

North Fork Community Theatre

November 2016

12700 Sound Avenue, PO Box 86 Mattituck, NY 11952

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November 5

Basement cleanup

November 25 and 29

Variety Show auditions

December 10

Caroling on Love Lane

December 10 and 11

Holiday show

December 13

General membership meeting

December 13

Deadline for play submissions

(All events held at the theater unless otherwise noted.)

President's Message

Dear NFCT Friends,

One show closes and another one is just getting started. That's the way things go at the NFCT. I hope you were able to see *First Date*, but don't worry if you missed it ... there will be many other fabulous shows to see this season. In the meantime, there are plenty of ways to stay involved. We're having a volunteer clean-up day on November 5 at 10 AM and you're invited. There are many ongoing projects to tackle, but we're going to start with giving the basement a good cleaning. There are lots of ways to help, so please join us.

We've set our annual Christmas caroling event for Saturday, December 10, at noon. Mark your calendars now while we put in a request with Mr. Claus to grace us with his presence! All are welcome, whether you play an instrument, sing loudly & off-key or just want to watch and enjoy some hot cocoa. We'll provide the music and snacks so you just have to show up with your hat, mittens and the holiday spirit.

Looking forward to seeing you soon!

Liz Liszanckie

Congratulations to the cast and crew of *First Date, the Broadway Musical*, directed by Christopher Fretto and co-produced by Mary Motto Kalich and Liz Liszanckie, with choreography by Katie Smith and musical direction by Karen Hochstedler. The show was lots of laughs and well-received by our audiences. Well done!

Let's clean up! We're going to tidy up our basement at 10 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 5, and we need your help. There's a lot of work to do to make the space more pleasant, please so come on down and lend a hand. Cleaning equipment and supplies welcome and gloves are suggested. There will be snacks!

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Variety Show acts wanted: Auditions for our annual Variety Show will be held at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 25, and Tuesday, Nov. 29, at the theater. We're looking for acts of any kind – we get lots of talented singers every year, but we welcome "variety" – magic, dance, comedy sketches, instrumental music, dramatic readings or scenes – you name it! An accompanist will be provided; please bring sheet music in the proper key if needed. Performances will be held at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Jan. 6 and 7, and at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 8. All Variety Show proceeds go to the NFCT scholarship fund for local high school seniors.

Interested in proposing a play or musical for the 2017-2018 season? Submittals should be sent to vp@nfct.com and are due by December 13, the night of our general membership meeting. All proposals are welcome and will be considered, but shows submitted with a director attached are preferred.

Mark your calendars for our annual holiday show. This year's production will be "A Christmas Carol," a live radio play. Performances are set for Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 10 (8 p.m.) and 11 (2:30 p.m.). Tickets are \$20 and available at the door or at brownpapertickets.com/event/2598479.

Were you involved with a Youth on Stage production? If so, there's a new Facebook group just for you. It's a great place to catch up with old friends – or find them again. If you'd like to be added to the (closed) group, send a Facebook message to the NFCT Facebook page and we'll add you.



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