

DESSERT IMPOSTERS ~ Saturdays, May 6 and 13

Frank Jr. pulled the wool over many an eye as he made his way across the country — picking his professions as he went. As a pilot, “pie in the sky” was Frank’s dessert of choice. While making the rounds as Dr. Connors, he needed all the “brownie” points he could get (we’re serving ours with ice cream). And, in his role to solve the world’s legal problems, Frank Jr. often enjoyed a luscious lemon “bar” or two.

We hope you’ll join us for some delicious deserts. All you have to do is go out to eat — and then bring us the receipt. No deception here — your dinner receipt in exchange for dessert!

On our first two Saturday shows (May 6 and 13), we want you to go grab dinner — at a restaurant of your choice — and then bring us the receipt. In exchange for your receipt, we’ll provide dessert on the patio before the show. Dessert will be served from 7:15 to 7:45 PM.

AND... to sweeten the deal (see what we did there?), one lucky participant’s receipt will be drawn at random and your dinner will be on us! (Well, the first \$50 of it, anyway!)

So, on Saturday, May 6 and/or Saturday, May 13 — go #DineAroundTown, bring us the bill and enjoy dessert on the patio! Receipts must be dated May 6 or 13 with a time stamp of 4 PM or later. Don’t worry — if you run out of time to grab dinner, we’ll still serve you dessert for \$3 — or choose two for \$5. Water, soft drinks, beer and wine will also be available for purchase.



IMPORTANT DATES AND TICKET INFORMATION



Opening Days:

Friday, April 14 — Priority members: Producer, Corporate Benefactor, Benefactor Sustainer and Patrons

Friday, April 21 — Regular members: Adult, Senior/College/Military and Youth

*The above groups must use the special email link sent on the morning of your “opening day” OR call the box office at 803-799-2510.

Friday, April 28 — Tickets on sale to the General Public



REMEMBER, if we have your e-mail address, be on the lookout the morning of your “opening day” for an email from us that will have the special link required to make your online reservation. If you don’t use e-mail, or if you prefer to speak with a person, give us a call or stop by after 12 noon on your “opening day.”

Helpful hints:

Remember that phone lines tend to be very busy on opening days. The hours of 3 PM to 5 PM tend to have lighter traffic if you wish to wait until then.

- Have a membership, but also wanting to buy additional tickets? Please call us or stop by. This type of transaction isn’t possible ONLINE until April 28 (but you can call us and we will help!).
- Messages are checked and responded to as quickly as possible, but sometimes it is the next business day or after business hours before we can return the call.
- If you have a priority membership (Patron and above) AND a regular membership (Adult, Senior, Youth) and want to reserve ALL of your tickets at the same time, you must wait until Friday, April 21. We apologize, but there is no way we can override this in our system.

Box Office Hours

Beginning Friday, April 14
Monday to Friday, 12:00 noon to 5:00 PM

Beginning Friday, May 5 (Hours extended to curtain on show days during week)
Saturdays — open 3:00 PM to curtain
Sundays — open 1:00 PM to curtain

Online Ticket Reminders

Online ticket reservations before tickets are made available to the public **MUST** be done with the special link that is sent to you via email. The www.towntheatre.com BUY TICKETS link will **NOT** function until April 28.

Members should NOT enter any credit card information. You have already paid for your tickets through your membership. After you log in, you will click the blue APPLY button. (See photo.) The ticket price will “zero out” once you click on or enter your access code.

If you come with a group and each of you have your own membership, we suggest that you give us a call to make your reservation.

REVIEW YOUR ORDER

Details	Amount
Catch Me If You Can Friday, May 05, 2017 8pm	
✘ Adult / CTR-V1 / Standard - Adult	\$ 0.00
✘ Adult / CTR-V2 / Standard - Adult	\$ 0.00
Subtotal:	\$ 0.00
Order Fees:	\$ 0.00
Total:	\$ 0.00

Passes:

Pass: D. 2016-2017 Sustainer
Code: YOURCODE [Apply](#) Tickets reserved 04/15/20

Credit Card Number

MONTH YEAR [More Information](#)

CVV

Your Total

\$ 0.00

ABOUT OUR CERTIFICATES

TOWN’S RESERVATION POLICIES—PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

- All tickets are paid for upon reservation. We do not hold tickets. Online and telephone reservations must be paid by MasterCard or Visa. In person reservations may be paid by MasterCard, Visa, cash or check. The charge is processed at the time of the sale.
- ALL TICKETS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.
- TICKET EXCHANGES may be possible with 24-hour notice. Note that exchanges MAY be limited to specific performances. Contact the box office if an exchange is needed and, if possible, it will be granted.
- Tickets not picked up in advance will be held until curtain at which time they will be given to the House Manager for late arrival.
- Theatergoers will be seated at the rear of the house, if possible, until intermission.
- Once a show has started, the theatre reserves the right NOT to sell tickets to that performance.
- Tickets that are not picked up are considered used and replacement tickets will not be issued.

Can't join us on a Saturday for Dessert? You can still #DineAroundTown at The Villa Tronco or Nonnah's!

Villa Tronco

Choice of: Villa Tronco Chicken, Eggplant Parmigiana, Lasagna or Shrimp Fettuccine. Also includes salad, homemade bread, a dessert choice and a glass of Prosecco. \$32 per person for members*

Nonnah's

Choice of: Sea Island Red Peas, fish de jour or Southern pork loin. Also includes salad, coffee, tea or soda and a Nonnah's special dessert! \$35 per person for members*

*Non-members must also purchase show tickets.

YOUR SHOW TICKETS MUST BE FOR THE SAME DAY AS YOUR DINNER RESERVATION.

To #DineAroundTown, purchase your tickets for the show (online, in person or via phone) and then call the box office to make your dinner reservations. Dinner date options are prior to any evening performance, providing space is available. We will provide you with all details and will also make your dinner reservations for you. Be sure to arrive at 6 PM on your selected day and enjoy the meal and the show! We'll hold your tickets at the box office for you. What a deal — dinner AND a show for less than \$60 a person! Price includes gratuity and tip. Menu details can be found online at www.towntheatre.com/specialevents.

Midlands Gives 2017 — Tuesday, May 2!

For two years now, we have been amazed by your support during Midlands Gives — a 24-hour fundraising and awareness campaign supported by the Center Carolina Community Foundation. We're making big plans for this year — including a special raffle for a Patron Membership for Town's 99th season.

On Tuesday, May 2 — just log in to www.towntheatre.com and make your donation using a credit or debit card (\$20 minimum).

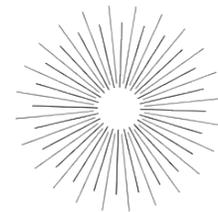
If you give to Town, we will give back to you!

- For every \$25 gift— a voucher for 2 free concession items
- For \$250 — VIP RESERVED seating for the 99th season**
- A \$500 gift will get you a half page feature in one of our playbills to showcase a favorite company, non-profit, business or even yourself! Only EIGHT available. Choice of show on first come/first served basis.
- For \$1,000 — a reserved parking space for each show of the 99th season (that may be the best deal in "Town"!)

ALL GIFTS OVER \$250 WILL BE ENTERED IN A RAFFLE FOR A PATRON MEMBERSHIP!

More details: All contributions are 100% tax-deductible. Each donor will receive confirmation of the contribution via email. Town Theatre will acknowledge all contributions by donor name and level in an upcoming show playbill. All awards from Town will be coordinated with the individual donor. Levels are not cumulative.

** VIP seating: You may select a performance date for each show and have the same seats for each show throughout the season. (This contribution does not include your membership — it must be purchased separately.)



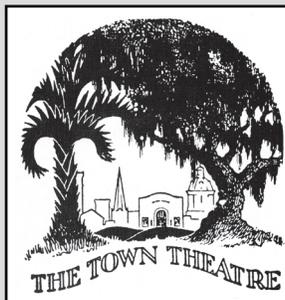
MIDLANDS GIVES

Powered by CENTRAL CAROLINA Community Foundation

NEW OPPORTUNITY ~
Your contribution will reach thousands!

A Glimpse into Town

The Town Theatre logo was drawn from an original sketch by Daniel Reed, Town's first director. It shows a small town seen in perspective through an arch of foliage made by the Palmetto tree on one side and water oak and Spanish moss on the other. The theatre is at the center surrounded by the State House, Trinity Episcopal Church, and homes.



Announcing our 99th Season....

On the back of this newsletter! And since we have you...we are also making plans for our 100th season — 2018–2019. Lots of ideas are brewing and we'd love to hear from you.

Got a great idea you wish to share? Feel free to send your thoughts to us at town@towntheatre.com.

Town Theatre's 99th season....

...complete with a slate of shows never performed on the Town Theatre stage. Here's the line-up — we hope you'll join us as a member. You'll save some money over cash ticket prices AND have the option of making your reservations early.

TOWN THEATRE'S 99TH SEASON MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Join by June 1 and pay the same price as you did for the 98th season!

- PRIORITY BENEFITS (PRODUCERS THROUGH PATRONS):**
- Priority ticket reservations may be made THREE WEEKS before opening night
 - The total number of tickets may be used interchangeably for all shows
 - Special recognition in all season playbills
 - Tax deduction (\$300 Producer, \$100 Corporate Benefactor, \$80 Benefactor, \$40 Sustainer, \$20 Patron)
- Producer: 16 tickets per play (80 for the entire season)\$1,500
 - Corporate Benefactor: 10 tickets per play (50 for the entire season)\$850
 - Benefactor: 8 tickets per play (40 for season) \$18 per ticket\$720
 - Sustainer: 4 tickets per play (20 for season) \$18 per ticket\$360
 - Patron: 2 tickets per play (10 for season) \$18 per ticket\$180

ADULT, SENIOR/COLLEGE/MILITARY AND YOUTH BENEFITS:

- Ticket reservations may be made two weeks before the show opens*
- Adult: 1 ticket for 5 plays (\$16 per ticket)\$80
 - Senior 65+/Active Duty Military/Full-Time College: 1 ticket for 5 plays (\$15 per ticket)\$75
 - Youth 17 and Under: 1 ticket for 5 plays (\$13 per ticket)\$65
 - SUPPORTING THE NEXT GENERATION.....\$40
- Your \$40 contribution will allow you to have 4 tickets to any combination of our youth theatre productions. Support the next generation of stage actors and consider adding this to your regular season membership!

ALL MEMBERS ENJOY SAVINGS OVER CASH TICKET PRICES!

**PURCHASE YOUR MEMBERSHIP ONLINE AT
WWW.TOWNTHEATRE.COM OR MAIL IN THIS FORM.**

Name _____
(Print preferred name for playbill purposes)

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone (Home) _____ (Cell) _____

Email (please print) _____

Use this for the credit card info or enclose a check payable to Town Theatre

MasterCard or Visa # _____ Exp. Date _____

Security Code (3 digits on back of card) _____ Signature: _____



Sept. 22-Oct. 8, 2017



Dec. 1-17, 2017



Jan. 19-Feb. 4, 2018



March 2-18, 2018



May 11-26, 2018

****Part of a group? Call us for options to make the process easier for you!**

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Show summaries available online!



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See page 2 for ticket reservation dates.