

BROADWAY ROSE

THEATRE COMPANY

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Broadway Rose Theatre Company Presents a Christmas Revue



Tigard, OR - Ring in the holidays at the Broadway Rose Theatre Company with a hilarious and heart-warming Christmas revue. Combining classic carols, holiday pop songs, and original offbeat material created especially for Portland audiences, *A Very Merry PDX-MAS* lovingly pokes fun at our “ever green” city with the perfect mix of local humor and holiday heart. *A Very Merry PDX-MAS* will be performed at the Broadway Rose New Stage. Preview performance is November 23 with opening night on Friday, November 25, and performances continue through December 18, 2011. Evening performances are Thursdays through Saturdays at 7:30 p.m. Matinees are at 2 p.m. on Sundays, and on Saturday, December 3, 10, and 17. The New Stage is located at 12850 SW Grant Avenue in Tigard.

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Tickets start at \$28 for adults, with \$20 tickets available for ages 6 – 25. For a full listing of show performances or to order tickets visit www.broadwayrose.org or call the box office at 503.620.5262.

A Very Merry PDX-MAS is a charming exploration of seasonal traditions and how the holidays continue to enchant us, inspire us, and drive us to the brink of insanity. Songs include: “PDX- MAS,” “Carol of the Fans,” “Joy to the ‘Burbs,” and “The Re-Gifter’s Lament,” plus many of your favorite holiday classics.

The cast includes many of Portland’s finest musical theater talent including Amy Beth Frankel, Isaac Lamb, Rick Lewis, Eric Little, Sharon Maroney, Anne McKee Reed, and Sara Catherine Wheatley. The production is directed by Abe Reybold with musical direction by Rob Fishel. Its original music was composed by Abe Reybold and Jay Tumminello.

Broadway Rose’s Title Sponsor is **Platt Electric Supply**. Production Sponsor for *A Very Merry PDX-MAS* is **Bank of the West**. Broadway Rose’s 2011 season is funded in part by the **Regional Arts & Culture Council** and **Work for Art** as well as the **Oregon Arts Commission** and the **City of Tigard**.

BROADWAY ROSE THEATRE COMPANY, a not-for-profit arts organization, has been successfully producing musical theater in Tigard since 1992 under the artistic direction of Sharon Maroney. As the only professional musical theater company in Washington County, Broadway Rose plays an important role in enriching the community’s cultural arts. Committed to increasing opportunities for Oregonians to participate in the arts and working to retain Portland’s talent pool and attract new talent to the area, Broadway Rose is resolved to keep live theater affordable and make its productions accessible to all ages and members of the community. The Broadway Rose Theatre was selected as one of the “100 Best Nonprofits to Work For in Oregon” by Oregon Business Magazine in 2009, 2010, and 2011, and it was selected as the 2009 “Business of the Year” by the Tigard Chamber of Commerce.

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Photo by Craig Mitchell
Pictured is Amy Beth Frankel and Santa Clause