

# BROADWAY CONCERT SERIES

## 2011 - 2012



**October 15**

### “An Evening with Frank and Styne” Music of Frank Loesser and Jule Styne

Celebrate two musical theater icons and their music. Songs from “Guys and Dolls”, “The Most Happy Fella”, “How to Succeed”, “Gentlemen Prefer Blondes”, “Funny Girl”, “Gypsy” and many others! Don’t miss this two for one October concert!

**November 19**

### “Turkey Lurkey Time ”

Join us for another great Thanksgiving season concert filled with terrific songs. Hear the stories behind the shows while discovering lost tunes and rediscovering old favorites. Featuring tunes by many Broadway greats—Kander & Ebb, Bock & Harnick, Lerner & Loewe and others!

**February 11**

### “Love Is In The Air”

The greatest love songs from Broadway past and present! Cupid’s arrow has inspired many great songs, from the days of operettas to mega-musicals, from Victor Herbert to Andrew Lloyd Webber. We’ll look at them all during this romantic concert for Valentine’s month.

**March 24**

### “Comedy Tonight!”

Come laugh with us in a program of Broadway’s best comedy songs! An hilarious smorgasbord of funny tunes penned by George & Ira Gershwin, Rodgers & Hart, Irving Berlin, Stephen Sondheim and many others! Something familiar, Something peculiar--- something for everyone --- a Comedy Tonight!



2:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.

## MEMBERSHIP AND TICKETS

8 Show Season	\$135.00
7 Show Season	\$125.00
6 Show Season	\$110.00
Musicals (Reserved Seating)	\$26.00
Non-Musicals (Reserved Seating)	\$21.00
Students ((Musicals)	\$13.00
Students (Non-Musicals)	\$11.00
Broadway Concert Series (4)	\$50.00
Single Concert (per ticket)	\$15.00

Group Pricing (11 seats or more)  
available through the Box Office.

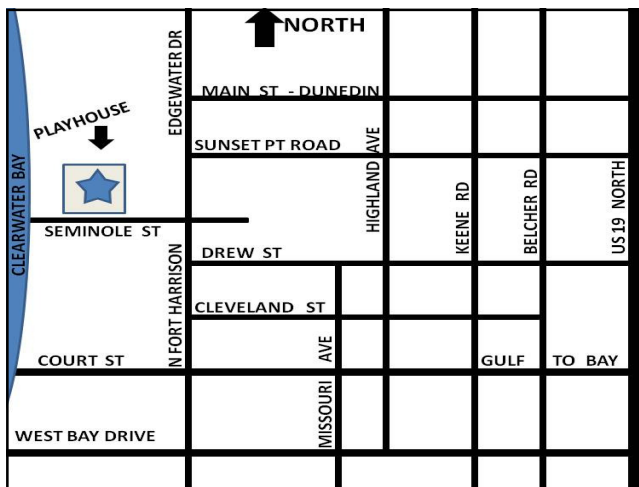
## PERFORMANCE TIMES

Thursday, Friday and Saturday 8:00 p.m. curtain  
Saturday Matinee, (2nd week only) 2:00 p.m. curtain  
Sunday Matinees 2:00 p.m. curtain

**BOX OFFICE: 727-446-1360**

Office Hours: Tuesday through Friday, 10:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Phone messages may be left 24/7 and will be answered promptly during business hours.

On show days, the box office opens  
1 hour before curtain



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# Francis Wilson Playhouse

82 years

Of Providing Dynamic Community Theatre





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### COMEDY: August 11 - 21, 2011

#### BRIGHTON BEACH MEMOIRS: by Neil Simon

Neil Simon's award winning autobiographical 1983 comedy. Winner Best Play New York Drama Critics Circle Award, this story of 1940's Brooklyn is heartwarming and nostalgic, chronicling young Eugene Jerome's inspiration as a playwright.



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### MUSICAL: September 15 - October 2, 2011

#### 42ND STREET: Music by Harry Warren, Lyrics by Al Dubin. Book written by Mark Bramble and Michael Stewart.

Singing. Dancing. Fun! Winner of the 1980 Tony Award for Best Musical and for the 2005 Best Revival based on the classic 1932 Warner Brothers film and featuring a score of hits by Harry Warren. This musical is truly the "Lullaby of Broadway", featuring such hit tunes as "We're In The Money", "About A Quarter to Nine" and "You're Getting To Be A Habit With Me".



October/November						
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### COMEDY: October 27 - November 6, 2011

NOISES OFF: by Michael Frayn. 1983 London Olivier and Broadway Drama Desk Award Winner for Best Play, this raucous comedy details the trials and tribulations of a group of comedic actors both on stage and off. The laughs never stop as the valiant cast and crew struggle to present the hapless comedy, "Nothing On". Will the show go on? Find out in **Noises Off!**



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### MUSICAL: December 1 - 18, 2011

ANNIE: Music by Charles Strouse, Lyrics by Martin Charnin, Book by Thomas Meehan. Winner of 7 Tony and Drama Desk Awards in 1977, **Annie** tells the story of Little Orphan Annie and how she came to meet "Oliver Daddy Warbucks".

Featuring such tuneful selections as "Tomorrow", "NYC" and "You're Never Fully Dressed Without A Smile", this Depression era family musical is a definite crowd pleaser for the holiday season.



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### COMEDY / DRAMA: January 19 - 29, 2012

BUS STOP: by William Inge. This 1956 Broadway hit tells the story of a misfit group stranded in an isolated western bus stop during a snow storm. Marilyn Monroe embodied the role of Cherry in the Hollywood version of this comedy/drama.

Bring in your new year with this classic story of love and laughter.



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### MUSICAL: February 23 - March 11, 2012

BEST LITTLE WHOREHOUSE IN TEXAS: Music and Lyrics by Carol Hall, Book by Larry L. King and Peter Masterson. Winner of 3 Tony Awards and 4 Drama Desk Awards in 1978. Best Little Whorehouse in Texas tells the **true story** of the Chicken Ranch, a Texas brothel caught in the middle of a television crusader's campaign.

Filled with colorful characters. Whorehouse is fun for grown-ups. Toe tapping country fun! (*adult situations and language*)

MOONLIGHT & MAGNOLIAS



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### COMEDY: April 5 - 15, 2012

MOONLIGHT & MAGNOLIAS: by Ron Hutchinson. Based on the **true story**, this hilarious fast-paced farce centers on the creation of the film, Gone With The Wind. As the hours tick by, three Hollywood writers race the clock to deliver a would-be successful screenplay portraying the various characters of the novel. Reminiscent of a Marx Brothers comedy.

Frankly my dear, if you give a damn about having fun, don't miss Moonlight and Magnolias.



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### MUSICAL: May 10 - 27, 2012

PAJAMA GAME: Music and Lyrics by Richard Adler and Jerry Ross, Book by George Abbott and Richard Bissell.

Based on the best selling novel, Seven and a Half Cents, the Pajama Game won the 1954 Tony for the best musical. Set in an Iowa pajama factory in the 1950's, this energetic musical is filled with such great tunes as, Hernando's Hideaway, Hey There and Steam Heat! Make this your special day, if only for your "Once A Year Day" and come play The Pajama Game. ....