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# Holland School of Visual and Performing Arts



The Holland School of Visual and Performing Arts is proud to present its second season of exceptional performances for the community. We invite you to join us for another year of events produced by our resident Departments of Music and Theatre and Dance, as well as outstanding touring attractions.

From the Southeast Missouri Symphony Orchestra Gala Season Opener to the beauty of the Russian National Ballet in Cinderella, this promises to be another exciting season.

## Box Office Information

MONDAY-FRIDAY 9:00 AM TO 4:00 PM, PHONE: (573) 651-2265  
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- The box office opens for pre-performance sales one hour prior to each performance. House opens for seating 30 minutes before a performance.

- All sales are final with the following exceptions:

**Returns:** Patrons may return unused tickets up to certain time and receive credit for a tax-deductible, in-kind contribution.

**Exchanges:** For events that have more than one performance, tickets may be exchanged for a different day or time only. The exchange must be made at least two working days prior to the earliest performance which would be affected.

- Southeast student, faculty, staff, and group discounts are offered on select events. For more information, contact the box office.

## Disability Support Services

Assisted Listening Devices are available upon request. A sign interpreter for the deaf or hearing impaired or large print programs for the visually impaired will be provided when requested from the box office at least ten working days in advance of the event. We urge our patrons to make us aware of their special needs as early as possible.

## Chronological Schedule of Events

Oct. 1-5	The 1940's Radio Hour
Oct. 11	Battleworks Dance Company
Oct. 14	Gala Season Opener
Oct. 29-31, Nov. 1-2	Sister Mary Ignatius Explains it all For You and The Actor's Nightmare
Oct. 31	Savion Glover: Bare Soundz
Nov. 8	Sweeney Todd
Dec. 3-6	Twelfth Night
Dec. 9	Peter and the Wolf
Dec. 10-14	Fall Dance Concert
Dec. 15 & 16	Moscow Ballet: Great Russian Nutcracker
Feb. 3	Saint Louis Symphony Orchestra
Feb. 25-28, Mar 1	Sweet Charity
Mar. 3	Lincoln Portrait
Mar. 8	Hairspray
Mar. 10 & 11	Cirque Eloize: Nebbia
Mar. 26-28, Apr. 1-5	Angels in America
April 7	Haydn "Nelson" Mass
April 16-19	Dance-Apalooza
April 20	Footloose
May 1	Russian National Ballet: Cinderella
May 5	China Tour Preview

Symphony Series       Touring Series  
 Theatre & Dance Series       Special Event



# Symphony Series



David Halen

## Gala Season Opener

OCTOBER 14, 7:30 PM

DAVID HALEN AND JONATHAN VINOCOUR, GUEST SOLOISTS;  
MUSIC BY MOZART AND BEETHOVEN



Jonathan Vinocour

The Southeast Missouri Symphony Orchestra opens its concert season with a spectacular concert featuring the stellar artistry of David Halen, concertmaster, and Jonathan Vinocour, principal violist of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra. This amazing duo joins the symphony in a performance of Mozart's sublime "Sinfonia Concertante." Beethoven's dramatic "Fifth Symphony" will also be performed on this thrilling gala opener.

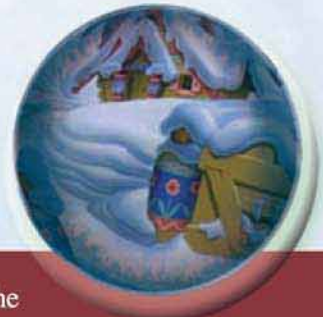


## PETER AND THE WOLF

DECEMBER 9, 7:30 PM

ALSO FEATURING THE UNIVERSITY CHOIR  
AND CHORAL UNION IN "HIAWATHA'S WEDDING FEAST"

The symphony orchestra presents Prokofiev's enchanting "Peter and the Wolf," a story in music. Southeast's University Choir and Choral Union (Dr. Steven Hendricks, conductor) will join the symphony for a performance of the celebrated "Hiawatha's Wedding Feast" by English composer, Samuel Coleridge-Taylor.



## SAINT LOUIS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

FEBRUARY 3, 7:30 PM

We welcome back the Saint Louis Symphony Orchestra, who presented a fabulous performance last season. The Symphony is recognized internationally, performing a broad musical repertoire with skill and spirit.





# Symphony Series



## LINCOLN PORTRAIT

MARCH 3, 7:30 PM

The Southeast Missouri Symphony Orchestra celebrates the bicentennial of Abraham Lincoln's birth with Copland's moving composition, "Lincoln Portrait." This concert will also present the evocative Afro-American Symphony by the great American composer, William Grant Still. Inspiring music with an American theme will be performed in honor of Lincoln's 200th birthday.



William Grant Still

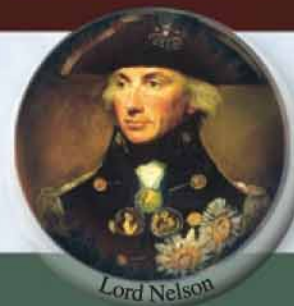


## HAYDN "NELSON" MASS

APRIL 7, 7:30 PM

WITH 2008-2009 CONCERTO AND ARIA SOLOISTS

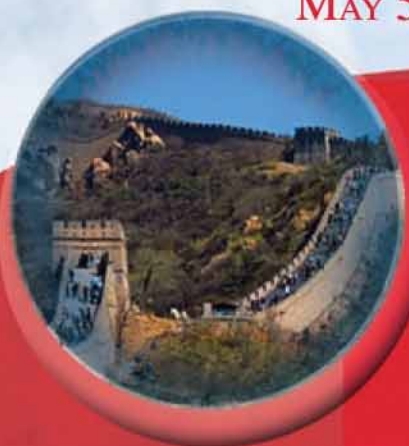
Joseph Haydn (1732-1809) is one of the most famous and beloved of Classical composers. The symphony orchestra will join with Southeast's University Choir and Choral Union (Dr. Steven Hendricks, conductor), in this performance of Haydn's "Nelson" Mass, commemorating an important naval victory by the British commander, Lord Nelson. Also on the program will be the 2008-2009 student winners of the Concerto and Aria Competition.



Lord Nelson

## CHINA TOUR PREVIEW

MAY 5, 7:30 PM



The Southeast Missouri Symphony Orchestra is preparing for its first international tour, with concerts in Shanghai and Beijing in late May 2009! This "China Tour Preview" will provide a sampling of its China concert repertoire, with an eclectic program of Baroque, Classical, and contemporary works for chamber and string orchestra. Special soloists will include Brandon Christensen, violin; Paul Thompson, flute; and Jennifer Lim Judd, piano. Next stop: China!





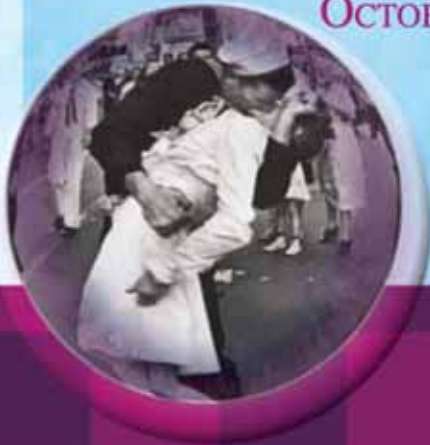
# Theatre & Dance Series



## THE 1940'S RADIO HOUR

OCTOBER 1-4, 7:30 PM

OCTOBER 5, 2:00 PM



The hit musical journey to a bygone era where the audience will experience a "live" radio broadcast from 1942.

## SISTER MARY IGNATIUS EXPLAINS IT ALL FOR YOU AND THE ACTOR'S NIGHTMARE

OCTOBER 29-31 AND NOVEMBER 1, 7:30 PM

NOVEMBER 2, 2:00 PM

THIS WILL BE A GENERAL ADMISSION EVENT HELD IN THE WENDY KURKA RUST THEATRE.

"Sister Mary Ignatius Explains It All For You," Christopher Durang's hit comedy explaining the basic tenets of Catholicism. Conceived as a companion piece, "The Actor's Nightmare" details the plight of a stranger who is suddenly pushed on stage to replace an ailing actor.



This performance contains adult content.

## TWELFTH NIGHT

DECEMBER 3-5, 7:30 PM

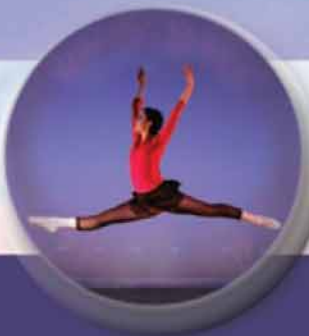
DECEMBER 6, 2:00 & 7:30 PM

"Twelfth Night" is a comedy by William Shakespeare, named after the Twelfth Night holiday of the Christmas season. It was written around 1601, and was first published in the First Folio in 1623.





# Theatre & Dance Series



## FALL DANCE CONCERT

DECEMBER 10-13, 7:30 PM

DECEMBER 14, 2:00 PM

THIS WILL BE A GENERAL ADMISSION EVENT HELD IN THE WENDY KURKA RUST THEATRE.

A perennial favorite, the Fall Dance Concert features the choreography of senior dance students.



## SWEET CHARITY

FEBRUARY 25-28, 7:30 PM

MARCH 1, 2:00 PM

Sweet Charity is a Tony Award-winning musical by Neil Simon, Cy Coleman, and Dorothy Fields and features Bob Fosse style dancing.



This performance contains adult themes.



## ANGELS IN AMERICA

MARCH 26-28 & APRIL 1-4, 7:30 PM

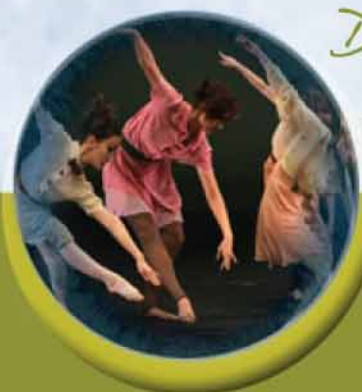
APRIL 5, 2:00 PM

THIS WILL BE A GENERAL ADMISSION EVENT HELD IN THE WENDY KURKA RUST THEATRE.

"Angels in America," Tony Kushner's Pulitzer Prize and Tony Award-winning play that marked a turning point in the history of gay and American drama and literary culture.



This performance contains adult language and content.



## DANCE-APALOOZA

APRIL 16-18, 7:30 PM

APRIL 19, 2:00 PM

Featuring the choreography of faculty and guest artists, Dance-Apalooza showcases a variety of styles such as modern, jazz, tap, and contemporary ballet. "Dance-Apalooza" also includes repertory from New York City choreographer Robert Battle and his Battleworks Dance Company, as well as a re-construction of Doris Humphrey's 1928 work, "Water Study."





# Touring Series



## BATTLEWORKS DANCE COMPANY OCTOBER 11, 7:30 PM



Founded in 2001 by Robert Battle as a platform for his choreography, Battleworks Dance Company has a repertoire of brilliantly composed and executed dances. Battleworks is now a home for dancers to work and grow. Battle possesses a dance vocabulary that utilizes gesture and nuance in a beautiful, unusual way. When it comes to movement, Battle has no boundaries in creating his imagery.



## SAVION GLOVER: BARE SOUNDZ OCTOBER 31, 7:30 PM

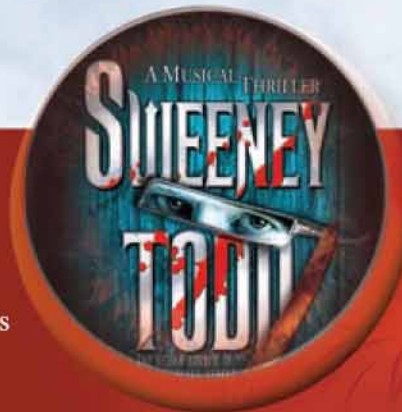
Savion Glover's "Bare Soundz" is an exuberant celebration of tap dance to sound and sound to dance. Glover merges acoustical vibrations in a music mosaic hosting sounds explaining Jazz, Caribbean beats, and other contemporary musical genres.



## SWEENEY TODD

NOVEMBER 8, 2:30 & 7:30 PM

Experience, live on stage, the musical that inspired the Tim Burton and Johnny Depp movie. When the infamous demon barber takes up with his crafty neighbor, Mrs. Lovett, the two embark on a delicious plot to slice their way through London's upper crust. Justice is served—along with lush melody, audacious humor, and hair-raising excitement. Don't miss this phenomenal production—with full music and lyrics by multiple Tony-Award winner, Stephen Sondheim.



This performance contains adult language and themes.



## HAIRSPRAY

MARCH 8, 2:30 & 7:30 PM

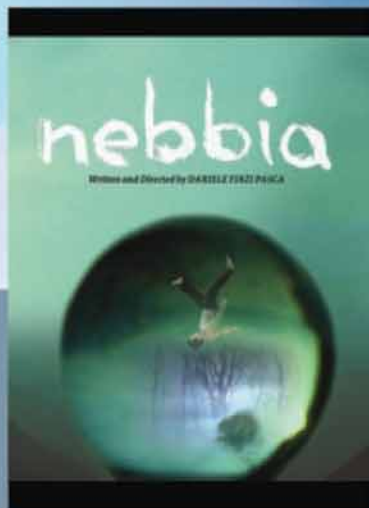
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In "Hairspray" it's 1962—the '50s are out and change is in the air. Baltimore's Tracy Turnblad, a big girl with big hair and an even bigger heart, has only one passion—to dance. But can a plus-size trendsetter in dance and fashion vanquish a reigning princess, win the heart of heartthrob Link Larkin, and integrate a television show without denting her 'do? Only in "Hairspray!" Welcome to the '60s!





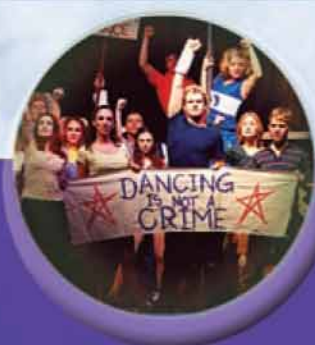
# Touring Series



## CIRQUE ELOIZE: NEBBIA

MARCH 10 & 11, 7:30 PM

Meaning *fog* in Italian, "Nebbia" explores the world of dreams and the imaginary. In the fog, you get lost, you find each other, but above all, you are confronted with the unexpected. "Nebbia" will plunge you into a poetic and sensitive universe, mixing acrobatics and theatre in a subtle way which has no boundaries.



## FOOTLOOSE

APRIL 20, 7:30 PM

In 1984 the movie "Footloose," starring Kevin Bacon, captured the heart of America. With its youthful spirit, dazzling dance and electrifying music, "Footloose" launched a dance craze that spread across the nation.



This performance will encourage young people to dance.



## RUSSIAN NATIONAL BALLET: CINDERELLA

MAY 1, 7:30 PM

The fairytale of Cinderella and her glass slippers is brought to life by the Russian National Ballet. Children of all ages will enjoy this beautiful three act Ballet.



## Special Event

## MOSCOW BALLET: GREAT RUSSIAN NUTCRACKER

DECEMBER 15 & 16, 7:30 PM  
NEW DATES

Whimsical and imaginative storytelling blend with the richness of Russian classical dance to make the "Great Russian Nutcracker" a memorable holiday treat for everyone.





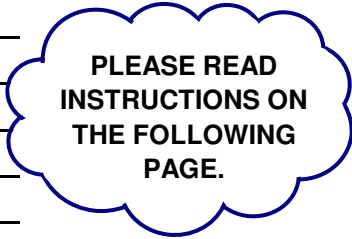
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**2008-2009 SINGLE TICKET ORDER FORM**

Individual event tickets on sale Monday, June 30, 2008.  
 The Box Office, at 518 S. Fountain, is open weekdays, 9 am - 4 pm.  
 Tickets may also be purchased on-line at MetroTix.com.

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**PLEASE NOTE NEW DATES FOR THE FOLLOWING EVENTS:**  
**HAIRSPRAY: SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 2:30 PM & 7:30 PM**  
**NUTCRACKER: MONDAY & TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15 & 16**

Orchestra & First Balcony	Mezzanine & Second Balcony	Total
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TOURING SERIES	ENTER YOUR DATE/TIME PREFERENCE		HOW MANY?		
	1st Preference	2nd Preference			
Battleworks Dance Company	Oct 11, 7:30 pm		_____ x \$29	_____ x \$23	
Savion Glover: Bare Soundz	Oct 31, 7:30 pm		_____ x \$36	_____ x \$30	
Sweeney Todd			_____ x \$44	_____ x \$38	
Hairspray			_____ x \$44	_____ x \$38	
Cirque Eloize: Nebbia			_____ x \$39	_____ x \$33	
Footloose	Apr 20, 7:30 pm		_____ x \$44	_____ x \$38	
Russian National Ballet	May 1, 7:30 pm		_____ x \$39	_____ x \$33	

THEATRE/DANCE	ENTER YOUR DATE/TIME PREFERENCE			HOW MANY?		
	1st Preference	2nd Preference	3rd Preference			
1940's Radio Hour				_____ x \$19	_____ x \$17	
Sister Mary Ignatius... and The Actor's Nightmare				GENERAL ADMISSION	_____ x \$7	
Twelfth Night				_____ x \$14	_____ x \$12	
Fall Dance Concert				GEN ADM	_____ x \$7	
Sweet Charity				_____ x \$19	_____ x \$17	
Angels in America				GEN ADM	_____ x \$13	
Dance-apalooza				_____ x \$14	_____ x \$12	

SYMPHONY SERIES	All concerts have one performance		HOW MANY?		
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Gala Season Opener	Oct 14, 7:30 pm		_____ x \$20	_____ x \$13	
Peter and the Wolf	Dec 9, 7:30 pm		_____ x \$15	_____ x \$11	
St. Louis Symphony	Feb 3, 7:30 pm		_____ x \$39	_____ x \$33	
Lincoln Portrait	Mar 3, 7:30 pm		_____ x \$15	_____ x \$11	
Haydn: Nelson Mass	Apr 7, 7:30 pm		_____ x \$15	_____ x \$11	
China Tour Preview	May 5, 7:30 pm		_____ x \$15	_____ x \$11	

SPECIAL EVENT	ENTER YOUR DATE/TIME PREFERENCE		HOW MANY?		
	1st Preference	2nd Preference			
Moscow Ballet in The Great Russian Nutcracker			_____ x \$49	_____ x \$39	\$

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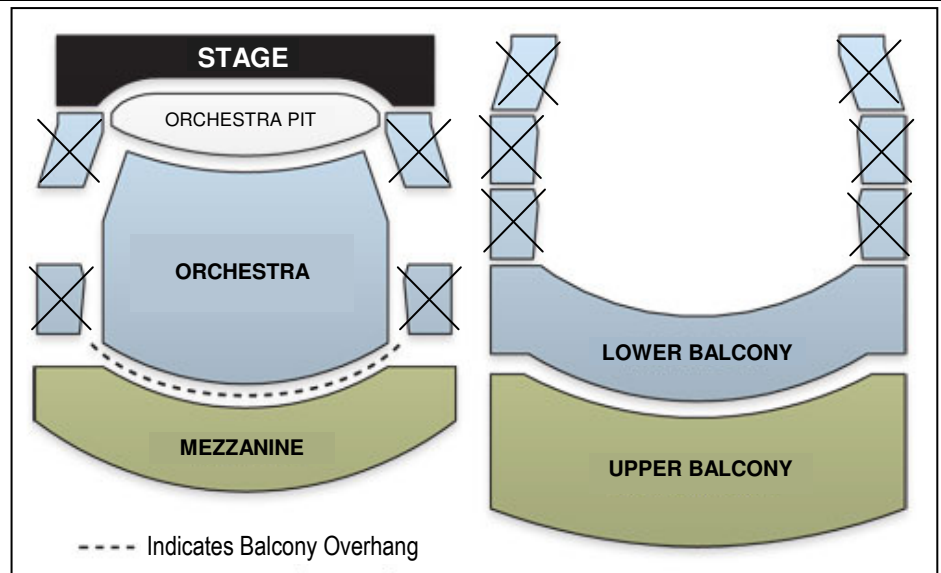
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