

# THE ICONIC SEASON

2024-2025 SCHEDULE





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## THE ICONIC SEASON

Dear Friends,

We are honored to celebrate 37 years of serving our community with exceptional cultural experiences. Actors' Playhouse is proud to be the largest professional theatre company in our area for both adults and children, a Florida Presenting Cultural Institution, and one of Miami-Dade County's 12 major cultural institutions. We deeply appreciate the support of our community, donors, patrons, and the individuals who have dedicated themselves to our company throughout this journey. Your applause fuels our success for generations to come. Join us at the Miracle Theatre in 2024-2025 for Mainstage and Children's Theatre events and more.

We would be privileged to have your family as subscribing members and supporters of Actors' Playhouse. Subscribers are our foundation for today and tomorrow.

Theatrically yours,



**Barbara S. Stein**  
Executive Producing Director



**David Arisco**  
Artistic Director

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## SPECIAL EVENTS AT THE MIRACLE

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**April 26, 2025**

**34<sup>th</sup> Reach for the Stars  
Gala Auction**

**February-May 2025**

**Young Talent Big Dreams  
County Wide Youth Talent Contest**

**Year Round Film Screenings**

**The Great Movie Ride Film Series**

**Special Happy Hours, Talk Backs and More!**  
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A central clock face with a white face and black hands is set against a dark, textured background. The background is filled with golden musical notes, treble clefs, and a vinyl record. The clock face has a slightly distressed, artistic look. The overall color palette is dark with golden accents.

***“A thrill to see and hear.”***

**- The New York Times**

# **TICK, TICK... BOOM!**

**BOOK, MUSIC & LYRICS BY JONATHAN LARSON**

A musical by Jonathan Larson, the mind behind *Rent*. This autobiographical piece follows Jon, an aspiring composer hitting 30 in the artistic hustle of New York City. Larson's creation delves into the challenges of pursuing dreams, offering a poignant journey through self-discovery, creativity, and the ticking clock of time. With catchy tunes and heartfelt moments, *Tick, Tick... Boom!* celebrates artistic passion while reflecting on the universal theme of chasing dreams amid life's uncertainties. It encapsulates Larson's own experiences, delivering a compelling narrative within the vibrant backdrop of the city that never sleeps.

**PERFORMANCES:**

**November 13 - December 8, 2024**



# JERSEY BOYS

BOOK BY MARSHALL BRICKMAN AND RICK ELICE

MUSIC BY BOB GAUDIO

LYRICS BY BOB CREWE

*Jersey Boys* chronicles the incredible journey of Frankie Valli and The Four Seasons. This Tony Award-winning musical takes the audience through their rise to fame, personal struggles, and eventual triumph of the iconic 1960s rock 'n' roll group. The narrative unfolds through each band member's perspective, offering a captivating exploration of their dynamic relationships and the challenges faced on their path to stardom. Filled with classic hits like "Sherry," "Big Girls Don't Cry" and "Can't Take My Eyes Off You," *Jersey Boys* is a compelling tribute to the power of music and the enduring legacy of one of America's greatest musical acts.

PERFORMANCES:

**January 22 - February 23, 2025**



***"The energy is unstoppable!"***

**- Associated Press**



***“A little slice of heaven!”***

- Entertainment Weekly

# WAITRESS

MUSIC AND LYRICS BY SARA BAREILLES

BOOK BY JESSIE NELSON

BASED ON THE ORIGINAL SCREENPLAY BY ADRIENNE SHELLY

*Waitress* is a heartwarming musical that serves up a slice of life, sprinkled with humor, resilience, and the joy of self-discovery. The story revolves around Jenna, a talented pie-maker trapped in a loveless marriage, who finds solace and strength through her extraordinary baking skills. As Jenna navigates the challenges of life, love, and motherhood, the musical unfolds with a sweet blend of sincerity and wit. With a soulful score by Sara Bareilles, *Waitress* is a delectable treat that explores the empowering journey of a woman finding her own recipe for happiness.

PERFORMANCES:

**March 26 - April 20, 2025**



***“Heart-thumping... Don’t miss the  
hurtling ride of *The Girl on the Train*.”***  
– London Theatre Direct

# THE GIRL ON THE TRAIN

BASED ON THE BEST-SELLING NOVEL BY PAULA HAWKINS  
AND DREAMWORKS FILM ADAPTED BY RACHEL WAGSTAFF AND DUNCAN ABEL

Adapted from Paula Hawkins’ novel – an international phenomenon selling over twenty million copies worldwide – this gripping new play will keep audiences guessing until the final moment. The story revolves around Rachel Watson, a troubled woman entangled in a web of intrigue and deceit as she becomes intertwined with the lives of strangers she observes during her daily train commute. The narrative is a captivating exploration of memory, obsession, and the thin line between truth and illusion. This stage adaptation delves into the dark corners of the human psyche, keeping audiences on the edge of their seats as the mystery unravels, revealing the shocking secrets beneath the surface.

PERFORMANCES:

**May 14 – June 8, 2025**



# STEP BY STEP

BY PETER QUILTER

Three women go on a two-day hike up a hill to honor a recently deceased friend, each carrying an inscribed stone to place as a monument at the peak. But they have to get there first - and the climb will be as challenging, unexpected, ridiculous and hilarious as life itself. Written by the acclaimed author known for his hit Broadway play *End of the Rainbow*, which inspired the Oscar-winning film “Judy” starring Renée Zellweger, *Step By Step* is a theatrical gem. This United States premiere is a rollercoaster of memories, emotions, and personal revelations, showcasing comedic brilliance through witty dialogue and clever one-liners that will leave audiences laughing out loud.

PERFORMANCES:

**July 16 - August 10, 2025**

**“One of Quilter’s most humorous  
and entertaining texts.”**

**- Forbes**



# MUSICAL THEATER FOR YOUNG AUDIENCES

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## **A CHRISTMAS CAROL, THE MUSICAL**

Script Adapted by Nina Felice  
and Earl Maulding

Music & Lyrics by Scott Morlock  
and Earl Maulding

**Nov 18 - Dec 22, 2024**

Special Holiday Performances  
on Dec 8, 15 and 22 at 2 p.m.,  
and Dec 21 at 7 p.m.

Sensory Inclusive Performance  
on Dec 15 at 2 p.m.



## **JUNIE B. JONES, THE MUSICAL**

Book and Lyrics by Marcy Heisler  
Music by Zina Goldrich

Based on the bestselling book  
*Junie B. Jones* by Barbara Park

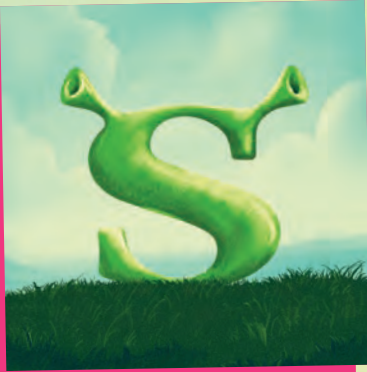
**Jan 10 - Feb 28, 2025**

March 3 - 21, 2025 (Weekday Field Trips Only)

April 2 - 19, 2025 - **BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!**

Sensory Inclusive Performance  
on Feb 2 at 2 p.m.





## **SHREK THE MUSICAL**

Music by Jeanine Tesori

Book and Lyrics by David Lindsay-Abaire

Based on the DreamWorks Animation  
Motion Picture and the book  
by William Steig

**July 5 - 26, 2025**

Sensory Inclusive Performance  
on July 13 at 2 p.m.

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