

BCC CALLBOARD

The Newsletter of the Barnstable Comedy Club

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CELEBRATING A RETURN TO LIVE THEATRE

The Barnstable Comedy Club is proud to present a special event to begin its 100th Season, Musical Theatre International's **All Together Now!**, directed by Ann M. Ring, and musically directed by Lisa Zinck Taylor. **All Together Now** is a music review featuring an array of Broadway Songs, and will be presented by an eclectic group of talented singers from Plymouth to Provincetown. The players are Katie Beatty, Alan Capozzi, Kevin Depin, Rob Grady, Lynne Johnson, Amy Kraskouskas, Ruthe Lew, Kimberley Matthews, Linda Monchik, Chris O'Sullivan, Kenzie O' Sullivan, Gary Raymond, Alessandra Scibelli, Karen Tanous, Susan Van Tol, and Lisa Zinck Taylor.

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All Together Now! will be presented November 12, 13, 14, and 15 at 7:00 p.m. All tickets are \$20, and may be reserved by calling the box office at 508-362-6333.

Please note: all patrons must provide proof of covid-19 vaccination and wear a face covering to attend the production. Visit our website for the most up to date information about health and safety protocols.

WHAT IS THE TRUE MEANING OF ART AND FRIENDSHIP?

The BCC continues the Season with a the critically acclaimed comedy drama, **Art** by Yasmina Reza. Directed by Lance Norris, **Art** explores the value of friendship, artwork, and money. How much would you pay for a white painting? One of Marc's best friends, Serge, has just bought a very expensive painting. It's white. To Marc, the painting is a joke, but Serge insists Marc doesn't have the proper standard to judge the work. Another friend, Ivan, though burdened by his own problems, allows himself to be pulled into this disagreement. In spite of himself, Ivan tells Serge he likes the painting. These old friends square off over the canvas, using it as an excuse to relentlessly batter one another over various failures. Friendship is tested, and the aftermath of action, and its reaction, affirms the power of those bonds.

Featured in the cast are Patrick Preston, Frank Hughes, Jr. and Ian Rubenstein. **Art** will be presented January 6, 7, 8, 14, 15, 21, and 22 at 7:30 p.m. and January 9, 16, and 23 at 2:30 p.m. Tickets are \$25, \$23 students and seniors 65 and older. Call the box office at 508-362-6333 to reserve your tickets.

BE A PART OF THE BCC FAMILY. BECOME A MEMBER TODAY!

Membership at the BCC has many great benefits. Categories start at just \$25. Visit our website at www.barnstablecomedyclub.org to download a brochure and sign up. Please look it over carefully as our categories and prices have been updated since re opening.

THE SEASON OF GIVING IS UPON US

With the holidays approaching, it is perfect time to consider a donation to your local theatre. As we slowly regain income from our productions, your generosity is greatly appreciated to continue operations and maintain our 110 year old building. Simply visit our website to donate via PayPal or credit card, or if send a check to The Barnstable Comedy Club, p.o. box 361, Barnstable, MA. 02630. Also, when you do your holiday shopping at Amazon.com, be sure to register your purchases on Amazon Smile to have a portion donated to the BCC.

FULL BOARD MEETING: NOVEMBER 9, 7:00 P.M.

EXECUTIVE MEETING: DECEMBER 14, 7:00 P.M.

ANNUAL MEETING: NOVEMBER 30, 7:00 P.M.