



Spotlight on...

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Fremont Community Theatre



The FCT 2008-2009 adult season comes to a close with the May 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, and 17 production of **Cinderella**. Join directors Tim Bolton and Randy Brown for the classic, enchanting Rodgers & Hammerstein musical. Call 419-332-0695 to make your reservations.

Music By **Richard Rogers** Book and Lyrics By **Oscar Hammerstein II**

Cinderella	Ellen Foos
Prince Christopher	Nathan Ball
The King	John Ball
The Queen	Melissa Damschroder
Fairy Godmother	Lori Willey
Stepmother	Mary Jo Foos
Portia	Amanda Burris
Joy	Hilary Frater
Herald	Ethan Mandeville
Steward	Ted Ball
Capt of the Guard	Don Steinberger
Chef	Brittney Forster
Coachman	Brandon Wurgess
Footman	Justin Simpson
Footman	Trent Smith
Chorus/Mother	Jennifer Abdo
Ladies chorus	Avery Bookmyer
	Kelly Fandrey
	Katelyn Fandrey
	Emily Turner
	Alex Bell



Men's Chorus
Children's Chorus



Tori Waldo
Meagan Eishen
Kayla Haase
Hannah Kohler
Alyssa Moyer
Judy Smith
Claire Zimmerman
Dan Henning
Charlotte Priddy
Bryonna Rogers
Braxton White
Sophia Estep
Kati Druckenmiller
Max Yates
Max Hufford

Stage Manager
Crew Chief
Rehearsal Pianist
Orch. Conductor

Karen Auxter
John Carroll
Linda Bell
Robert Bell

Audition dates for the FCT Teen summer production of Beauty and the Beast will be May 10th and 11th with show dates on July 17th-26th.



From the President's Pen...

How did this happen? Did I fall into some type of time travel machine stuck in the fast forward mode? It seems like just yesterday that anticipation of the new 08-09 season was fresh on my mind and the FCTT production for '08 was approaching quickly too. Now somehow, the last show of our "...and they lived happily ever after?" season is upon us, and the FCT teens are working hard on the planning of their up coming Disney's Beauty and The Beast this July.

I have seen many of the recent rehearsals for Cinderella, it sure sounds and it is looking good. Plan now to see this classic fairy tale brought to life on the FCT stage! It has been over 20 years since the glorious music of Rodgers and Hammersteins' timeless tale of family, wishes, and dreams has filled the FCT auditorium. (This time we also plan to do it without filling it with flames and smoke too!) Many very long hard hours of rehearsal have been guided by Tim Bolton and Randy Brown. The principal characters are fine tuning the many facets of each of their roles, while the ensemble chorus sings and dances up a storm to the orchestrations provided by Bob Bell. Don't miss this one!

So many things are in the works for next season, don't be left out of the fun, come on down and be part of the excitement! --*Mitchell Antesky*

The annual Laurel Awards banquet will be held at the Fremont Federation of Women's facility on June 27th. Social: 6:30pm Dinner: 7:00pm Menu: baked chicken/ham buffet with the other usual trimmings Cost: \$15 A separate invitation will be coming to all members and participants of the 2008-2009 season

Proudly presenting the 54th season
"FCT is GOING GREEN...from Sherwood Forest to The Emerald City"

HOODWINKED

a musical spoof of Robin Hood and his merry men
Music and Lyrics by John Carlton and Steve Liebman.
Book by Bryan Leys, and John Carlton and Steve Liebman
October 2,3,4,9,10,11, 2009

A TUNA CHRISTMAS

a Christmas comedy comes to Tuna, Texas
By Ed Howard, Joe Sears and Jaston Williams
December 4,5,6,11,12,13, 2009

THE KITCHEN WITCHES

cooking show divas battle it out "On The Air"
By Caroline Smith
January 29,30,31,February 5,6,7, 2010

THE DIXIE SWIM CLUB

a life time of summer reunions, loves and losses
By Jessie Jones, Nicholas Hope, Jamie Wooten
March 19,20,21,26,27,28, 2010

THE WIZARD OF OZ

the classic takes us back "Over The Rainbow"
By L. Frank Baum, Adapted by Frank Gabrielson
With Music and Lyrics of the MGM motion pictures score by Harold Arlen and E. Y. Harburg, Background Music by Herbert Stothart
May 7,8,9,14,15,16,21,22,23, 2010

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From the Desk of the Chair

I would like to thank in advance Donna Wollenslegel, Judy Smith, Bobbie Povolny, Joy Martin, and Alex Poznans for all their

amazing sewing talents which they so freely used for the Cinderella costumes. Without their help, I never would have gotten so much done in the time we had. Mary Jo Foos would tell you that she sews "a little" which may be true but is no less appreciated. I would also like to thank Joe Angelone for his creative talent so all the ladies won't look like they are wearing Indian headdresses. Thanks also to the cast for their patience in trying on, letting me change my mind, and trying something else on again. It will be a great relief when it all comes together. I just hope it looks as good on stage as the vision in my head. Spending time in the dressing room and in the loft hasn't left me much time to watch rehearsals, but what I've heard sounds great. Can't wait to sit in the audience and just sit back and watch the show. Break a Leg all! With sincere thanks, *-Sue A. Stotz*



At the annual membership meeting held April 25, 2009 the new board of trustees was elected:

- president, Mitch Antesky
- vice president, Judy Smith
- secretary, Tim Bolton
- treasurer, Scott Havice
- 2 yr board seats, Randy Brown and Sue Stotz
- 1 yr board seat Claire Zimmerman
- returning board members Pete Lowry, Kathy VanWey

Thank you to all that ran and worked on the committee. Let's make this a great 09-10!!!!!!!



The OCTA Northwest regional contest will be held in the Fort Jennings area June 13th and 14th. FCT will not be bringing a cutting this year. Visit the OCTA website at <http://www.octaweb.org/> for more information.

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- May 5.....Press dress, *Cinderella*
- May 8-10, 15-17.....*Cinderella*
- May 10,11.....*Beauty and the Beast* teen auditions
- May 19.....Board meeting, 7pm
- June 12, 13, 14.....Shameless plug for newsletter editor S.Havice who will be
.....performing with the Bellevue Society of the Art's production
.....of "The Foreigner" (www.bellevuearts.net)
- June 16.....Board meeting , 7pm
- June 27.....Laurel awards dinner



Happy Birthday...

MAY: 11-Pete Lowry, 21-Becky White, 23-Katie Chafee, 24-Daleen Askins, 31-Clint Eastwood

JUNE: 1-Jill Simpson, 9-Michael J. Fox, 17-Joe Bibler, 18-Donielle Yates

JULY: 4-Denise Lowry, 7-Cheryl Bolton, 17-Phyllis Diller

AUGUST: 1-Sue Stotz, 5-Sue Doell, Ginny Wise, 10-Claire Zimmerman, 14-Steve Martin, 16-Randy Brown, 27-Darla Brown, 29-Donna Wollenslegel, Mary Zimmerman

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