

SEPTEMBER 2023 THE STRAND THEATRE

ENHANCING QUALITY OF LIFE THROUGH PERFORMANCE

UPCOMING EVENTS

WWII era movie <u>Casablanca</u> September 8, 7pm, admission \$5 adults, \$3 students, 5 & under free

<u>Yard Sale Donation Drop-off,</u> September 9 9am-12pm, September 11-14, 9am-5pm at the theatre

<u>Yard Sale</u> September 16, 8am-noon priced as marked & 12:30-2:00 half-off or fill a box for \$5 sale

<u>Children's Acting Classes begin</u> September 30, instructor Renee Storm

Christmas Parade Viewing
Party Raffle tickets on sale
October 1-31 @ Frame and Fortunes,
\$2 each or 6 for \$10. Cash only.

The Wizard of Oz Ballet featuring OI youth ballet.

October 7, 7pm, admission \$12 adults, \$10 students, 5 & under free

Children's Halloween movie Coco October 28, craft @ 1:15pm & movie @ 2pm, free admission

The Rocky Horror Picture
Show the movie October 28, 9pm, admission \$15 & prop bags \$5

Click <u>HERE</u> for our complete calendar of events.







MOVIES AT THE STRAND

One of the biggest requests we

hear from the community is to show more movies at the theatre. In the coming months, we are thrilled to honor that request by featuring a variety of movies for audiences of all ages. At all shows, doors will open thirty minutes prior to show time and concessions will be available. Special thanks to GKT for sponsoring our family Halloween movie, *Coco*. Please check our website for details for each event and mark your calendar to join us! www.strandtheatrewv.com/events

CHRISTMAS PARADE VIEWING PARTY RAFFLE

Take a chance to win the best spot to watch the Marshall County Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade! We are raffling off three hours of time for one lucky winner to invite 20 guests to use our conference room as the ultimate parade party suite. Tickets are \$2 each or 6 for \$10 (CASH ONLY) and will be available at Frame and Fortunes October 1-31. The winner of the drawing will be announced during a Facebook live on November 7 at 6:30pm. Call 304.845.3009 or email progdirector@strandtheatrewv.com for more information.

WALK-ON ROLES BENEFIT MARSHALL COUNTY SCHOOLS BACK TO SCHOOL FUN FAIR

The Strand Theatre partnered with a pair of hometown heroes who took a chance to join the cast of the summer musical production of 9 to 5 by playing a walk-on role during the Sunday matinee performance.

As audience members entered the theatre, they passed a table with donation jars designated for each of our hometown heroes. Susie Baker collected the most donations, and

it was great fun to watch her take the stage! A total of \$856 was raised through the walk-on roles to benefit the Marshall County Schools Back to School Fun Fair. Pictured left is Peter Lim (Strand Theatre Program Committee Member and 9 to 5 cast member) and Susie Baker (Marshall County Schools Parent Coordinator and Back to Schools Fun Fair Coordinator).





CHILDREN'S ACTING CLASSES

It's time to register for the fall children's acting classes! Classes will begin on September 30 and will conclude on November 4. There will be two sessions. Session 1 (Kindergarten-Grade 3) will meet from 9am-9:55am. Session 2 (Grades 4-8) will meet from 10am-10:55am. Tuition for participation in six-week class series is \$70. Online registration is open at www.strandtheatrewv.com/events

Renee Storm will be the instructor for both sessions. Renee is the owner of World Beyond the Storm, LLC, freelance content-creator, performer, educator, fitness instructor, Independent Scout & Cellar Consultant, and Mary Kay Independent consultant. She resides in Wheeling, WV with her husband, Ryan, daughter, Reign, and 4 cats.

She holds her BA in Communications with a Music/Theater minor from West Liberty University and her Master's in Education with a dual certification in English and Theatre from New York University's Steinhardt Culture, Education, and Human Development School. While in New York, Renee performed in the NYU Choir, St. Joseph's of Greenwich Village Church Choir, and various cabaret shows. She also studied theatre abroad in Puerto Rico. From 2016-2020 she performed in the traveling assembly, Jump with Jill - The World's Only Rock 'n' Roll Nutrition Show geared toward children. Over the course of the 4 years, she performed the show 756 times and reached 263,000 kids in the United States and Europe. Renee is certified in WV to teach English K-12 and Theater Pre-K- 12. Renee taught English at Wheeling Middle School and Buckeye Local High School. She performs with Wheeling's very own Mystery Theatre Unlimited. Throughout her acting career, she performed in numerous musicals including performances with the Hilltop Players at West Liberty University and Weathervane Playhouse in Newark, OH. A few of her credits include Lady Macbeth in Macbeth, Sally Bowles in Cabaret, and Hope Caldwell in Urinetown the Musical. She's especially proud of her roles at the Strand Theatre. Some of her credits include Velma in Chicago, one of the stepsisters in Cinderella, Linda in The Wedding Singer, and the ensemble in Godspell. She is honored to help teach the youth of her hometown and the greater Ohio Valley what she loves most- theatre. To her, inspiring others to use their passion is the greatest gift of all.

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POPPING UP COMMUNITY SPIRIT AT THE STRAND

Volunteer board members at the Strand have kept themselves busy popping popcorn for the City of Moundsville Arts and Culture Commission's outdoor movie events. The Strand is happy to support the commission as they bring free entertainment to audiences of all ages to our community. We welcome community members who might be willing to join our efforts to volunteer at the theatre. Call 304.845.3009 to see how you can get involved! Pictured left to right are Strand Board Members Vice President Dave Knuth and Tim Wilt.

DONATIONS ACCEPTED FOR INDOOR YARD SALE

We are accepting donations for our upcoming yard sale at the theatre beginning Saturday, September 9. You can drop off items on Saturday, September 9 from 9am-12pm and Monday, September 11 thru Thursday, September 14 from 9am-5pm. Though we appreciate your all your donations, we cannot accept clothing. Can't make it during those times? Call Becky at 304.281.0647 to make other arrangements.



Come find your treasures and shop at our yard sale on

Saturday, September 16

8am-noon priced as marked. 12-12:30pm CLOSED 12:30-2:00pm ½ off or fill a box for \$5 sale

ONE DAY ONLY!

