

Announcing our Star Spangled 2010-2011 Season at

THE THEATRE FACTORY

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SEPTEMBER 24 THROUGH OCTOBER 10



By the Tony Award winning creative team:
WILLIAM FINN (Music & Lyrics)
RACHEL SHEINKIN (Book)

6 adolescents in the throes of puberty, overseen by grown-ups who barely managed to escape childhood themselves, learn that winning isn't everything and that losing doesn't necessarily make you a loser.

The Tony-award winning creative team writes a hilarious tale about the unlikeliest of heroes, for whom a spelling bee is the one place where they can stand out and fit in at the same time.

OCTOBER 29 THROUGH NOVEMBER 17



By John Pielmeier

The Mother Superior, a psychiatrist and a young novice accused of murdering her newborn, re-examine the meaning of faith and the power of love.

"Riveting, powerful, electrifying drama – the dialogue crackles." N.Y. Daily News

"Outstanding play that deals intelligently with questions of religion and psychology." N. Y. Times

DECEMBER 3 THROUGH DECEMBER 19

The perfect family holiday musical!



Book by Thomas Meehan
Music by Charles Strouse
Lyrics by Martin Chamin
Based on the Tribune Media Service Comic Strip, "Little Orphan Annie."

Leapin' Lizards!
The popular comic strip heroine takes center stage in one of the world's best-loved musicals. Abandoned on the doorstep of an orphanage, Annie and a lovable mutt named Sandy befriend President FDR and find a new family and home with billionaire Oliver Warbucks.

FEBRUARY 11 THROUGH FEBRUARY 27



By Noel Coward

One of the most sophisticated, entertaining plays ever written. A once married couple and their spouses meet by chance at a hotel, and what ensues results in a uniquely humorous play boasting numerous successful Broadway runs.

"Gorgeous, dazzling, fantastically funny." – N.Y. Times

"A brilliant comedy. A very funny play." – Newsweek
"A gleaming and gleeful comedy." – N.Y. Post

APRIL 29 THROUGH MAY 15



By Ted Swindley
Based on a true story

Down home county humor, true emotion and unforgettable songs including *Crazy*, *I Fall To Pieces*, *Sweet Dreams* and *Walkin' After Midnight*.

This musical play is inspired by Cline's letters to a special fan from Houston who befriended the star in a Texas honky-tonk ... letters consistently signed "Love ALWAYS ... Patsy Cline"

AUGUST 5 THROUGH AUGUST 21



Music & Lyrics by George M. Cohan
Book by Michael Stewart, John Pascal & Francine Pascal
Lyrics and Musical Revisions by Mary Cohan
Starring Song & Dance Man Jeremy Czarniak

The life story of George M. Cohan, who gave us such songs as *Yankee Doodle Dandy*, *Over There*, *You're A Grand Old Flag* and *Give My Regards to Broadway*.

We follow him over a 60-year period from the vaudeville circuit with his parents and sister as "The Four Cohans" to New York, where he starts his 25-year absolute reign of the Broadway stage.

A sizzling, spectacular tap-dancing extravaganza!

Puppets, Leprechauns and Pirates Share the Star-Spangled Spotlight

Next Season At



January 15, 16, 22, 23 at 2 p.m.: January 21 at 7:30 p.m.



*Delightfully Funny
*Unexpectedly Touching

Comedy by William Glennon

This new, inventive, imaginative interpretation of the ageless Carlo Collodi story is a non-stop adventure tale for family audiences. You really haven't seen "Pinocchio" until you've seen this sparking new version.

March 19, 20, 26, 27 at 2 p.m.; March 25 at 7:30 p.m.

Book, Music & Lyrics by Ben Finn

Meet the only leprechaun in all of Ireland who doesn't know where any pot of gold is.... and for that, people call him the "bad luck leprechaun." He just wants to belong in a real house with real people!

A delightful children's musical by the author of "The Happiness Man" which entertained families in our 15th season.



June 11, 12, 18, 19 at 2 p.m.; June 17 at 7:30 p.m.



Dramatized by Max Bush
Taken from the story by Robert Louis Stevenson

When young Jim Hawkins is given a treasure map, he longs for the adventure and dreams of sailing. Follow him as he eludes Pirates and sets sail for the mysterious Treasure Island, only to be captured by Long John Silver and his crew. An exciting adventure story with a race to secure the treasure.

In DECEMBER
KidWorks Families are invited to spend
the holidays
with Daddy Warbucks and "ANNIE"

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All KidWorks Tickets are \$6.00

No assigned seats, but reservations are recommended.

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