🗩 MONTHLY NEWSLETTER 🦨

November 2019

RedCoats

Congratulations to the following Redcoats for reaching a volunteer-hour milestone!

16500

Audrey DeClement 4750 William DeCapite

- 3000 Bill Mcelyea*
- 2750

Susan Pacanosky 2500

- Rich Mclendon* 2250
- Kathie Buckner* Sr. Renee Pastor

2000

Joanne Rassie

1750 Grace Burney

Sandy Paliga

1500

Mike Dendinger Gillian Mancuso* Janice O'Toole Dorothy Shillman*

1250

Irene Perren Bonnie Tagliarini

750

Joe Cistone Julie Jones David Lantz Jeanette McGovern Kim McGowan Allen Nixon Mira Radujkovic Judy Taylor

500

Marcia Cherryholmes Diane Chomo Donna Davis Maureen Sacksteder Sherrie Scarton

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250

Violet Abad Michael Baker **Ruby Brandon** Toni Carqil Ellen Demchak Loren Federman **Patricia Flowers Diane George** Robin Haynik Tanya L. Holsey Bill Kohagen Theresa Ortiz Sarah Osinsky Amanda Ricard Geneva Sarratt **Pearl Sayles** Mike Shaughnessy Ken Srail Ken Walker Vince Wilson Jerry Wolf 100 Anne Blum Lee Butorayac **Emelia Cooley** Andy Flynn Ken Hart

Ken Hart Annette Hayes Lauren Herold Bob Johns Mary Jordan

*Denotes Head Usher 🍼



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THANK YOU

Blazer Thank You to Reinberger Foundation

Thank you to each of you who reached out asking how we can thank the Reinberger Foundation for their generous gift to provide blazers to all of you!

If you would like to thank the Reinberger Foundation, please feel free to write a card or note (it can be from you as an individual, or you are welcome to do it as a team or group of RedCoats). Cards can be left in the black mailbox in the Volunteer Room. We are collecting them as a group and will mail them to the Reinbergers around the first of December!

We will also leave a few blank cards in the Volunteer Room for those who would like to sign a group card.



Holideals for RedCoats!

It's that time of year for the special REDCOAT - CEO Holideals Sale!

Starting on Monday, November 18 at 9:00 a.m. you can find special offers on select Playhouse Square performances.

It is so easy to access your REDCOAT CEO discount offers. Simply log-on to <u>https://tickets.playhousesquare.org/g03</u> and use your promo code REDCOAT

For one week only, CEO HoliDeals will feature additional discounts on five fanfavorite shows, including IRVING BERLIN'S WHITE CHRISTMAS, JERSEY BOYS and more! These special offers will end on Sunday, November 24th so don't miss these extra savings.

For more information or questions don't hesitate to contact **Andy Selesnik** your CEO Account Representative in Group Sales via e-mail at <u>andy.selesnik@playhousesquare.org</u> or call 216-640-8603 - Happy Holideals!

🐑 FRONT OF HOUSE SPOTLIGHT

Head Usher Recruitment

Dear RedCoats,

We are actively recruiting individuals with a positive attitude and good leadership skills to join our Head Usher team. Head Ushers have supervisory responsibilities and work closely with the House Managers to provide an outstanding experience for our guests and RedCoats.

A training session will be held on Saturday, January 18, 2020 from 10am – 3pm.

Qualifications:

- Minimum one year experience as a RedCoat
- 90% attendance or better
- Able to work upstairs and downstairs; good knowledge of all the theaters
- Dependable, self-motivated, team player, excellent communication and problem solving skills
- Able to remain for the entire performance

Responsibilities:

- Check in 15 minutes before regular volunteers for the pre-show Head Usher briefing
- Follow designated policies and procedures as specified by the House Manager
- Be vigilant of potential safety issues
- Supervise pre-show and end of performance volunteer duties
- Team leader of RedCoats in assigned area
- Ensure all equipment is returned to designated areas

It is important to remember that Head Usher duties still include seating and assisting guests. If you wish to be considered for a Head Usher position, or would like more information, please contact Edward Broderick, Senior Manager Front of House, at <u>edward.broderick@playhousesquare.org</u>

Thank you for your consideration and continued support of Playhouse Square!



The Band's Visit

The critically acclaimed smash-hit Broadway musical The Band's Visit is the winner of 10 Tony Awards, including Best Musical, making it one of the most Tony-winning musicals in history. It is also a Grammy Award® winner for Best Musical Theater Album.

With a score that seduces your soul and sweeps you off your feet, and featuring thrillingly talented onstage musicians, The Band's Visit rejoices in the way music makes us laugh, makes us cry, and ultimately, brings us together.

See this \underline{VIDEO} for clips of the show!

100 Cont.

Katie Lawlor Robin Leichtman Vickie Loncar Viveca Malone Sara Martin Marie Matzke Jackie Minotas Jessica Nichols Laureen Nowakowski Katrina Rowe Gini Smith-Kolar Sarah Stechow Connie Szuhay Hannah Toth Totty Totty Bob Walsh Alli Wank Nancy Weissman Sharon O. Williams Bob Woods Elizabeth Woolf Cheryl Yuhas

RedCoats who received STAR Awards this month

Joe Barmann Tom Bowman Vickie Byrne Barbara Craig Sherrie Dangremond* Iris Greene Ingrid Helfrich Paul Lamer* Paige Maunus Debra Martin* Jane Oulton Lauren Plasterer Judy Pollack Jeff Presley Michael Routa Sarah Stechow Diane Walden Bob Walsh Jeff Wingate

Please Welcome our Newest RedCoats!

Lynn Abou-Ghalioum Anita Andrews Suzanne Bagnall Lisa Bluemel James Byrne Vikki Castro Patricia Chmura Cecelia Davis Norm Diederich Gloria Donnelly John Dunstan Chris Foell Pamela Goepfarth Michelle Gray Tony Green Jasmin Grindon Donna Guardino Julie Hebenthal Michelle Kenny Tina King Diana Kirkpatrick Celeste Lesniak

Wanda Lett Jeanine Majikas Rachel Mann **Michelle Marks** Doug Mecaskey Kerie Mecaskey Marlene Mohnickey Liz Nau Mickey O'Connor Chuck O'Malley Hollie O'Malley Stacev Phelps Dan Reichert Hannah Reikowsky Pat Steuer Marian Swirski Connie Szuhay Tyronnie Taylor Marilyn Valentino Mary Lou Vickers Gina Welch

Thank You Retiring RedCoats with 10+ years of service!

Renette Armstrong* Dolly Bruce Barb Forst Coline Kiehne Carol Kleinschnitz Vinny Klesta Theresa Kuehn Helen Matthews Karla Miller Es Romanowski Yvonne Speights Penny Stilke Linda Tricarichi Tuck Tucker* Shelby Warrens

* Denotes Head Usher

UPCOMING WEEKS VOLUNTEER NEEDS AND RUNNING TIMES

The Band's Visit

November 13-24 Connor Palace | 95 min no I

- WE E 11/13 6pm
- FR E 11/22 6pm

The Merchant of Venice

Helen Lab | 2 hrs 30 min w/ I

Cleveland Comedy Fest

November 13-15

November 16 Mimi Ohio | 90 min

E&S Gallery Exhibit November 16 KeyBank State

KeyBank State | 2 hrs 15 min w/ I

Hanna Theatre | 1 hr 15 min

November 22 KeyBank State

Nick Offerman November 23

KeyBank State

November 13 - 16

• SA E 11/16 6pm

Cartography November 13-15 Mimi Ohio | 70 min no I

Kennedy's

Ryan Hamilton

• SA E 11/16 6:30pm

• SA M 11/16 9:30am

The Simon & Garfunkel Story

November 17 - FULL

Vicki Barbolak November 17

Cleveland Mega Blues Festival

I would like to be an EXTRA

I need to CANCEL

UPCOMING WEEKS **VOLUNTEER NEEDS AND RUNNING TIMES**

The Uncle Louie Variety Show November 23 Hanna Theatre

SA E 11/23 6:30pm

The Singing Angels

November 24 KeyBank State

• SU M 11/24 12:30pm

Disney Junior Holiday Party November 26 Connor Palace • TU E 11/26 4:30pm

White Christmas

November 26 – December 1 KeyBank State

- FR M 11/29 12pm •
- SA E 11/30 6pm

A Christmas Carol

November 29 – December 22 Mimi Ohio

- SA M 11/30 12pm •
- SA E 11/30 6pm
- SU M 12/1 1:30pm

A Christmas Story

November 29 – December 23 Allen Theatre

• <u>SA E 12/7 6pm</u>

Holidazzle

November 30 WIST

• SA M 11/30 12pm

Cleveland POPS

December 1 Connor Palace

Mean Girls

December 3 - 22 KeyBank Broadway

- FR E 12/6 6pm •
- SA E 12/7 6pm
- SU M 12/8 11:30am

Click Here for the Current **Volunteer Schedule**



Halidazzle

Kick off the holiday season with a free, fun-filled day of family activities at Playhouse Square!

The Idea Center at Playhouse Square will be decorated for the holidays and set-up for familyfriendly activities. Take a photo in the photo booth and make a frame to take home. Enjoy the sounds of the season played by classical quartets, face painting, balloon artists and costumed characters from PBS. Lastly, don't forget to get an outdoor photo opportunity on U.S. Bank Plaza!

There will be parking available for Holidazzle for \$5 in the Middough parking lot on Chester Avenue (based on availability).

Bring your family, or sign up as a volunteer for this exciting event!!!

SA M 11/30 at 12pm



Mega Blues Festival

The Cleveland Mega Blues Festival is the most anticipated blues event of 2019. Never before seen together on one stage are these six chart topping blues and R&B artist of all time. The Legendary Millie Jackson and Latimore along with Willie Clayton, TK Soul, Wendell B and Pokey Bear. This will be a show you don't want to miss!!