

# BROADWAY ROSE THEATRE COMPANY

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*Broadway Rose Theatre Presents a Musical Comedy Mystery*



Tigard, OR – Broadway Rose Theatre Company continues its 2015 Season of Bright Beginnings with Christopher Durang’s musical, *Adrift in Macao*, playing at the **Broadway Rose New Stage**. Preview performance is Thursday, September 24 with opening night on **Friday, September 25**, and performances continuing through **October 25, 2015**. Evening performances are Thursday through Saturdays at 7:30 p.m. Matinees are at 2 p.m. on Sundays, and on Saturdays, October 3, 10, 17, and 24. Performance are held at the New Stage located at 12850 SW Grant Avenue in Tigard. **Tickets start at \$30** for adults, with discounts available for groups and youth. For a full listing of show performances or to order tickets visit [www.broadwayrose.org](http://www.broadwayrose.org) or call the box office at 503.620.5262.

Set in 1952 in Macao, China, *Adrift in Macao* is a light-hearted parody of classic film noir. The usual suspects are all here: Lureena, the slinkily dressed dame; Rick Shaw, the cynical casino owner; Mitch, the American framed for murder; even the mysterious villain McGuffin – and everyone is looking to leave the past behind. With a “drop-dead funny book and shamefully silly lyrics by Christopher Durang and lethally catchy music by Peter Melnick” (BroadwayWorld.com), *Adrift In Macao* playfully reminds us that sometimes laughter is the best escape of all.

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Isaac Lamb will direct the Broadway Rose production, with musical direction by Mont Chris Hubbard and choreography by Dan Murphy. The creative team also includes Larry Larsen (*Scenic Designer*), Grace O'Malley (*Costume Designer*), Phil McBeth (*Lighting Designer*), Elizabeth Wyatt (*Sound Designer*), Kendra Comerford (*Prop Designer*), Jane Holmes (*Wig Designer*), and Jessica Downs (*Production Stage Manager*).

Broadway Rose Theatre's production of *Adrift in Macao* will be led by Michael Morrow Hammack, Pam Mahon, Gary Wayne Cash, and Danielle Weathers, and features Gene Chin, Joey Côté, and Olivia Shimkus.

Broadway Rose's 2015 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**. The Title Sponsor is **Pearson Financial Group**.

**BROADWAY ROSE THEATRE COMPANY**, a nonprofit arts organization, is Oregon's premier musical theater company. Under the artistic direction of Sharon Maroney, Broadway Rose has been successfully producing musical theater in Tigard since 1992 and 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.

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