



STEPPINGSTONE THEATRE

For Youth Development

55 Victoria Street North, St. Paul 55104

For immediate release

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SteppingStone Theatre's 2010-2011 Season

Stone Soup Feeds the World

Book, music and lyrics by Dane Stauffer

October 22-November 7, 2010

The return of a classic folktale the magic of cooperation in SteppingStone Theatre's musical play is set in a mystical land of Celtic melodies and African rhythms. The perfect show for building community.

The Best Christmas Pageant Ever

by Barbara Robinson

December 3-23, 2010

The Saint Paul holiday tradition returns to SteppingStone for the 19th year! This popular play, based on the book by Barbara Robinson, is the perfect reason to never judge a book by its cover.

World Premiere

Four Little Girls: Birmingham 1963

by Christina Ham

February 4-27, 2011

Set during the height of the Civil Rights movement in the early 1960's, the production explores the lives of the four girls who were killed in the church bombing in Birmingham in 1963. Profoundly moving and yet filled with hope, this is a must-see.

World Premiere

Get Up Your Irish!

A Celebration in Music and Dance

Created by Norah Rendell and Natalie O'Shea

March 11-20, 2011

A young boy finds a way to make a home for his sister and father in Saint Paul's Irish ghetto, Connemara Patch. Experience traditional Irish music and dance of the highest quality from Twin Cities Irish musicians & dancers including members of the Two Tap Trio with youth artists from O'Shea Irish Dance and the Center for Irish Music.

The Magic Bus to Asian Folktales

by R.A. Shiomi, Cha Yang, and Jaz Canlas, music by Gary Rue

Co-production with Mu Performing Arts

April 29-May 22, 2011

When three children discover the new bus driver's bag, they are magically transported to Imperial China, to Laos, and to the Philippines, where they discover wondrous tales that teach them about their culture, their ancestry, and themselves.

The Emperor's New Clothes

Book, music and lyrics by David Simmons

Adapted from the story by Hans Christian Andersen

July 8-31, 2011

The classic story of self-deception and the courage of a lone voice of reason returns to the Steppingstone stage. Filled with music and dance, this spectacular show appeals to all ages.

About SteppingStone Theatre:

SteppingStone's productions are professionally created and produced, with talents drawn from the best in the Twin Cities and throughout the U.S. The young actors are rigorously trained, but remain fresh and vibrant, bringing their joy and sense of fun to all SteppingStone's productions. Enjoyed by all ages, adults as well as children, SteppingStone's productions are affordable, high-quality entertainment.

Performance Information:

All performances are in SteppingStone's new theatre, a beautifully renovated 100-year-old architectural gem located at 55 Victoria Street North, one block north of Summit Avenue in the Historic Hill District of St. Paul. Performances are appropriate for all ages. SteppingStone Theatre is fully-accessible to persons with disabilities, and has regularly-scheduled ASL & Audio Described performances. Interpreters can be scheduled for other performances at no additional cost upon request.

Ticket Prices:

Adults: \$14.00

Children & Seniors: \$10.00

Groups 20+: \$7.00 (scholarships available)

Performance times and tickets are available at (651) 225-9265 or www.steppingstonetheatre.org.

*SteppingStone Theatre – Magic Happens Here!
Affordable, High-Quality Theatre for All Ages*