



UPCOMING EVENTS

DARK SIDE OF THE MOONSHINE
NOVEMBER 1 @ 7PM

ENJOY BOOKS FOR SALE
\$40 CASH OR CHECK, AVAILABLE
AT
FRAME & FORTUNES AND
MOUNDSVILLE PHARMACY

WV STATE & MID-ATLANTIC
ZONE BODY BUILDING
CHAMPIONSHIPS
NOVEMBER 8 @ 9AM & 4PM
TICKETS FOR ADMISSION @ DOOR

DRAWING FOR PARADE RAFFLE
NOVEMBER 11
6:30PM ON FB LIVE

NUTCRACKER BALLET
DECEMBER 6 @ 2PM
ADMISSION ADULTS \$15
STUDENTS (AGE 5-18) \$12,
4 & UNDER FREE

CHRISTMAS AT THE STRAND
RON RETZER TRIO
DECEMBER 12 @ 7PM
ADMISSION \$15

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS
CRAFT/MOVIE EVENT
ARTHUR CHRISTMAS
DECEMBER 13
CRAFT @ 1:15
MOVIE @ 2PM, FREE

CHRISTMAS CABARET
DECEMBER 19 @ 7PM
\$10 ADMISSION

ELF JR.
DECEMBER 20 & 21 @ 2PM
ADMISSION ADULTS \$15 CHILDREN
(AGE 18 AND UNDER) \$10

ELF JR. YOUTH PRODUCTION

The Strand Theatre Preservation Society is guaranteed to have everyone 'singing loud for all to hear' with its all-youth production of Elf the Musical Jr.! The show runs December 20 and 21 at 2pm. The musical tells the story of a young orphan who mistakenly crawls into Santa's bag of gifts and is transported to the North Pole. The would-be elf is given the name Buddy and raised by elves in the North Pole. Buddy lives happily unaware that he is actually a human until his enormous size and poor toy-making abilities cause him to face the truth. With Santa's permission, Buddy embarks on a journey to New York City to find his birth father and discover his true identity. Faced with the harsh reality that his father is on the naughty list, and his stepbrother doesn't even believe in Santa, Buddy is determined to win over his new family and help New York remember the true meaning of the holidays.

The cast and crew consist of artists from across the Ohio Valley. The production is directed by Renee Storm with musical direction by Leslie Garrett and technical direction by Meta Lasch. Additional crew members include Richard Deenis, Sean Geery, Aubree Gray, Paula Lucas, Sav Nelson.

Cast members include Austin Schwanker (Buddy), Alexandra Glennon (Emily Hobbs), Bryant Morgan (Walter Hobbs), Jana Schodszinski (Jovie), Mason Boyette (Michael Hobbs), and Brady Barnhart (Santa). Members of the ensemble include Taelyn Barton, Steven Benedict, Penelope Bonar, Luciano Cioli, Lane Crawford, Davey Deever, Helena Douglas, Lyndsay Durig, Josilyn Fields, Chaz Galloway, Raelyn Goldbaugh, Harvey Goodman, Gus Goodman, Sydney Gust, Oliver Hamilton, Cheyenne Harvey, Jane Hollis, Nova Howard, Jolena Hubbard, Carlie Hubbs, Reagan Hull, Dottie Judy, Amelia Kellas, Blayke Kildow, Skye Lockrem, Kenzington Norris, Ava Pape, Chloe Patt, Darcy Patt, Aaron Ross, Eli Ross, Ellie Schultz, Razzlyn Sidwell, Athena Taylor, Ayla Thomas, Kaysi Woods, and Kaylee Yensen.

Tickets for Elf the Musical Jr. go on sale November 1, at Frame & Fortunes on Jefferson Avenue in Moundsville and online at www.strandtheatrewv.com/events. Adult tickets are \$15, and student tickets are \$10. All patrons, regardless of age, must purchase a ticket. The production is supported by the Evan G. Roberts Charitable Trust. Elf The Musical JR. is presented through special arrangement with Music Theatre International (MTI). All authorized performance materials are also supplied by MTI. 421 West 54th Street, New York, NY 10019 Phone: 212-541-4684 Fax: 212-397-4684 www.MTIShows.com.



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FREE CHRISTMAS CRAFT & MOVIE EVENT SPONSORED BY GKT



The Strand Theatre is pleased to offer one showing of beloved holiday classic movie, *Arthur Christmas*, on Saturday, December 13. Join us for a Christmas craft at 1:15PM followed by the movie at 2PM. Admission is free. Concessions will be available to purchase. For more information visit strandtheatrewv.com/events.

CHRISTMAS CABARET

Once again, some of your favorite Strand Theatre performers are joining together for an evening of holiday music and cheer! The Strand Theatre Christmas Cabaret will take place on December 19 at 7PM. Sit back and relax to a slew of holiday selections, both classic and new. Admission is \$10. Advance tickets available online at strandtheatrewv.com/events. Tickets also available at the door. Singers will be accompanied by Justin Jones and the show will be emceed by Sadie Crow Varlas.

PRODUCTION OF THE NUTCRACKER BALLET

Dancing flowers! Flurries of snowflakes! Beautiful fairies and a legion of mice! See them all swoop and soar across the Strand Theatre's stage as Oglebay Institute's Youth Ballet Company dances the holiday favorite "The Nutcracker" on December 6 at 2PM. Tickets are available online and at the door. Beautifully costumed dancers bring this magical story to life, transporting viewers into a Christmas fantasy. For many, attending a performance of "The Nutcracker" is a treasured holiday tradition. We hope that you will gather your family and join us for this unforgettable holiday journey which is a part of Oglebay Institute's Children's Theatre Season, bringing classic stories from the page to the stage through theatre and dance.



RON RETZER TRIO PRESENTS CHRISTMAS AT THE STRAND

Christmas at the Strand, a holiday concert featuring the Ron Retzer Trio, will be held on Friday, December 12 at 7PM at the historic Strand Theatre. The price for admission is \$15. Ron Retzer is an outstanding pianist known as "The Voice of the Ohio Valley." He has performed with numerous stars on the Jamboree for over 25 years. Doors will open at 6pm. Advance tickets available at Frame and Fortunes and online at strandtheatrewv.com/events. Tickets will also be available at the door.

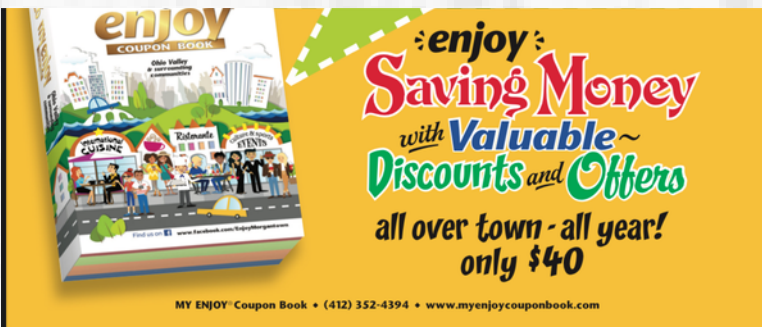


ENJOY COUPON BOOKS FOR SALE

The Strand Theatre has launched its annual fundraiser sale of the Ohio Valley 2025 Enjoy Coupon Books. The books include a variety of coupons for popular eateries & other establishments in the Ohio Valley.

Many new offers have been added this year such as Fat Apple Bakery, Patsy's Pizza, LaCucina Italian, Chayo's Street Tacos. and The Rose Garden. These new features add exceptional savings along with favorites from previous years, including: Prima Marina, Perkins Restaurant, Bob's Lunch, Osaka Steakhouse, Vocelli Pizza, El Paso Mexican Grill, Dairy Queen, Undo's, Quaker Steak & Lube, Highlands Sports Complex, Towngate Theatre, Wheeling Park, Straub Automotive, Globe Airport Parking, & so many more! The books make great holiday gifts!

The cost is \$40 each with a portion of proceeds from each purchase going to the Strand Theatre. A problem in printing has caused a delay in us receiving the books, but call or stop by to see Susan at Frame and Fortunes and she will be happy to contact you when they arrive. Books will be available at the following Moundsville locations: Frame and Fortunes, 239 Jefferson Ave., Moundsville Pharmacy, 118 Lafayette Ave., or by contacting Janet Kalaskey at 304-845-4926. Payment can be made with cash or check made out to the "Strand Theatre Preservation Society". Credit cards cannot be accepted. Questions? Call Susan at Frame and Fortunes, 304-845-8900.



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2025 EVENT CALENDAR

SUBJECT TO ADDITIONS/ADJUSTMENTS

[CLICK HERE TO CHECK OUT OUR COMPLETE CALENDAR OF EVENTS](#)

NOVEMBER

- 1 – FALL CHILDREN'S ACTING CLASSES END
- 1 – DARK SIDE OF THE MOONSHINE (7:00PM)
- 8 – WV STATE & MID-ATLANTIC ZONE
BODY BUILDING CHAMPIONSHIPS (4:00PM)
- 11 – CHRISTMAS PARADE RAFFLE DRAWING
- 22 – PARADE VIEWING RAFFLE WINNER RECEPTION ROOM PARTY

DECEMBER

- 6 – OGLEBAY INSTITUTE YOUTH BALLET COMPANY – NUTCRACKER (2:00PM)
- 12 – RON RETZER TRIO CHRISTMAS SHOW (7:00PM)
- 13 – CHRISTMAS CRAFT & MOVIE (1:15PM CRAFT / 2:00PM MOVIE)
ARTHUR CHRISTMAS
- 19 – CHRISTMAS CABARET (7:00PM)
- 20/21 – ELF THE MUSICAL JR. (2:00 PM)

HAVE IDEAS? CLICK HERE TO GET INVOLVED!

WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR THE OPPORTUNITIES TO UPHOLD THE MISSION OF THE STRAND THEATRE IN 2025 BY INSPIRING, ENGAGING, AND ENTERTAINING THE COMMUNITY THROUGH DIVERSE PROGRAMMING AS WELL AS TRAINING AND SUPPORTING THE NEXT GENERATION OF ARTISTS.



2026 EVENT CALENDAR WILL BE POSTED SOON!