

8 days a week

A Guide to entertainment in the Metro Detroit area

THEATER

FISHER THEATRE
"Bring in Da Noise, Bring in Da Funk," 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 23 (\$22.50-\$44.50), 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 24-Saturday, Oct. 25 (\$27.50-\$52.50), 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 25, and Sunday, Oct. 26 (\$25.50-\$48.50), 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 26 (\$22.50-\$44.50), at the Fisher, 1000 Washington Building, Detroit. (212) 875-2000.

MEADOW BROOK THEATRE

"Three Tall Women," a Pulitzer Prize-winning drama by Edward Albee, through Sunday, Nov. 16, at the other, Wilson Hall, Oakland University, Rochester. Preview: 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 23, Friday, Oct. 24, \$18. Regular run: 8 p.m. Tuesdays-Thursdays (\$22), 2 p.m. Saturdays (\$18), 8 p.m. Fridays (\$20.50), 2 p.m. Saturdays (\$22), 6 p.m. Saturdays (\$32), 8 p.m. Saturdays (\$32), 2 p.m. Sundays (\$22), and 6:30 p.m. Sundays (\$26.50). Student, senior and group discounts available. (248) 377-3300.

THE PURPLE ROSE THEATRE COMPANY
"Escanaba in da Moonlight," a comedy about a family's dream vacation trip by Jeff Daniels, through Saturday, Oct. 20, at the George Theatre, 137 Park St., Chelsea. 8 p.m. Wednesdays-Fridays, 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturdays, 2 p.m. Sundays, and 3 p.m. Wednesdays (\$20.50-\$22.50). Student, senior and group discounts available. (248) 377-3300.

THEATRE QROTTECO
"The Angel's Cradle," a story of discovery set in a census world, 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 24-Saturday, Oct. 25, 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 26, 10:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 27, at the George Theatre, 137 Park St., Chelsea. 8 p.m. Wednesdays-Fridays, 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturdays, 2 p.m. Sundays, and 3 p.m. Wednesdays (\$20.50-\$22.50). Student, senior and group discounts available. (248) 377-3300.

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Sunday, Oct. 26, at the coffee house, 2357 Canfield, Hamtramck. \$10. (313) 323-1000.

P.T.D. PRODUCTIONS

"Talley and Son," 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 23-Saturday, Oct. 25, Riverside Arts Center, 76 N. Huron St., Ypsilanti. \$12 adults, \$9 seniors/students. (313) 483-7345.

SRC PRODUCTIONS

"Steel Magnolias" continues 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 24-Saturday, Oct. 25 through Oct. 26 at the Burgh, north-east corner of Civic Center Drive & Borg Road, Southfield. Tickets \$8 and \$7 senior citizens and children. (248) 827-0000.

STAGECRAFTERS

"Beyond Therapy," by Christopher Durang, Oct. 24-Nov. 2 on Stages, 2600 St. Paul, the Burton Theatre, 440 S. Lafayette, downtown Royal Oak. Performances 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, Oct. 24-25; Oct. 31 and Nov. 1; 7 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 26; and 2 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 2. Tickets \$7, call (248) 541-5430.

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DINNER THEATRE

MOON ZION THEATRE COMPANY
"The Moon and the Sun" is a play about the alienation that exists between a 20-year-old son and his father. 6 p.m. dinner with 8 p.m. performance, Friday, Oct. 24-Saturday, Oct. 25, Moon Zion Center for the Performing Arts, 4453 Clintonville Road (off Maybelle Road), Waterford. \$25-\$200 for table of eight. (248) 391-6166.

YOUTH

DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS
"Ancient Echoes: Tales from Egypt," performed by Wild Swan Theater 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. Saturdays, Oct. 25, and Nov. 29, at the DIA, 5200 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$7. (513) 961-5200. Recommended for children ages 5 and older. (313) 933-2323.

FIRST THEATRE QULD

"Hansel and Gretel" opens 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 31, First Presbyterian Church, Maple Road just east of Cranbrook. Additional performances 2 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 1-2; 8 p.m. Friday, Nov. 7; 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 8, and 2 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 9. Tickets \$10. (248) 642-7612.

SPECIAL EVENTS/ BENEFACTS

"THE CALLING AND THE COURAGE"
"The Calling and the Courage, an African American history of the history of African-American Education," runs through Saturday, Nov. 15, next to Saks Fifth Avenue in Fairlane Town Center, Dearborn. "The Calling and the Courage" chronicles the dedicated and courageous men and women who, because of religious and moral convictions, headed a call in the face of difficulty, and sometimes danger, to bring education to African Americans. (313) 563-2200.

SHREWDRAFT COLLEGE
"A View from the Bridge," by Arthur Miller, dinner theater performances 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, Oct. 24-25; Oct. 31 and Nov. 1; theater only Friday and Saturday, Nov. 7-8 in the Liberal Arts Theatre on the college's main campus, 1800 Haggerty Road (between Six and Seven Mile Roads), Livonia. Dinner theater tickets \$19; after show \$8. (313) 462-4409.

SHREWDRAFT COLLEGE

"A Woman Called Truth" by Sandra Fenichel, 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 23-Saturday, Oct. 25, and Thursday, Oct. 30-Saturday, Nov. 1, and 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 26, and Sunday, Nov. 2, at the theater below the Hiltzberg Theatre on the Wayne State University campus, 4743 Cass Ave., Detroit. (313) 577-2972.

THE HILZBERG THEATRE

"Other" by William Shakespeare, 8 p.m. Thursdays, Oct. 23-Friday, Oct. 24, 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 31, and Saturday, Nov. 1, 10 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 28, and 2 p.m. Friday, Oct. 31, "The Lady's Not for Burning," 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 25, 2 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 29, 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 30, the theater on the Wayne State University campus, 4743 Cass Ave., Detroit. (313) 577-2972.

LIBRARY

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FRANKLIN COMMUNITY ANTIQUES SHOW

10 a.m.-8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 24, and 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 25, (\$5), preview 6-9 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 23, with appraisal clinic with Frank H. Bock Gallery and exhibit by folk artist Margaret Shaw (\$35, advance registration \$30). Franklin Community Church, 29743 Normandy and Wellington, Franklin. (348) 851-5430 and 660-6606.

HYPOCRISY SHOW

With Jim Hope, 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 23, and Thursday, Oct. 30, The Underwood Theater, 110 S. Main St., Royal Oak. \$10. (513) 546-1123.

LIVERPOOL DAYS

A Beatles display featuring photographs taken by the Beatles, "The Beatles' original home," photo booth, Stuart Sutcliffe (the subject of the film "Backbeat"), and photojournalist Max Scheler, through Sunday, Oct. 26, Laurel Park Plaza, 37700 Six Mile Road (at Newburgh), just off I-275), Livonia. The Beatles cover band "Shout" performs at 1 p.m. daily. (313) 482-1200.

"MEWFEST"

A celebration of art and music featuring "The Sound of Music," 8 p.m. Saturdays, 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Sundays through Nov. 9 at Akron DeRoy Studio Theatre, Jewell Community Center, 6600 W. Maple, West Bloomfield. Tickets \$18, seniors \$15, students \$13.50, call (248) 288-1040 or (248) 540-0454.

ENTERTAINERS PERFORMANCE PLUS

"The Dining Room," 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 24-Saturday, Oct. 25, and 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 26, Nov. Civic Center Stage, 45175 W. 10 Mile Road, Novi. \$7. \$6 seniors and children younger than 12 in advance, \$8 and \$7, respectively, at the door. (248) 347-0400.

PLANET ANT

"Landscape," 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 24-Saturday, Oct. 25, and 6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 26, Nov. Civic Center Stage, 45175 W. 10 Mile Road, Novi. \$7. \$6 seniors and children younger than 12 in advance, \$8 and \$7, respectively, at the door. (248) 347-0400.

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Saturday, Oct. 25, at the Pontiac Silverdome. \$12 adults, \$8 students/seniors. (248) 456-1800.

SOUTHFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Learn about the history of the Thanksgiving Day Parade and how it's put together with Dennis Carnavale of the Parade Company 7 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 28, in the Marquette Room of the



Skating event: U.S. champion Tara Lipinski and other outstanding skaters will be competing in the Thrifty Car Rental Skate America International '97 at Joe Louis Arena in Detroit, Oct. 23-26. This event is the first competition en route to the 1998 Olympic Winter Games and the kick-off of the 1997-98 Champions Series of Figure Skating, which consists of six international figure skating competitions. All event ticket packages are \$145, a \$200 "Ice Pick" package is also available. Call (313) 965-3099. Individual event tickets are \$40 and \$25. For more information call (248) 645-6666 or (313) 983-6606.

library, 28000 Evergreen Road, Southfield. (248) 949-0460.

UNIVERSITY MUSICAL SOCIETY'S ANNUAL AUCTION

6 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 26, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. (313) 936-6837.

FAMILY EVENTS

BALDWIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

"Dinner Theatre," an evening of enlightening entertainment with storyteller Linda Dillen 7 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 30, at Temple Beth El, 44 Mile and Telegraph, Bloomfield Hills. \$20. \$10 seniors/students. \$50 for series of three concerts. (248) 601-MCSO

PLYMOUTH SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

The Three Baritones, "Metropolitan Opera Legend, featuring Pablo Elvira, 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 25, at the Michigan Opera House, 300 W. Fort Street, Detroit. (248) 923-2222.

DETROIT CHAMBER SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Featuring outstanding young pianist Joshua Cullen 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 1 at Temple Beth El, 44 Mile and Telegraph, Bloomfield Hills. \$20. \$10 seniors/students. \$50 for series of three concerts. (248) 601-MCSO

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