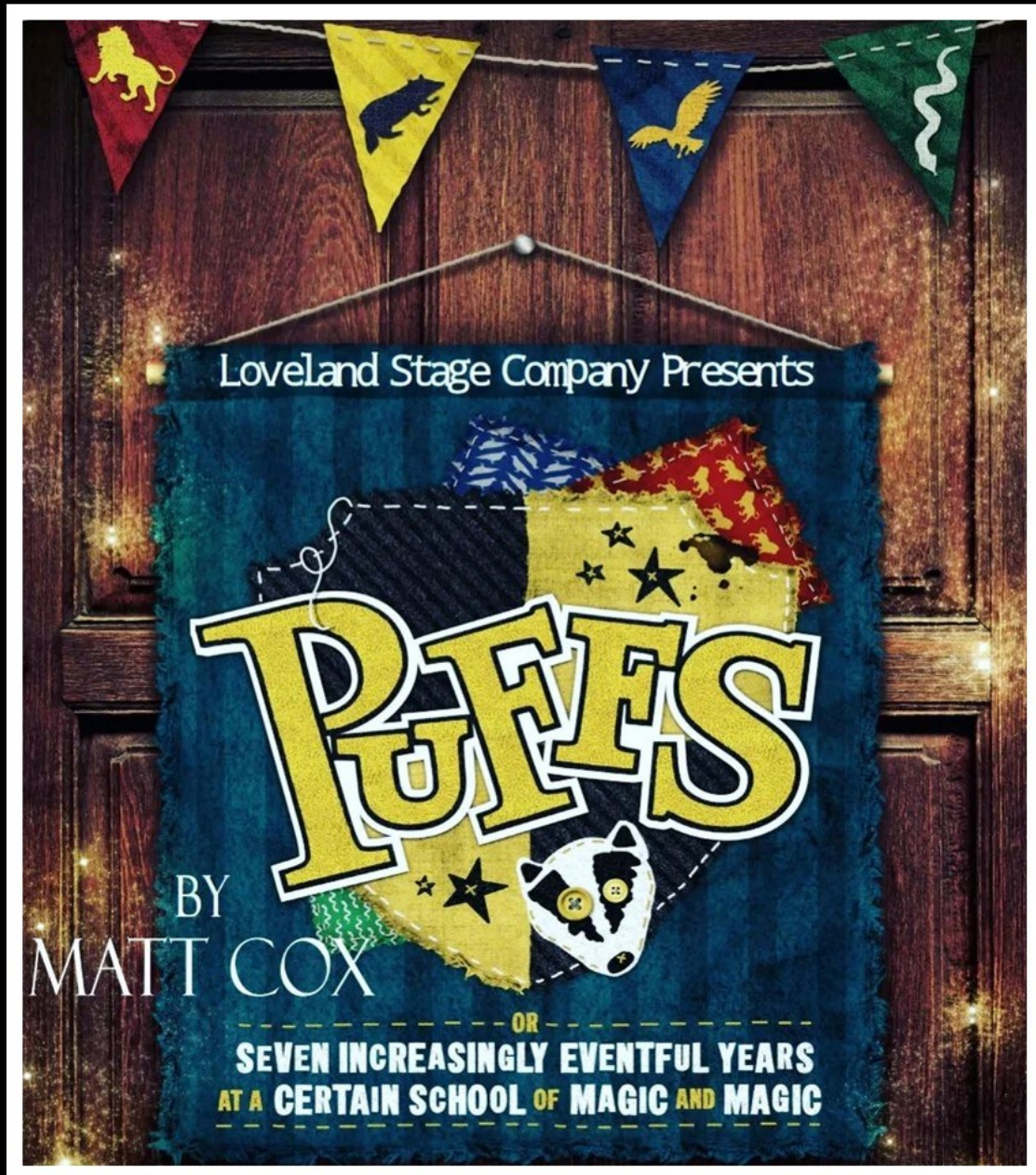


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The Voice of Loveland Stage Company
October 2022



November 4th– 20th
Tickets Now on Sale!

LSC's 2022/2023 Season is Announced



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A Note From The Board President

Good morning to all you Lovlies out there! As the weather changes from Summer to Fall, we are changing into a new Season as well! We are also currently working on a fun and exciting plan for Hearts a Fire weekend in Loveland; stay tuned for more information.

Our Fall show is *Puffs* directed by Carissa Sloan and opens November 4th! We have had auditions for our Christmas in Loveland production and about to hold auditions for our early spring show *Company* directed by John Sloan. To round out our season is *Twelfth Night* directed by Kiya Fix.

It is really exciting to see us grow and come back after such a tricky time. Here we are, working together to make this great theater company thrive, and I couldn't be any more proud of all the hard work that has been put into our theater. Take a moment and spread a little love to all the hard working members and volunteers that work on each show. As the old saying says, it takes a village, or in our case, it takes a troupe! Have the oookiest spookiest Halloween and I will catch you all soon!

Love,
Micheal R. Kiser
LSC Board President
#actwithlove

Puffs - About The Playwright

Matt Cox is a playwright, actor, improviser, sound designer, and former comic book retail associate based in New York City. His play *Puffs Or: Seven Increasingly Eventful Years At A Certain School Of Magic & Magic* (2016 Off-Broadway Alliance Best Theatrical Experience Nominee) began as small show made by friends at a small comedy venue, the People's Improv Theater. It has since broke records Off-Broadway in New York, was screened in movie theaters across the country with Fathom Events, and it's production in Melbourne, Australia is Melbourne's longest running play of the century.

His other work includes *Happy Little Trees: A Bobyssey*, *Cool Chefs Jr.*, *The Madness of Captain Dread*, and the four-hour geek epic *Kapow-i GoGo* (along with it's spinoffs: *The Kapow-i GoGo Holiday Special* & *I Am Mr. Snuggles*.) He authored the radio play *El Hombre Bovino* for WNYC's The Greene Space and was a contributing writer to The Flea Theater's The Mysteries. His work has been produced Off-Broadway at New World Stages and The Elektra Theater; Off-Off-Broadway at The Tank, and The Flea Theater; three blocks from Broadway at The Peoples Improv Theater, and much further from Broadway at the Alex Theater in Melbourne, Australia. He studied theatre at Tarleton State University. He is working on a novel about an Orc.



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Meet The Cast of Puffs

Andrew Leonard as Wayne Hopkins

David TR Goble as Oliver Rivers

Niki Rasmussen as Megan Jones

John Sloan as Narrator

Zach Schnelle as Ernie Mac and a Very Tall Man/ Seamus/ A Certain Potions Teacher/ Professor Turban/ Ghost History Teach/ Professor Locky/ Mr. Nick/ Sal/ Second Headmaster/ Real Mr Moody

Jodi Zerbe as Hannah and First Headmaster/ Professor McG/ Professor Sproutty/ Xavia Jones/ Professor Lanny/ Runes Teach/ Ms. Babble

Matt Schiesl as J. Finch Fletchley and Uncle Dave/ Goyle/ A Fat Friar/ Clumsy Longbottom/ Hermoone #3/ Viktor/ Mr. Bagman/ Zach Smith

Keilah Boone as Leanne and Ginny/ Helga / Frenchy

Megan Archibald as Sally Perks and Hermoone/ Blondo Malfoy/ Rowena/ Rita Scooter/Bippy

Sophia Heller as Susie Bones and Harry/ Colin/ Hermoone #2/ Ric Gryff/ Myrtle

Tom Quandary as Cedric, Mr. Voldy





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Meet The Cast of Puffs





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Meet The Crew of Puffs

Director
Producer
Producer
Stage Manager

Carissa Sloan
Tom Cavano
Jill Gornet
Glenna Knapp

Set Design
Set Décor
Set Décor
Lighting Design
Lighting Execution
Lighting Execution

Micheal Kiser
Micheal Kiser
Sophia Heller
Bob Kessler
Clarke Brinn
Bob Kessler

Sound Design
Sound Advisor
Sound Execution
Sound Execution
Costume Design

R. Chris Lee
Glenn Bladh
Izy Jones
Jill Gornet
Tom Quandary

Hair and Makeup
Properties
Set Construction
Program Design

Christina Siciliano
Jae Liles
Cast & Crew
Peggy Goodwin,
assisted by Carissa Sloan
Vincent Eldridge
Pettrina Barresi
Marvel Gentry Harmon
Pettrina Barresi

Graphic Design
Publicity
Publicity
Lobby Display

Ticket Sales
Ticket Sales
Hospitality
Hospitality

Pam Carothers
Nancy Downing
Darrin and Alissa Ashworth
Barb and Jim Siciliano

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House Managers
House Managers
Patrons/Donors

Darrin and Alissa Ashworth
Gary and Becky Givers
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Becky Jones



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SEASON
TICKETS

Puffs

By Matt Cox

"Puffs (Two Act Edition)" is presented by arrangement with Concord Theatricals on behalf of
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November 4-20, 2022

Company

Presented through special arrangement with Music Theatre International (MTI) www.mtishows.com

March 3-19, 2023

Twelfth Night

By William Shakespeare

May 5-21, 2023



Phone: (513) 443 - 4LSC (4572)

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About the 2022/2023 Season

Puffs

November 4th – 20th

Directed by **Carissa Sloan**, Produced by **Jill Gornet & Tom Cavano**

The New York Times proclaims *Puffs* “A fast-paced romp through the ‘Seven Increasingly Eventful Years at a Certain School of Magic and Magic.’ For Potterphiliacs who grew up alongside Potter and are eager to revisit that world, *Puffs* exudes a jovial, winking fondness for all things Harry!” This clever and inventive play gives you a new look at a familiar adventure from the perspective of three potential heroes just trying to make it through a magic school that proves to be very dangerous for children. Alongside them are the *Puffs*, a group of well-meaning, loyal outsiders with a thing for badgers who are lovable and relatable. Their epic journey takes the classic story to new places and reimagines what a boy wizard hero can be. *Puffs* is not authorized, sanctioned, licensed or endorsed by J.K. Rowling, Warner Bros. or any person or company associated with the Harry Potter books, films or play.

Company

March 3rd – March 19th

Directed by **John Sloan**, Produced by **Jill Gornet & Tom Cavano**

On the night of his 35th birthday, Robert struggles to think of a wish to make as he blows out his birthday candles. The lone bachelor, surrounded by “those good and crazy people” -- his married friends -- Robert is uncertain whether he should simply be happy with his lot or whether he should wish for his own romantic partner. Over a series of dinner parties, first dates, and thoughtful conversations, Robert attempts to understand the pros and cons of marriage from his diverse and frequently hilarious friends and begins to make sense of his own persistent bachelorhood. *Company*, Stephen Sondheim’s groundbreaking modern musical, is a mature, intelligent, and wildly funny look at relationships, vulnerability, and “being alive.”

Twelfth Night

May 5th – 21st

Directed by **Kiya Fix**, Produced by **Becky Jones & Micheal R. Kiser**

Often lauded as one of the most structurally perfect comedies ever written and beloved by audiences for generations, *Twelfth Night*; or, *What You Will* is a masterpiece. Shipwrecked on the shores of the strange land, Illyria, Viola believes herself alone in the world and her twin brother drowned. Disguising herself as a boy to work in the court of Illyria’s Count Orsino, Viola discovers her male disguise has proven all too effective: Orsino sends her as a go-between in his persistent love-suit to the unresponsive Olivia. Even as Viola sues for Olivia’s love on Orsino’s behalf, Viola falls in love with Orsino herself. What ensues is a cross-dressing comedy rife with pain and triumph, humor and madness, transformation and redemption.

Cabaret Seating for this production



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2022-2023 SEASON TICKETS ORDER FORM

Puffs

November 4-20, 2022

Company

March 3-19, 2023

Twelfth Night *Cabaret Seating*

May 5-21, 2023

Yes, I would like to order ____ (qty) Season Tickets for the 2022 - 23 Season. I have enclosed my check for \$_____ (\$54 per ticket) made payable to *Loveland Stage Company*.

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Season Tickets
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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.

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Walk-in Ticket Sales

The box office opens ninety minutes 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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Country Christmas

Directed by Pat Furterer & Margie Clegg



Saturday, December 17

5 pm, 6 pm and 7pm

Join us for Christmas in Loveland

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Our Mission Statement:

The Loveland Stage Company is dedicated to serving our community by providing quality theater and performing arts experiences.

Our Vision:

Members: Serve as a magnet for our members and audience. Provide a creative, nurturing, and friendly atmosphere. Be a responsible manager of our assets.

Audience:

Attract a wider diversity in our audience. Become a performing arts destination.

Community:

Be a vibrant and exciting arts entertainment venue. Continue to be viewed as a valued asset to the community. View ourselves as an active community participant. Be an active participant in external arts organizations.

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Congratulations to Pat Furterer for this well-deserved honor. The Ohio Department of Aging inducted 15 outstanding older Ohioans into the Ohio Senior Citizens Hall of Fame during a special ceremony at the Ohio Statehouse in Columbus on Wednesday, Sept. 14, 2022. Members of the Ohio General Assembly and leaders from Ohio's aging network were on hand to congratulate and thank the inductees for their lifelong contributions to their communities, their professions, and their vocations.

This year's inductees range in age from 66 to 101. Their stories are compelling and represent lifetimes of dedication, ingenuity, perseverance, kindness, and compassion.

For four decades, Pat Furterer played pretty much every role there is to play within the Loveland Stage Company (LSC).

Mrs. Furterer helped found the company in 1979. During the next 40 years, she volunteered for every one of its productions. At one time or another she directed, produced, acted, did publicity, ushered, sold tickets, worked the hospitality counter, designed programs, constructed, and decorated sets, was house manager, was stage crew, handled props, and developed the patron program. As if that wasn't enough, she also served on the board in every position. In 2013, the board elected her as President Emeritus.

Her love of theater began in 1942, when she was just 8 years of age. She gathered friends from her Pennsylvania neighborhood and staged many backyard productions. Even as a young girl, she gave back to the community, donating the proceeds from the 5-cent admission to the Community Chest Fund.

In the years to come, Mrs. Furterer studied with several professional directors and helped to renovate an old movie theatre. Then in 1977, she and her husband relocated to Loveland, only to discover there was no community theater in town. Taking matters into her own hands, she placed an ad in the local paper, seeking individuals interested in starting a theater company.

Starting small, she formed the nucleus of the LSC. The company's first production was, fittingly, staged in her backyard. Since those humble beginnings, the company has become a cherished institution within the community.

Since 2006, six shows had first-time directors, and 72 actors debuted in prominent roles. The company also offers seminars, workshops, and mentoring programs for technical staff in sound, makeup, costumes, lighting, and production.

In 1999, the Loveland Firefighters Association purchased the Crist Theater, an old movie house, and donated it to LSC as their home. Soon after, Mrs. Furterer started the LSC's Children's Workshop/Theatre. Since 2004, it has evolved into a successful children's theater with more than 120 children participating annually.

On Oct. 20, 2008, the LSC's theater caught fire. The walls remained but the roof was gone. Again, her experience with renovation came into play in rebuilding the theater. She worked tirelessly with countless volunteers to rebuild and reopen the theatre one year later with the production of "Miss Saigon."

Because of her belief in community involvement, the LSC stages free Christmas shows and participates in Loveland's 4th of July parade. She is an active member of the Loveland Woman's Club, is a Loveland Valentine Lady, and was director of the Loveland Chamber of Commerce.

For her dedicated community involvement, Mrs. Furterer took home the prestigious Louis Rookwood Award and the Key to the City in 1994 and the Art Rouse Award in 2006. In 1999 The Loveland Chamber of Commerce started a scholarship award in her name for a student who exemplifies her character and spirit.



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Many companies offer matching grants for their employees participation in community theaters. Ask your company if they offer one. (For example, current or retired GE employees are eligible for the GE Foundation Matching Grant.)

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For donation, Loveland Stage Company is able to provide quality theater and performing arts experiences for the Cincinnati community. Your donation allows us to make updates to our theater as well as produce some award theater. Even \$1 dollar goes far to help us provide our audience and community with a great performance. The donations we receive go to our general fund, which supports the theater, including maintenance, licensing fees, technical upgrades, and productions.

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