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June 2019

**Loveland Stage Company
Announces it's
2019—2020 Season!**



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Loveland Stage Company's 2019 – 2020 Season

Bugsy Malone Jr.

Directed by Pia Rader

Produced by Jonathan Eckman, Jill Gornet & Charlie Rader

July 12th - 21st 2019

Mamma Mia!

Directed by Deirdre Dyson

Technical Director Glenna Knapp

Produced by Steve & Theresa Kovacs

August 16th - 25th 2019

Cole, An Entertainment

Directed by Gregory Carl Smith

Technical Director Chris Lee

Produced by Pat Furterer & K Buckler

Nov. 1st - 17th 2019

'An Olde Fashioned Christmas'

Free Production - 5 p.m., 6 p.m. and 7 p.m.

Directed by Pat Furterer

Dec. 14th 2019

Gypsy

Directed by Micheal Kiser

Produced by Tom Cavano, Becky Cole & Jill Gornet

March 6th - 22nd 2020

The Musical Comedy Murders of 1940

Directed by Becky Cole

Produced by Jill Gornet

May 15th - 24th 2020

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June 1st through August 24th

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May 15th—24th

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Murders of 1940***

May 15-24, 2020

Yes, I would like to order _____(qty) Season Tickets for the 2019-20 Season. I have enclosed my check for \$_____ (\$72 per ticket) made payable to *Loveland Stage Company*.

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Bugsy Malone Jr.

Directed by Pia Rader

Produced by Jonathan Eckman,
Jill Gornet & Charlie Rader

LSC Youth Summer Theater *A Complete Show Experience*

This pint-sized, pinstriped classic is a tongue-in-cheek tribute to the gangster films of the 1920's. Two gangs comprised completely of children, square off in a 1920's rivalry of Capone-ian standards. Dandy Dan's gang has gotten the upper hand since acquiring the "splurge" gun (a weapon that shoots whipped cream). Bugsy Malone, a one-time boxer, is thrust into the limelight when he becomes the last chance Fat Sam's gang has of surviving. All Bugsy really wants to do is spend time with his new love, Blousey... but that just isn't in the cards for our hero.

Based on the hit 1976 film, *Bugsy Malone*, this musical is good, clean, comedic fun!

Friday	July 12 th	July 19 th	7:30 p.m. Curtain
Saturday	July 13 th	July 20 th	7:30 p.m. Curtain
Sunday	July 14 th	July 21 st	3:00 p.m. Curtain

Tickets Now On Sale

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Mamma Mia!

Directed by Deirdre Dyson

Technical Director Glenna Knapp

Produced by Steve & Theresa Kovacs

The 20-year old bride-to-be Sophie Sheridan finds in her mother's diary that the strangers Sam, Harry or Bill might be her father. The needy Sophie dreams of having her father walk with her to the altar on her wedding day, with Sky on Kalokairi Island in Greece. Sophie, pretending to be her mother, invites the three men to her wedding, while her mother Donna (who was once the lead singer of Donna and the Dynamos), is none the wiser.

Donna owns a simple hotel on the island and used to sing with her friends Rosie and Tanya, who also arrive in Kalokairi for the wedding.

Sophie believes she will immediately recognize her father in the trio of guests. When Donna sees her former three lovers together in her hotel, she gets stressed and confused with the situation while Sky is upset with Sophie's attitude.

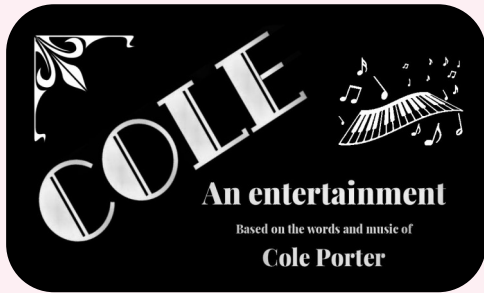
Set on a colorful Greek island, the plot serves as a background for a wealth of ABBA songs.

Thursday	Aug. 15th		7:30 p.m. Curtain
Friday	Aug. 16th	Aug. 23rd	7:30 p.m. Curtain
Saturday		Aug. 24th	3:00 p.m. Curtain
	Aug. 17th	Aug. 24th	7:30 p.m. Curtain
Sunday	Aug. 18th	Aug. 25th	3:00 p.m. Curtain

Tickets on sale July 15th
Part of SEASON TICKET PACKAGE

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Cole, An Entertainment

Directed by Gregory Carl Smith

Technical Director Chris Lee

Produced by Pat Furterer & K Buckler

Based on the words and music of Cole Porter

Cole Porter was born in Peru, Indiana in 1891. His early life was dominated by the strong personalities of his mother, who determined he should pursue a career as a musician, and maternal grandfather, a rich landowner. Porter was educated at Yale where his musical talents found ideal scope in the Glee Club and Yale Drama, for which he wrote several musical comedies. After Yale he began studying law at Harvard at his grandfather's insistence, but later switched to music. His first professional production was the comic opera *See America First*, which had a brief Broadway run in 1916. For the next 12 years, his life was spent mostly abroad. His Broadway career began in earnest with *Paris* (1928) and *Fifty Million Frenchmen* (1929). The '30s saw a remarkable succession of Cole Porter hits on Broadway, including *Gay Divorce* (1932), *Anything Goes* (1934), *Jubilee* (1935), *Red Hot and Blue* (1936) and *Du Barry Was A Lady* (1939).

In 1938, he suffered a serious riding accident. However, his career continued in both theatre and films, with *Kiss Me Kate* in (1948), *Can-Can* (1953), and *Silk Stockings* (1955). His Hollywood work during his later career included *The Pirate* (1948), *High Society* (1956) and *Les Girls* (1957).

Fri.	Nov. 1 st	Nov. 8 th	Nov. 15 th	7:30 p.m. Curtain
Sat.	Nov. 2 nd	Nov. 9 th	Nov. 16 th	7:30 p.m. Curtain
Sun.	Nov. 3 rd	Nov. 10 th	Nov. 17 th	3:00 p.m. Curtain

Tickets on sale Oct. 1st

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'An Olde Fashioned Christmas'

Directed by Pat Furterer

**As you enjoy Christmas in
Loveland on December 14th
stop by and enjoy LSC's
free performance**

Show Times - 5 p.m., 6 p.m. & 7 p.m.

Favorite and traditional holiday
music of the season – enjoyment
for everyone.



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Gypsy

Directed by Micheal Kiser

Produced by Tom Cavano,

Becky Cole & Jill Gornet

Based on the 1957 memoirs of world-famous striptease artist Gypsy Rose Lee, *Gypsy* begins at the end of the vaudeville era as overbearing stage mother Rose carts young daughters June and Louise (the young Lee) throughout the country, performing in fading venues for dwindling audiences. Rose's desperate desire for fame soon pushes the family to its limits, unraveling relationships, unveiling a new star, and revealing the raw power of ambition laid bare.

With six Broadway productions and two film adaptations, *Gypsy* has transfixed and astounded audiences for generations, holding its place among the greatest of all-American musicals. It is frequently considered one of the crowning achievements of the mid-20th century's conventional musical theatre art form.



Fri.	Mar. 6 th	Mar. 13 th	Mar. 20 th	7:30 p.m. Curtain
Sat.	Mar. 7 th	Mar. 14 th	Mar. 21 st	7:30 p.m. Curtain
Sun.	Mar. 8 th	Mar. 15 th	Mar. 22 nd	3:00 p.m. Curtain

Tickets on sale Feb. 6th

Part of SEASON TICKET PACKAGE

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The Musical Comedy Murders of 1940

Directed by Becky Cole

Produced by Jill Gornet

The play takes place in a mansion in Chappaqua, N.Y. in December 1940. The mansion is owned by Elsa Von Grossenknueten, and her maid, Helsa Wenzel. In the opening scene, we see Helsa is killed by a masked figure. We also see Elsa talking to a police officer about some sort of undercover scheme. Both are unaware of the maid's murder.

The next morning, we see Helsa again, only now her entire personality seems to have changed overnight. The guests Elsa has invited soon begin to arrive. They have been invited for a backer's audition to the musical *White House Merry-Go-Round*.

The first of the invited guests is an Irish tenor named Patrick O'Reilly. He's quickly followed by a bombastic theatre director named Ken De La Maize, and a beautiful young singer named Nikki Crandall. Nikki is followed in by a young (and bad) comedian named Eddie McCuen, who takes an instant liking to Nikki.

Eddie realizes that everyone coming (including Marjorie Baverstock, the producer, and Roger Hopewell and Bernice Roth, the writers) were all part of the creative team that made *Manhattan Holiday*, in which The Stage Door Slasher murdered three women. Roger Hopewell and Bernice Roth arrive and meet the performers, and the group gets started with their work.

After things get underway, Marjorie is murdered and the body of Helsa is discovered. After a series of dizzy conversations, multiple trips through secret doorways leading to a labyrinth of hidden passageways, a power outage in the mansion, multiple crimes, and criminals are revealed. Eventually after much murderous mayhem the Stage Door Slasher is revealed and captured through deciphering Bebe's coded notebook.

Friday	May 15th	May 22nd	7:30 p.m. Curtain
Saturday	May 16th	May 23rd	7:30 p.m. Curtain
Sunday	May 17th	May 24th	3:00 p.m. Curtain

Tickets on sale April 15th
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Loveland Stage Company Members' Picnic

Sunday, August 4th, Nisbet Park Picnic Shelter



No lines to learn
No costumes to sew

No dance steps to remember
No instruments to hang

No sets to build
No mics to check

JUST FUN, FUN, FUN!
MARK YOUR CALANDERS

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The Loveland Stage Company is 40 years young this year,
my how time flies!!!!

We are planning a grand party for Saturday, September 14th at Receptions in Loveland. So “save the date” and plan on attending the festivities to help celebrate our fantastic community theater company..... more to come.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Loveland Stage Company 40th Anniversary Gala
September 14th 2019

Planning Committee:

**Kay Bolin, K Buckler, Nancy Downing, Pat Furterer,
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Saturday Morning Dance

Class with Marjory Clegg

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AUDITIONS

Cole, An Entertainment

Directed by Gregory Carl Smith
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Produced by Pat Furterer
& K Buckler

Audition Dates

Aug. 18th - 7— 9 p.m.

Aug. 19th - 7— 9 p.m.

Show Dates

Nov. 1st - Nov. 17th

UPCOMING

BUGSY MALONE JR.

Summer Youth Theater

July 12th—July 21st

Directed by Pia Rader

Produced by Jonathan Eckman
& Jill Gornet

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Loveland Stage Company

P.O. Box 312

Loveland OH 45140

Attn: Pat Furterer

'An Olde Fashioned Christmas'

Directed by Pat Furterer

Audition Date

Oct. 19th - 1— 2 p.m.

Show Date

Dec. 14th - 5 pm, 6pm & 7pm

For Information contact -

Pat Furterer rpfurterer@fuse.net

MAMMA MIA!

Aug. 16th—Aug. 25th

Directed by Deidre Dyson

Technical Director
Glenna Knapp

Produced by Steve &
Theresa Kovacs

HELP NEEDED

Lighting/Sound Execution

Mamma Mia!

Opens August 16th

Contact Glenna Knapp
gknapp1mtatc@aol.com

GYPSY

Directed by Micheal Kiser
Produced by Tom Cavano, Becky Cole
& Jill Gornet

Audition Dates

Nov. 3rd - 6— 9 p.m.

Nov. 4th - 6— 9 p.m.

Nov. 5th - 6— 9 p.m.

Callbacks

Nov. 7th - 6— 9 p.m.

Show Dates

March 6th - March 17th

Loveland Stage Company Picnic

August 4th 2019 - 4 p.m.

Nisbet Park Picnic Shelter
Loveland

Loveland Stage Company 40th Anniversary Gala

September 14th 2019

Details in the coming months

E mail ad requests to

Greg at eerf99@aol.com

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Scholarships

Loveland Stage Company wishes to encourage and support young local talent. Therefore, prospective scholarship applicants must be planning to further their education in the Creative Arts. Qualifying areas of study include, but are not limited to: art, music, theater, photography, lighting, film, dance, and majors that support these studies. Students are asked to submit examples of their talent in their chosen field and a high school transcript demonstrating the ability to succeed academically as part of the application process. Please visit our website (www.lovelandstagecompany.org) for information about our 2020 scholarship and an application.

Creative Arts Scholarship

Each year the Loveland Stage Company recognizes a graduating high school student with its Creative Arts Scholarship. LSC is offering a scholarship again this year in the amount of \$1000. In order to qualify for the scholarship, the graduating student must reside in the Loveland City School District, attend Loveland High School, or be an offspring of a Loveland Stage Company member. This scholarship is intended to be used toward college or university tuition, room and board, or books.

The Jacqueline Knapp Memorial Scholarship

The Loveland Stage Company is presenting a one-time \$1000 scholarship in memory of Jacqueline Knapp, a participant and supporter of community theater in the Cincinnati area and mother of LSC member, Glenna Knapp. This scholarship is intended to be used toward college or university tuition, room and board, or books. Applicants for this scholarship should be planning to attend college in the Fall of 2019 and be current members (or family members) of the Loveland Stage Company. Graduating high school seniors or current college students are both eligible. Participation in a supporting production position in at least one Loveland Stage Company show is a requirement – technical or backstage.



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2019 Creative Arts Scholarship Winner—Gabe Schmidt

Gabe Schmidt, a 2019 graduate of Cincinnati Christian Hills Academy, is the recipient of the \$1000 Loveland Stage Company Creative Arts Scholarship for 2019.

He will be attending DePaul University to study Film Production.

Gabe was involved in the drama program at CHCA, and you may have seen him around the area as an LYSA soccer referee or delivering your *Loveland Herald*.

Gabe began making stop-motion animation films as a hobby when he was 10, combining his love of superheroes and Legos. His passion turned more serious as he posted videos to YouTube and eventually started entering film contests.

Overall, 6 of Gabe's films have won awards and he has posted big wins in 13 different contests. You can find his films, including his most recent award winners – *How to Make a Movie* and *Heroic* – on YouTube. We wish Gabe the best of luck in his future in endeavors and many more award winners.



Knapp Memorial Scholarship Winner – Molly Shilling

The Jacqueline Knapp Memorial Scholarship was created to honor a long-time supporter of community theater and mother of our member, Glenna Knapp. To qualify the recipient needed to be involved in Loveland Stage Company in a support/backstage role.

Molly Shilling is the recipient of this \$1000 scholarship. She is a 2017 graduate of Loveland High School who has just finished her sophomore year at Pennsylvania State University. She originally intended to study Forensic Chemistry but discovered a new passion in college when an internship with the athletic department put her behind the cameras and running graphics for televising the games. She has changed her field of study to a double major in Telecommunications and English, concentration in Creative Writing, combining her love for writing and finding her comfort zone in television media rooms and studios.

Molly participated in 9 productions here at LSC and says she can still remember the first time Glenna gave her a headset to wear. Now it's a regular staple of her fashion ensemble. We wish Molly the best of luck in her future studies and hope her summer internship in New York is a great experience.



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We've made the process of purchasing tickets to our performances simple and convenient for you. By using an on-line ticketing service, we put you in control of the reservation, seat selection, and payment process.

Visit our website (<http://www.lovelandstagecompany.org>), select Tickets from the menu and click on the Seat Yourself icon. Simply select a performance date, then choose your seats from the theater seating chart.

Purchase your tickets, print your receipt, and your reservation is complete – it's quick and convenient!

When you arrive for your performance, please present the printed receipt for your ticket purchase to the box office.

All on-line ticket sales are final; sorry, but no refunds or exchanges. On-line ticket sales close 12 hours before performance time.

Tickets for Handicapped (Wheelchair) Seating

For wheelchair seating, please call the Loveland Stage Company (513) 443-4LSC (4572) for tickets. We will handle all Handicapped Ticket Sales personally, Seat Yourself is not available for these tickets.

Walk-in Ticket Sales

The box office opens two hours prior to the start of a performance. Theater doors open 30 minutes before the start of a performance. A limited amount of tickets may be available for purchase at the box office prior to each performance. Payment by cash, check or credit card.

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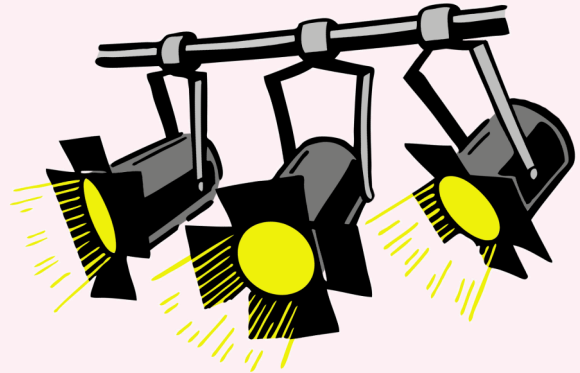
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Membership Application 2019—2020 Season

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Phone: Daytime: _____ Home: _____ Cell: _____

Please check appropriate boxes:

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Our facility is continuously being improved so that we can provide a more enjoyable venue for everyone involved in the Loveland Stage Company experience. Since the recent addition of new seating we have more plans that cannot be achieved without the generous donations from our patrons. Donations are tax-deductible and are always acknowledged with a listing in our programs. Your donation can be included with your membership application today. Just select one of the following levels and add the tax-deductible contribution amount to your membership dues payment below.

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For details, go to our website www.lovelandstagecompany.org or email: n_downing@fuse.net.

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