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# Theatre News

**A Timeless Play for Every Age!**  
**A Timeless Play for Each Generation!**  
**A Timeless Play for the Entire Family!**

*This is the incredibly sensitive celebration of old fashioned, traditional, family, small town values. Set in Grovers Corners, New Hampshire, in the early 1900's, it's about Daily Life, Love and Marriage, Life and Death.*

## Our Town



**February 6 thru Valentine's Day**  
**February 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 – 7:30 p.m.**  
**Sunday, February 8 – 2:00 p.m.**

*If you see no other play you MUST see  
"Our Town," Thornton Wilder's Pulitzer Prize-winner and one of the  
most important American Plays ever written!*

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## AUDITIONS

### Initial Auditions:

Monday, February 16, 6:30 pm

### Callbacks (If Needed):

Tuesday, February 17, 6:30 pm

### Location:

Horace Mann Middle School Theatre

### Rehearsals Begin:

Monday, February 23

### Performance Dates:

March 27 – April 4

The Sheboygan Theatre Company's next production will be a brand new comedy: *Over the River and Through the Woods*, by Joe DiPietro. Extremely funny, but not without some poignancy, the show tells of a young man so devoted to his four grandparents that he has dinner with them every Sunday. His problems start when he must tell them that a job promotion is taking him across the country and out of their lives. Unable to handle the disruption, the elders begin plotting ways to keep him in the area.

The cast of six includes the young man, **Nick Cristiano**, in his 30's, and **Caitlin O'Hare**, an attractive, charming young lady in her late 20's. The grandparents, **Frank and Aida Gianelli** (he 80 and she in her 70's) and **Nunzio and Emma Cristiano** (both in their 70's), are very funny, somewhat stereotypical ethnic characters.

Though auditions do imply some competition, the process is made as pleasant as possible. Nothing needs to be prepared and everyone is given ample time to try out multiple times. Direction is given along the way and people need not fear that they will in any way be embarrassed. Auditions will involve reading from the script.

Over a 5-week period there will be approximately 23 rehearsals, the majority of which will be Monday through Friday, 6:30 to 10:00 p.m. There will be two weekend rehearsals on the afternoons of March 21 and 22.

Scripts are available for loan through the Theatre Company's office in the Community Recreation Department. They may be picked up Monday through Friday between 8:00 am and 5:00 pm but must be returned by 5:00 pm on Monday, February 16.



## Over the River

## And Through the Woods



## The Sheboygan Theatre Company Endowment Three ways to support the future of STC!

1. Donate Your Quarters – STC is  $\frac{3}{4}$  of a Century Old - Therefore we need a quarter – YOUR Quarter
2. Name a Chair – Put your name or that of a loved one on a chair at the Leslie Johnson Theatre – only \$100.00.
3. Buy a 75th Anniversary DVD – A Commemorative DVD just \$10.00 or the BONUS DVD for \$15.00

**For more information call 459-3779.**

## READER'S THEATRE AT STC

**We are expanding and would like you to join us.**

Thirteen participants have done almost 50 shows since September 2008. Readings have included Sherlock Holmes, Brer Rabbit, Helen Keller, Dr. Seuss, and many wonderful Christmas stories. Over 1,833 audience members have been entertained ranging in age from 3-93 years old. Stories are performed in Sheboygan, Elkhart Lake, Plymouth, Howards Grove and more.

Readings for the week of March 16th are now being planned. The next meeting date is set for Tuesday, February 17th at 7:00 p.m. at Good Shepherd Church in Sheboygan. Please join us and bring your availability along. If you cannot attend this meeting, but would like to be on the list, call Jackie Blindauer at 207-9185.



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