

SEPTEMBER 2022 THE STRAND THEATRE

ENHANCING QUALITY OF LIFE THROUGH PERFORMANCE

UPCOMING EVENTS

Yard Sale Donation Drop-off, September 10-15, 9am-5pm at the theatre

<u>Yard Sale</u> September 17, 8am-noon priced as marked & 12:30-2:00 half-off or fill a box for \$5 sale

<u>Children's Acting Classes begin</u> October 1, instructor Renee Storm

Christmas Parade Viewing
Party Raffle tickets on sale
October 1-31 @ Frame and Fortunes,
\$2 each or 6 for \$10. Cash only.

Concert in the Round featuring
Eli Lambie October 8, 7pm,
admission \$20

The Little Mermaid Ballet featuring OI youth ballet.

October 23, 3pm, admission \$12 adults, \$10 students, 5 & under free

Children's Halloween movie
October 29, craft @ 1pm & movie @
2pm. free admission

<u>The Rocky Horror Picture</u> <u>Show</u> the movie October 29, 9pm, admission \$15 & prop bags \$5

Click <u>HERE</u> for our complete calendar of events.

CONCERT IN THE ROUND

We are excited to feature one of the valley's premiere musicians in an event you will not want to miss! The Strand Theatre invites you to join us for a concert presented "in the round". For this performance, both the audience and the performer will share the stage, creating a more intimate setting between the two. Concertgoers will be seated onstage facing the house while enjoying complimentary drinks and appetizers along with fantastic entertainment from a unique



perspective. The concert will feature *Eli Lambie* on Saturday, October 8. The concert will begin at 7:00pm. A limited number of seats will be available beginning September 1 at Frame and Fortunes, 239 Jefferson Avenue, Moundsville or online at www.strandtheatrewv.com/events

CHRISTMAS PARADE VIEWING PARTY RAFFLE

Take a chance to win the best spot to watch the Marshall County Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade! We are raffling off three hours of time for one lucky winner to invite 20 guests to use our conference room as the ultimate parade party suite. Tickets are \$2 each or 6 for \$10 (CASH ONLY) and will be available at Frame and Fortunes October 1-31. The winner of the drawing will be announced during a Facebook live on November 8 at 6:30pm. Call 304.845.3009 or email progdirector@strandtheatrewv.com for more information.

WALK-ON ROLES BENEFIT KATHY'S HOUSE

The Strand Theatre partnered with a star-studded line-up of hometown heroes who took a chance to join the cast of the summer musical production of *The Addams Family* by playing a walk-on role during one show. As audience members entered the theatre, they passed a table with donation jars designated for each of our hometown heroes. Based on donations, the person collecting the

most donations took the stage with minimal preparation. The panel of local celebrities included Tracey Filben, Judy Hunt, CJ Plogger and Micah Underwood. A total of \$913.81 was raised through the walk-on roles to benefit Kathy's

Underwood. A total of \$913.81 was raised through the walk-on roles to benefit Kathy's House. Pictured left is Peter Lim (Strand Theatre Program Committee Member and Gomez Addams in *The Addams Family*) and Jane Criswell (Kathy's House).





CHILDREN'S ACTING CLASSES

It's time to register for the fall children's acting classes! Classes will begin on October 1 and will conclude with a showcase open to the public on Saturday, December 3. There will be two sessions. Session 1 (Kindergarten-Grade 4) will meet from 8:45am-10:15am. Tuition for session 1 is \$60. Session 2 (Grades 5-8) will meet from 10:30am-12:30pm. Tuition for session 2 is \$80. Registration will open on September 1 at www.strandtheatrewv.com/events

Renee Storm will be the instructor for both sessions. Renee is the owner of World Beyond the Storm, LLC, freelance content-creator, performer, educator, fitness instructor, Independent Scout & Cellar Consultant, and Mary Kay Independent consultant. She resides in Wheeling, WV with her husband, Ryan, daughter, Reign, and 4 cats.

She holds her BA in Communications with a Music/Theater minor from West Liberty University and her Master's in Education with a dual certification in English and Theatre from New York University's Steinhardt Culture, Education, and Human Development School. While in New York, Renee performed in the NYU Choir, St. Joseph's of Greenwich Village Church Choir, and various cabaret shows. She also studied theatre abroad in Puerto Rico. From 2016-2020 she performed in the traveling assembly, Jump with Jill - The World's Only Rock 'n' Roll Nutrition Show geared toward children. Over the course of the 4 years, she performed the show 756 times and reached 263,000 kids in the United States and Europe. Renee is certified in WV to teach English K-12 and Theater Pre-K- 12. Renee taught English at Wheeling Middle School and Buckeye Local High School. She performs with Wheeling's very own Mystery Theatre Unlimited. Throughout her acting career, she performed in numerous musicals including performances with the Hilltop Players at West Liberty University and Weathervane Playhouse in Newark, OH. A few of her credits include Lady Macbeth in Macbeth, Sally Bowles in Cabaret, and Hope Caldwell in Urinetown the Musical. She's especially proud of her roles at the Strand Theatre. Some of her credits include Velma in Chicago, one of the stepsisters in Cinderella, Linda in The Wedding Singer, and the ensemble in Godspell. She is honored to help teach the youth of her hometown and the greater Ohio Valley what she loves most- theatre. To her, inspiring others to use their passion is the greatest gift of all.

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POPPING UP COMMUNITY SPIRIT AT THE STRAND

Volunteer board members at the Strand have kept themselves busy popping popcorn for the City of Moundsville Arts and Culture Commission's outdoor movie events. The Strand is happy to support the commission as they bring free entertainment to audiences of all ages to our community. We welcome community members who might be willing to join our efforts to volunteer at the theatre. Call 304.845.3009 to see how you can get involved! Pictured left to right are Strand Board Members Vice President Dave Knuth and Tim Wilt.

DONATIONS ACCEPTED FOR INDOOR YARD SALE

We are accepting donations for our upcoming yard sale at the theatre beginning Saturday, September. You can drop off items on Saturday, September 10 thru Thursday, September 15 from 9am-5pm. Though we appreciate your all your donations, we cannot accept clothing. Can't make it during those times? Call Becky at 304.281.0647 to make other arrangements.



Come find your treasures and shop at our yard sale on

Saturday, September 17

8am-noon priced as marked. 12-12:30pm CLOSED 12:30-2:00pm ½ off or fill a box for \$5 sale

ONE DAY ONLY!

