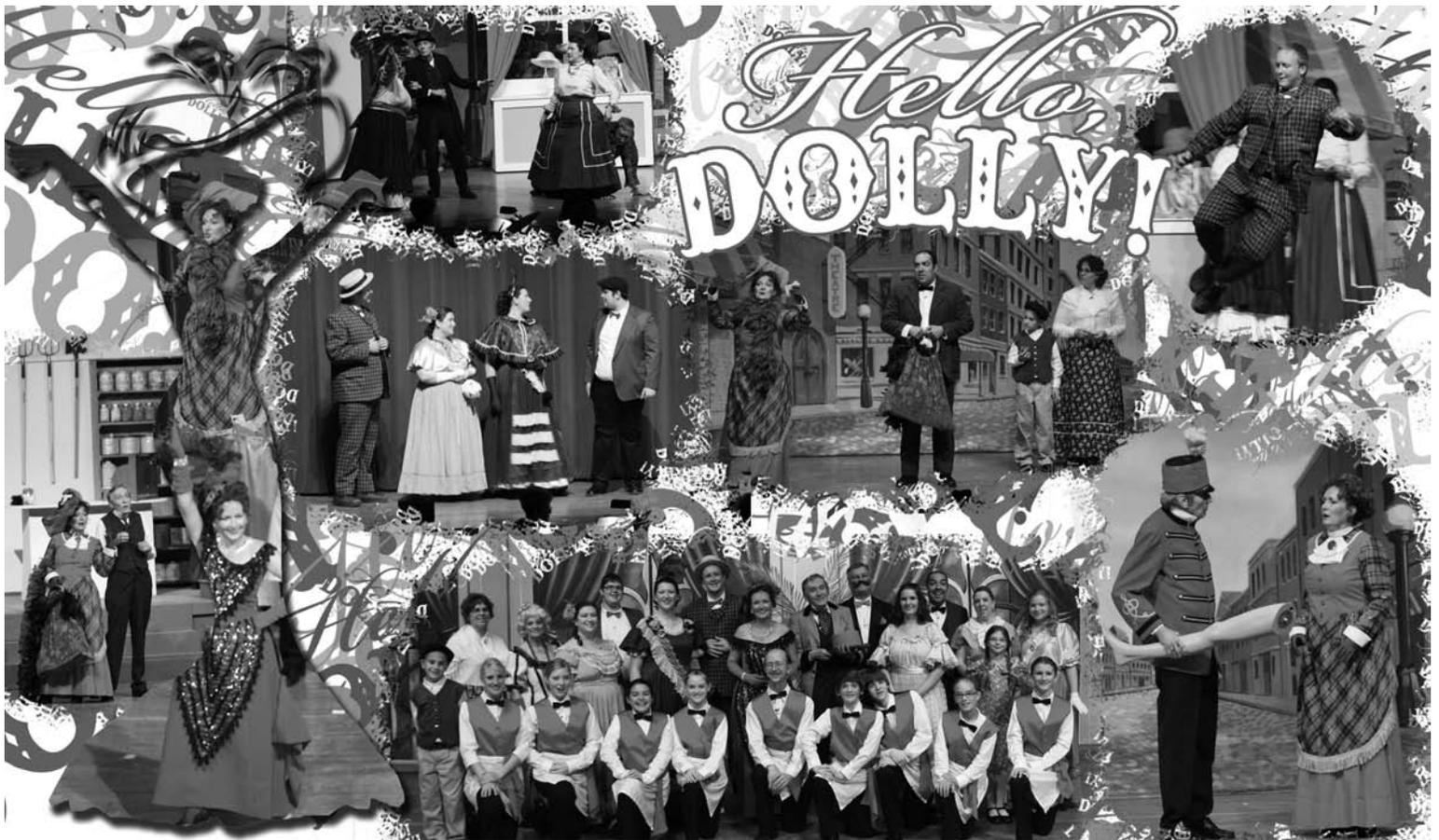
February 19th, 6:30 pm

February 20th, 12:30 pm

at the Danville Area Community College
Bremer Auditorium.

(All times listed indicate doors opening for meals, shows begin promptly after.) See page 3 for a complete cast list and the back page for ticket prices, box office hours and an order form.





Congratulations on a job well done, cast and crew of Hello Dolly!

**DIRTY
ROTTEN
SCOUNDRELS**

Spring - 2011

DACC Bremer Auditorium
May 6, 7 & 8, 2011

Auditions are February 27th, 2:00 pm & 28th, 6:30 pm at Center Stage Rehearsal Hall in the Village Mall. Bring a 32 measure music selection, and be prepared for some dancing. We are seeking dancers as well as actors/singers who move well.

A NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR...

After Dolly sits on a vacant knee and the ladies of Alice have a record contract for their all-girl band, get ready for a musical with clever and often delectably lowbrow lyrics. Do you appreciate witty wordplay and jokes about bodily functions? Dirty Rotten Scoundrels celebrates them both. This Tony Award-winning musical is based on the 1998 film of the same name. Chances are you already know it's about two fraudsters: Lawrence, a cultured and suave gentleman who cons rich ladies out of their money, and Freddy, a small-time American thief. The two quickly realize that their tiny French town isn't big enough for the both of them, so they set up a challenge. The first to steal \$50,000 from a young heiress, Christine, the "American Soap Queen," will stay; the loser must leave. Just in case you don't know how the story ends, we won't tell you yet. All you need to know is that it's a lot of fun getting there, watching both Freddy and Lawrence try to get everything they want. From poker with Al Roker to mink track suits, the con is on for these scoundrels in their pursuit of "Great Big Stuff."

~Julia Megan Sullivan~

GET YOUR SEASON TICKETS NOW!

We're having so much fun already,
you won't want to miss out on

A ... My Name Will Always Be Alice.

Meet the Alices:

Jeanne Dunn, Stefanie Lareau,
Jenny Taylor, Sarah Torbeck,
Gretchen Wesner & Flynn Williams.

Our Main Crew:

Stephanie Keller, Director & more!
Lisa Osborne, Producer & more!
Chelsea Collier, Stage Manager & More!
Adam Patrick Moore, Accompanist (and
honorary Alice!)

Order your tickets today!

Bus Trip Planned

Danville Light Opera Bus Trip to see

Beauty and the Beast

Saturday, July 2 – 2:00 pm performance

Ford Center-Oriental Theater – Chicago

\$75 – current DLO season members

\$ 90 – non-members

Orders due by May 10, 2011

Call 217-431-1660 or mail order to

PO Box 264, Danville IL 61834



ALICE BEHIND THE SCENES

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STEPHANIE



ALL THE ALICES!

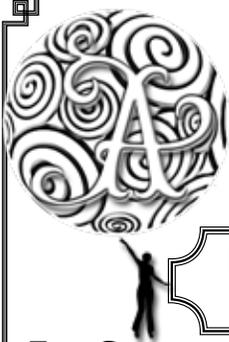
COME AND CHECK OUT OUR NEW MALL-DOG MURAL IN THE VILLAGE MALL!

While still a work in progress, we hope you will be as excited as we are about the new artwork. Why don't you come see it when you get your tickets for our dinner show. We would love to see you there!

Danville Light Opera is excited to have received permission from the Village Mall Management to paint the Center Stage wall facing into the mall!

Our plan is to create a mural of an actual theatre front (and back). Our hope is that this mural will draw attention to Danville Light Opera and serve as an attraction for the Village Mall. It's a way we can contribute to our community and have a great time doing it!

Got questions or want to help out? Please contact organizer Stephanie Keller at stephaniereads@yahoo.com or write to danvillelightopera@hotmail.com and one of our Board members will get back with you!



Box Office Hours

For Season Members only

Sunday, January 30th - 2pm-4pm
Monday, January 31st - 6pm-8pm

Box Office Hours for Members & General Public

Sunday, February 6th - 2pm-4pm
Monday, February 7th - 6pm-8pm

Sunday, February 13th - 2pm-4pm
Monday, February 14th - 6pm-8pm
Tuesday, February 15th - 6pm-8pm
Wednesday, February 16th - 6pm-8pm

Location: Village Mall, Danville
Box office phone # 431-1660.



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SEASON MEMBERS TICKET PURCHASES (check one)

___ tickets for Friday, February 18th at 6:30 pm
___ tickets for Saturday, February 19th at 11:30 am
___ tickets for Saturday, February 19th at 6:30 pm
___ tickets for Sunday, February 20th at 12:30 pm
Names(s) on membership(s): _____

GENERAL PUBLIC TICKET PURCHASES (check one)

___ tickets for Friday, February 18th at 6:30 pm
___ tickets for Saturday, February 19th at 11:30 am
___ tickets for Saturday, February 19th at 6:30 pm
___ tickets for Sunday, February 20th at 12:30 pm
___ *Adult tickets* @ \$32 = \$ _____
___ *Student tickets* @ \$24 = \$ _____ (*with Student ID*)
Total ticket purchase due = \$ _____

DLO SEASON SUBSCRIPTION

___ DLO Season Tickets @ \$50 = \$ _____ **Make Checks Payable to: DLO**
Total due = \$ _____

Name(s) on ticket(s) _____

Address _____

Phone # (____) _____ - _____

Mail order form and payment to: _____ Box Office (217)431-1660

DLO, PO BOX 264, DANVILLE IL 61834

Include a self-addressed, stamped envelope for ticket delivery.

Ask us about our group discount!



DLO now accepts credit card payments with an additional \$1 convenience charge per ticket.

Name on card:

Card #:

Expiration Date:

Security Code (from back):

Billing Address (Street, City, St. ZIP):

Your Signature: