



Daniel Rocket

Tom Hulce, who is originally from Plymouth, stars in a 90-minute TV adaptation of Peter Parnell's Off-Broadway fantasy/drama "The Rise and Rise of Daniel Rocket," airing Monday, Jan. 20, on WTVB, Channel 56. (Left) Hulce plays the little role of Daniel Rocket, a young man who believes he can fly — and does. (Right) An injured Rocket is comforted by hometown friends, played by Valerio Mahaffoy and Tim Daly. The drama launches the fifth broadcast season over the PBS series "American Playhouse," award-winning drama anthology series. Hulce was nominated for an Academy Award for his portrayal of Mozart in the film "Amadeus."



DINING AND ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE ON THE TOWN

'Gigi' highlights New Year's Eve

True Grist Dinner Theatre in Homer will host a New Year's Eve celebration with a full buffet-style dinner, a performance of the holiday musical "Gigi," a split of champagne, party favors and dancing after the show to ring in the new year. The non-profit dinner theater has hosted New Year's celebrations for 10 years, and this year's event marks its 10th anniversary as a theater. The evening begins with cocktails in the Bin Room at 6 p.m. Guests may begin dining at 6:30, and the musical presentation starts at 8. "Gigi" is an award-winning musical by Lerner and Loewe that tells the story of a charming young girl coming of age in 1901 Paris. It is a show complete with music and period costumes and sets. Cost of the evening is \$60 per couple. There are two Bed and Breakfast houses in Homer village that offer accommodations for travelers who don't want a drive home after the New Year's festivities. For reservations to True Grist's New Year's celebration or for further information, call 517-568-4151 or 517-568-4152.



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