

Danville Light Opera CENTER STAGE

introducing
a season of
HOPE

Three Uplifting & Inspiring
Musicals Never Before
Presented in Danville



October 24 & 25, 2009

Danville High School Auditorium

Sponsored by Vermilion County Museum

Drawing from the writings and words of Abraham Lincoln, Frederick Douglass and Walt Whitman, *The Civil War* is a thrilling, gut-wrenching and awe-inspiring dramatic theatrical concert. This epic revue uses a variety of musical styles to share with you the horrors and hopes from the greatest tragedy in America's history.



February 12, 13 & 14, 2010

Danville Area Community College Theatre

Join the journey of a young woman just released from prison who decides to start her life anew in a rural Wisconsin town. As she struggles to overcome her past, the entire town journeys with her toward the rekindling of hope and the grace of redemption. Plus, you'll be moved by the instantly infectious melodies.



April 23, 24 & 25, 2010

Danville Area Community College Theatre

This charming, upbeat adaptation of a literary classic follows orphaned Mary Lennox who is sent to live with her uncle and his son. Mary discovers an abandoned garden that has magical effects on all who come into it. Some of the most beautiful songs ever written for Broadway help dramatize this compelling tale of hope.

This is a can't-miss season!

Get your season membership now. Details on back.

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Flapper

There is no other way to say it... DLO's Youth Show was the cat's meow! The cast was packed with young people who themselves were packed with talent. They sang, Charlestoned and even spoiled a jewelry heist. Not only did they entertain the audiences, they also spent their summer building a new love of the theatrical arts.



Behind the Curtain

Every now and then, Danville Light Opera likes to give you a behind the scenes look, giving you a sneak peek at the hundreds and hundreds of hours that go into each production. Here are photographs from DLO's spring production, *Do Black Patent Leather Shoes Really Reflect Up?*



DLO GIVES BACK

giving the gift of *Theater*
has never been *Easier!*

If you've been looking for a different kind of birthday or anniversary gift, or have a friend or neighbor you want to give a "thank you" to, then a Danville Light Opera DLO Dollar\$ gift certificate is your perfect solution!

These new DLO Dollar\$ are purchased in \$20 increments, and can be presented for payment towards your season membership, show tickets, donation, or youth show participant fees. DLO Dollar\$ can be ordered at any time by calling DLO at 217-431-1660 or sending an email to www.danvillelightopera.com. They will also be available during regular box office hours for our shows.

Every year, we give the DLO Outstanding Music Student Award to two students who excel in their middle school's music program. Each award winner receives a plaque, along with their name being placed on a permanent plaque at their school.

This year, Belinda Smith presented the award to Aarian Forman of South View Middle School while Tom Fricke gave Hannah Sliva of North Ridge Middle School her award.

In addition, they and an accompanying adult will receive a free membership to the upcoming DLO season.

Congratulations to both students!



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Grand Slam Thank You

DLO's 08-09 season was a homerun hit, so what better way to say thanks than a night at the baseball park? DLO hosted its second annual night at the Danville Dans, offering free food and tickets to the seemingly countless actors, musicians, set builders, seamstresses, choreographers and all the volunteers that made the season an out of the ball park success.

The Civil War Auditions

Sunday August 16
at 2:00 pm

Monday August 17
at 6:30 pm

DLO Center Stage
in the Village Mall in Danville

Visit danvillelightopera.com
for more information.



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