

Danville Light Opera **CENTER STAGE**

More Than Just A Story

a journey with director, Charlie Hester

On the Other Side of the Fence:

it's more than just the summer children's musical. This show brings us (cast and crew alike) the opportunity to expand our horizons, to embrace the unique talents, characteristics, and personalities of over 40 kids, and is bringing us all together as a cast, where no one character is more important than the next.

When I began this journey a few months ago, I was hoping that we could learn together about theatre, maybe learn a life lesson here and there, and just have fun. What this show has become is so much more than anything I, as a director, could have ever hoped. On the Other Side of the Fence has brought these 42 kids together in an open dialogue about the way we would like to be treated — the way we treat our friends — the way we treat others. We've addressed the importance of encouragement in social media. That some "fences" keep us safe, but others deserve to be challenged. Especially when we should all try to embrace diversity!

As an added bonus, the author of the show, Andrea Green, will be joining us that weekend as well, and will be encouraging the kids in her own unique way. With the addition of our community service project, raising items needed for the Danville women's shelter, we hope to show everyone that the journey to *The Other Side of the Fence* has only just begun.

We are excited to present our show to you, and will see you soon!!!

Performances are:

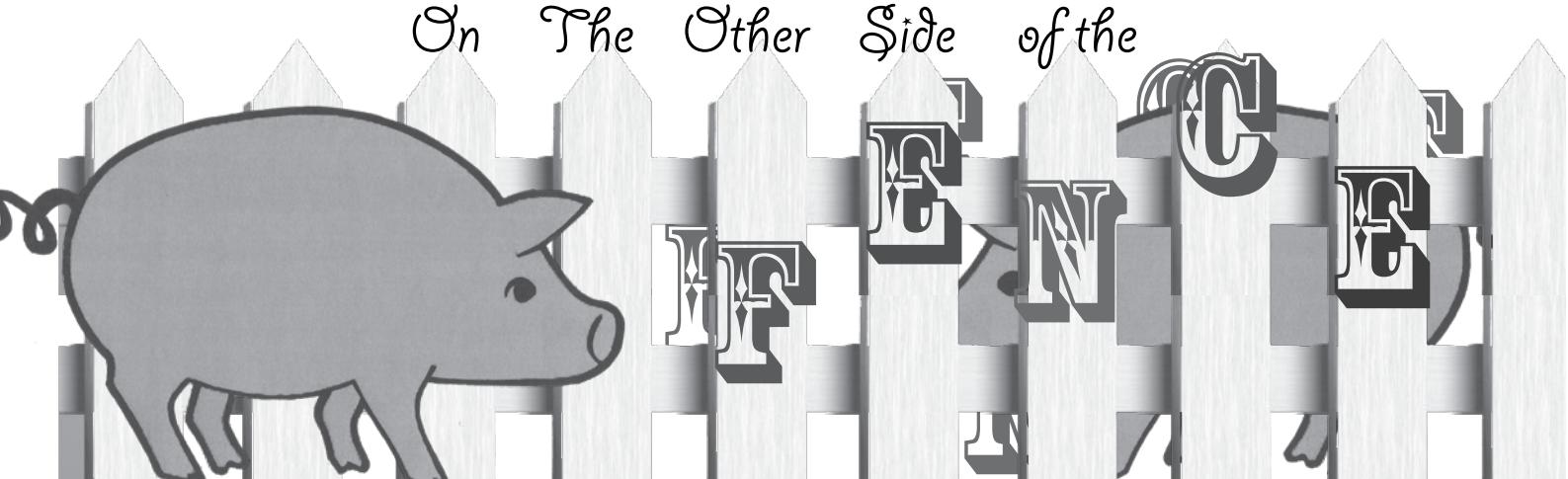
July 20th, 7:00 pm

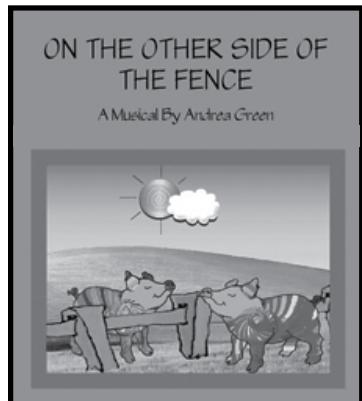
July 21st, 7:00 pm

July 22nd, 2:00 pm

at the DACC Bremer Auditorium.

(Doors open 30 minutes prior to shows.)





CAST

Purr — Torri Marlow
Cheese — Thomas Strain
Pepper — Brookelyn Powell
Spray — Abigail Strain
Salt — Deakin Axtell
Crackers — Jeremiah Strain
Daisy Mae — Lauren Powell
Sniff — Morgan Klett
Gobble — Wynter Haas
Spunk — Brooklynne Klett
Bacon — Brianne White
Storyteller B — Victoria Juvinall
Rudy — Emily Everett
Shadow — Ariel Clarkston
Baaby — Isabelle Peters
Slink — Dixie Atwood
Streak — Rebecca Peters
Tweet — Brennae Morgan
Doodle — Samantha Wesner
Scoot — Kara Howie
Stinky — Emma Ferren
Juicy — Georgie Kiser
Scratch — Nelle Smith
Saucy — Abigail Bueter
Tattle Tail — Molly Smith
Barker — Callie Jane Mansfield
Curls — Haley George
Farmer Fred — Kalen McGowan
Dander — Grace Vogt
Storyteller C &
Hoedown Caller — Peyton Jones
Rosey Fay — Madison Thompson
Fluff — Augusta Mansfield
Farmer Franklin — Ashton Thompson
Hairy — Karrin Estes
Storyteller A — Olivia Craig
Quacker — Prayse Odomes
Stripes — Sarah Schroeder
Sizzle — Amy Mills
Hoot — Natalie Mills
Maady — Maddie Garriott
Ham — Tim Mills

DLO 2012 - 2013 SEASON LINE-UP

October 20 & 21, 2012

DHS Dick Van Dyke Auditorium

A SHOW FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

Based on the Dickens novel, with its outstanding musical numbers. *Food, Glorious Food, I'd Do Anything, Where is Love?, Consider Yourself, As Long As He Needs Me, Who Will Buy and Reviewing the Situation*, Dickens' characters are brought to life. This production calls for a large cast, including many children.

Director, James Mitchell's experience and passion for musical theatre will bring DLO and Danville something wonderful. Watch for audition information, late August. We would love to have you involved.

OLIVER!

February 15-17, 2013

Dinner Theater

DACC Bremer Center

The GREAT AMERICAN TRAILER PARK MUSICAL
There's a new tenant at Armadillo Acres—and she's wreaking havoc all over Florida's most exclusive trailer park. When Pippi, the stripper on the run, comes between the Dr. Phil-loving, agoraphobic Jeannie and her tollbooth collector husband—the storms begin to brew.

A SHOW FOR ADULTS ONLY! (Content not suitable for children)

April 26 - 28, 2013

DACC Bremer Auditorium

This is the story of a nice guy, in a world where niceness goes unnoticed and unrewarded. Chuck Baxter wants to be a romantic figure, but girls don't remember his name. He wants a promotion in his Manhattan Insurance office, and Mr. Sheldrake of personnel is oblivious to him.

A ROMANTIC MUSICAL COMEDY!



A Note from the President
Gary Lickfett

The 2012 edition of Arts In the Park is now history, and for DLO, it was good—for many reasons.

Even if we were able to control it, the weather could hardly have been better. The tent that we occupied with our thespian neighbors, The Red Mask Players was perfect, and we are grateful to them for making it available for us to share. The inaugural performance of our DLO Chorus was a highlight of the weekend however, and we hope to hear lots more of their work in the future. In particular, we most definitely want to hear more of our Youth Show, and are looking forward to learning what's on the other side of the fence later in July. If the vocal teaser we enjoyed Sunday is any indication (and it is), On the Other Side of the Fence is a show not to be missed! Many thanks to all of our members and friends who contributed in any way to this successful weekend.

YOUTH SUMMER MUSICAL FUNDRAISER ON FACEBOOK

Bringing the Danville community quality theatre is often a bit expensive. DLO does its best to raise funds through ticket sales, public event fundraisers and the like, but sometimes that isn't enough. Sometimes you might not be able to make the performance, but you, like us, know the value of community organizations like DLO that provide a social avenue for people to be involved in bringing a quality of life event to our community. We are hoping to raise funds for our youth program this year. These 42 children and all the production staff are helping make a difference in our community because of the script On The Other Side of the Fence, by Andrea Green. We are bringing her to Danville as part of the musical and would love to have your support and assistance in making this happen.



Through Facebook, and an organization called Fundly, you can donate any amount to Danville Light Opera. Simply go to our facebook page and follow the links and instructions to help make a difference in local community theatre, and especially our Youth musical participants!



Fundly

Thank you for considering this opportunity and getting involved with our efforts at Danville Light Opera!

GET INVOLVED!

Are you involved with a non-profit organization?

A NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Many musical theatre scholars accurately been titled Rose, as they were as she "scrimmed, saves, and feasts" in the age of vaudeville. Besides the memoirs of Gypsy Rose Lee, many critics find Rose to be a hard woman to times. Rose is often believed to be a crazed star. Some theatre historians claim that she was never charged with that crime. Those blindly she loves her children, I know Rose, I've and by all means she is boldly passionate, but that she always had the best interest of her children at heart. Rose asks Gypsy, "What did I do it for?" Gypsy replies, "I think ultimately Rose would have wanted this music after her famous daughter, for although she pushed controlled, ultimately she loved."

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Danville Light Opera Summer Youth Musical
THE OTHER SIDE OF THE FENCE
Auditions: Sunday, May 20, 5:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Monday, Sunday, May 21, 5:00 - 8:30 p.m.
Friday-Saturday-Sunday, July 20, 21, & 22, 2012
DACC - Beemer Auditorium
The Real Magic Players Spring Children's Show
THE WONDERFUL WIZARD OF OZ
Performances: May 18 & 19, 2012
Danville Symphony Orchestra
CARNIVAL OF CAMEO
May 12, 2012, 7:30 p.m.
Beef House Dinner Theatre
THE MARVELOUS WONDERETTES
July 20, August 5

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www.dacc.edu

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Did you know that donations to DLO are tax deductible? Yes, DLO is a 501C3 not-for-profit organization.

Did you know you can advertise in a DLO program?

Did you know that for one cost, an advertiser with DLO gets their ad in all three season production programs and a listing in the summer youth musical.

If you would like to know more about this opportunity, please either email Danville Light Opera at: danvillelightopera@hotmail.com or call our box office number, 217-431-1660, and leave your contact information and we will get back to you right away.

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Box Office Hours

We are so sorry! THERE ARE NO BOX OFFICE HOURS FOR OUR SUMMER YOUTH MUSICAL.

You can purchase tickets in advance at one of our supporting businesses:

BC Collectibles in the Village Mall

Java Hut, 13 N. Vermilion St.

First Savings Bank, 6 W. Williams St.

or

At the theater door

30 minutes before performances

Ticket Prices:

Adults - \$7 Students - \$5

2011-12 DLO Subscriptions holders - FREE!

It's Time to get your 2012-2013 season tickets! Our season members have great benefits. Did you know that you save \$23 on tickets to all four of our shows by buying a season membership? (*This includes your free seat at our youth musical each summer.*) Did you know that you can reserve your seat before anyone else when you have a membership? Did you know that, as a member, you get to vote on the board of directors who lead the organization? Order your membership now, so you can get the best seat in the house for one of our best season's yet to come!

2012-2013 DLO Season Subscription

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