

PRESS RELEASE

2016 South Carolina Christmas Carol Tour

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Local award winning theatre teacher and actor George Younts will be presenting a one-man adaptation of Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" for a ninth annual goodwill tour that will take him around to schools, retirement communities, theatres, homeless shelters, libraries and correctional facilities with all proceeds donated to charity.

PUBLIC PERFORMANCES		
	Day. Date. Time	Place. Location. Contact.
1.	Saturday December 10 th 4pm	James Island Library 1248 Camp Rd, Charleston, SC 29412 (843) 795-6679
2.	Saturday December 17 th 3pm	South of Broadway Theater Company 1080 E Montague Ave, North Charleston, SC 29405 (843) 745-0317

All performances are open to the media with performance site approval arranged through George Younts.

1. What is it? Charles Dickens' classic tale of *A Christmas Carol* performed and adapted by George Younts in a one-man show. This family friendly, bare bones and critically applauded production presents the classic story of Ebenezer Scrooge's nocturnal journey into the true spirit of Christmas in one hour. With over 100 past performances, this outreach aims to engage both traditional and non-traditional performance sites/groups.

2. George Younts? Originally from Illinois, George has toured nationally and worked with theatres around the USA and Charleston as a director, designer, producer and performer. He teaches at the Charleston County School of the Arts. Professional affiliations include: Actors' Equity, Southeastern Theatre Conference and the National Endowment of the Arts.

4. Schedule?

	Day. Date. Time	Place. Location.
1.	Sunday. Nov. 27 th 7pm	Allendale Correctional Facility. Fairfax, SC.
2.	Wednesday. Nov. 30 th 4:30pm	Bishop Gadsden Retirement Community, Mt. Pleasant, SC
3.	Friday. Dec. 1 st 8:45am	Blythewood HS. Blythewood, SC.
4.	Tuesday. Dec. 6 th 9:45am	Berkeley HS. Moncks Corner, SC.
5.	Thursday. Dec. 8 th 5pm	180 Place- Family Center. Charleston, SC.
6.	Friday. Dec. 9 th 6pm	Agape Senior Assisted Living Center. North Charleston, SC.
7.	Saturday. Dec. 10 th 4pm	James Island, Library. James Island, SC. **
8.	Tuesday. Dec. 13 th 5:30pm	Sweetgrass Retirement Community. Mt. Pleasant, SC.
9.	Wednesday. Dec. 14 th 9am	Charleston County Juvenile Detention Center. North Charleston, SC.
10.	Saturday. Dec. 17 th 3pm	South of Broadway Theater Community, North Charleston, SC. **

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5. Sponsors? The ninth annual *South Carolina Christmas Carol Tour* is funded through generous support of CPBY Endowment, anonymous donors and in part by the City of Charleston Office of Cultural Affairs and the City of North Charleston Cultural Arts Program through their joint administration of the Lowcountry Quarterly Arts Grant Program and the South Carolina Arts Commission which receives support from the National Endowment for the Arts and the John and Susan Bennett Memorial Arts Fund of the Coastal Community Foundation of South Carolina.