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**Hairspray (Musical)** Music by Marc Shaiman, lyrics by Scott Wittman and Shaiman, and book by Mark O'Donnel and Thomas Meehan, based on the 1998 John Waters film. Directed by Sue Mueller July 21-24 and 28-31, 2011

(PLEASE NOTE: THIS IS OUR SUMMER FUNDRAISER...NOT PART OF THE REGULAR SEASON.) Hairspray delighted audiences by sweeping them away to 1960s Baltimore, where the 50s are out and change is in the air. Lovable plus-size heroine, Tracy Turnblad, has a passion for dancing and wins a spot on the local TV dance program, "The Corny Collins Show". Overnight she finds herself transformed from outsider to teen celebrity. Can a larger-than-life adolescent manage to vanquish the program's reigning princess, integrate the television show, and find true love (singing and dancing all the while, of course!) without mussing her hair?

**The Spitfire Grill (Musical)** Music and book by James Vakq and lyrics and book by Fred Alley, based on the film by Lee David Zlotlff. Directed by Diana Enloe September 16-25, 2011

A feisty parolee follows her dreams, based on a page from an old travel book, to a small town in Wisconsin and finds a place for herself working at Hannah's Spitfire Grill. It is for sale but there are no takers for the only eatery in the depressed town, so newcomer Percy suggests to Hannah that she raffle it off. Entry fees are one hundred dollars and the best essay on why you want the grill wins. Soon, mail is arriving by the wheelbarrow full and things are definitely cookin' at the Spitfire Grill.

**Children of a Lesser God (Drama)** by Mark Medoff Directed by Kevin Frakes November 11-20, 2011

James, a young speech therapist, joins the faculty of a school for the deaf, where he is to teach lip-reading. He meets Sarah, a school dropout, totally deaf from birth and estranged both from the world of hearing and from those who would compromise to enter that world. Gradually the two fall in love and marry. At first their relationship is a happy and glowing one, but discord soon develops as Sarah becomes militant for the rights of the deaf and rejects any hint that she is being patronized and pitied. In the end, the chasm between the worlds of sound and silence seem almost too great to cross...but love and compassion hold the hope of reconciliation, and a deeper, fuller understanding of differences that, in the final essence, can unite as well as divide.

**The Last Mass at St. Casimir's (Comedy)** by Tom Dudzick Directed by Lee Cox January 27-February 5, 2012

This is the endearing last chapter of the Over The Tavern trilogy of plays, where the Pazinski clan has gathered to say their final goodbyes to their recently-sold childhood home. The unexpected blizzard of 1977 compels

them to stay together in their old house and forces them to confront lingering family issues - with miraculous and comical mishaps. Through all their trials and misfortunes, the Pazinski family finally discovers the gifts of real love.

**Laughter on the 23rd Floor (Comedy)** by Neil Simon Directed by Mark Hilgert March 16-25, 2012

This show is inspired by the playwright's (Neil Simon) youthful experience as a staff writer on Sid Caesar's Your Show of Shows, with all the attendant comic drama as the harried writing staff frantically scrambles to top each other with gags while competing for the attention of star madman "Max Prince". **The play does include adult language and may not be suitable for children.**

**The Adventures of Tom Sawyer (Musical)** Based on the novel by Mark Twain with book by Ken Ludwig and music/lyrics by Don Schiltz. Directed by Kevin Frakes May 11-20, 2012

Mark Twain's classic story comes to exuberant musical life in this Broadway adaptation of America's favorite book. The Adventures of Tom Sawyer is the irresistible story of a fourteen year-old boy growing up in the heartland of America. Set in 1840 in St. Petersburg, Missouri, a bustling town on the banks of the Mississippi River, Tom matches wits with his stern Aunt Polly, falls in love with the beautiful, feisty Becky Thatcher, and goes on the adventure of his life with Becky and that irresistible renegade, Huckleberry Finn. Along the way we meet a terrifying villain named Injun Joe, Tom's bratty half-brother Sid, and all the other boys and girls in the village.



Season Tickets will go on sale during our May show, CURTAINS. Purchase your Season Ticket by May 31, 2011 for \$70.00 and receive a \$5.00 off coupon for the summer musical, HAIRSPRAY.



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