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#### THURGOOD

Meet Thurgood Marshall: Lawyer. Civil Rights Activist. The first African American Supreme Court Justice.

In the acclaimed Broadway play *Thurgood*, you have a seat at a fictional lecture on his life given by Marshall at his alma mater, and experience his transformation from a young and spirited dissenter to a pensive Justice full of wisdom, at times inhabiting the friends and foes that were met along the way.

From his early days as the civil rights lawyer to his appointment to the highest court in the land, Thurgood Marshall stood for justice while lifting the standing of his race, and all Americans. *Thurgood* proves that it is possible to

work within the rule of law while remaining true to the rule of the heart. Produced by Walnut Street Theatre, America's Oldest Theatre.

"Rich in history, humanity and humor"
--New York Daily News

# MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET

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Celebrating 10 years of rocking audiences around the globe!

The Tony® Award winning smash hit Broadway musical inspired by the true story of the recording session that brought together rock n' roll icons Elvis Presley, Johnny Cash, Jerry Lee Lewis and Carl Perkins for the first and only time.

JERRY LEE | CARL | ELVIS | JOHNNY LEWIS | PERKINS | PRESLEY | CASH | INSPIRED BY THE ELECTRIFYING

Featuring rock hits including "Blue Suede Shoes," "Fever," "That's All Right,"

"Sixteen Tons," "Great Balls of Fire," "Walk the Line," "Whole Lotta Shakin' Goin' On," "Who Do You Love?," "Matchbox," "Folsom Prison Blues," "Hound Dog" and more MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET brings that moment in time to life.

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DEBUTING nationwide on NICK JR. in 2018! The Rainbow Rangers are Earth's First Responders: 7 diverse girls each with her own color of the rainbow and a highly distinct personality, who are dedicated to saving the Earth and its inhabitants from trouble.

Living in the magical land of Kaleidoscopia, on the other side of the rainbow, when called to action they transform to unleash their unique powers. Whenever there is trouble for the people or animals of Earth, our seven heroines zoom into action.

With an all-star creative team including Rob

Minkoff (Director - The Lion King), Shane Morris (Co-writer Frozen), Ruben Aguino (Designer - Disney's The Little Mermaid) and Elise Allen (writer Dinosaur Train) this is sure to be the latest Nick JR, hit!

### INNOVATION NATION - LIVE!

The two-time Emmy Award winning Saturday morning show comes to life in a brand new production. Produced in conjunction with The Henry Ford, Litton **Entertainment and The Griffin Theatre** Company, Innovation Nation - Live! will celebrate the American spirit of ingenuity and encourages young people to use their imaginations and pursue careers in science and technology.

Like the award-winning television show, INNOVATION NATION - LIVE! will inspire young people with entertaining and



educational stories about yesterday and today's visionaries and innovators highlighting major turning points in the past and present that influenced the fields of science, technology, engineering, math and social justice. With over 60 million annual viewers Innovation Nation is part of The CBS Dream Team, It's Epic! - Saturday morning line up on the CBS Television Network.

# IN TO AMERICA

A world premiere drama that traces the American immigrant experience from Jamestown to present day through the stories of ordinary men, women and children who departed their homelands in the hopes of creating a new life.

An extraordinary story 400 years in the making that transcends time, space and race to reflect the diversity and commonalities of our shared American experience.

# **LETTERS HOME**

Putting the wars in Afghanistan & Iraq front and center by bringing to life actual letters written by soldiers serving in the Middle East.

The production is inspired by the New York Times Op-Ed Article "The Things They Wrote" and the subsequent HBO documentary Last Letters Home, and additionally uses letters and correspondences from Frank Schaeffer's books, Voices From the Front, Letters Home From America's Military Family, Faith of Our Sons, and Keeping Faith.



The play - without politicizing - gives audiences a powerful portrait of the soldier experience in the ongoing war. The initial production was critically acclaimed and was nominated for a Joseph Jefferson Award for "Outstanding New Play."

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# B - THE UNDERWATER BUBBLE SHOW

This is a story about our lives. We all know life can be gray or colorful...Don't worry...this time it is going to be very colorful!

Mr. B finds himself transported as if by magic to a special, colorful, happy place called Bubblelandia, a place to linger, to dream, to listen, to watch, to savor, and to marvel but, above all, a place to dream.

With some references and quotes from classics such as "Pinocchio", "The Little Mermaid", "Beauty and the Beast", and "Peter Pan", "B" is considered a modern fairy tale in which we can all find ourselves, without age limits...

\*co-representation with Alma Artists Booking

### THE PASSING ZONE SAVES THE WORLD

The Passing Zone Saves The World from boredom and the mundane by putting themselves at risk for your amusement!

Imagine a show without hatred, ignorance, and bigotry!

Are they superheroes? Or are they just a couple of talented guys who will make you forget your troubles and laugh til your face hurts?



Their combination of comedy, dexterity, danger, and hilarity has audiences on their feet all across the globe.

### THE CHIPPER EXPERIENCE!

WHERE COMEDY & MAGIC COLLIDE!



Two-Time "Comedy Magician of the Year", Chipper Lowell, brings his hilarious one-man show featuring side-splitting comedy, magic, and fun-filled surprises to your stage!

Chipper has appeared multiple times on NBC's THE TONIGHT SHOW, THE DISNEY CHANNEL, AMERICA'S FUNNIEST PEOPLE!, & DON'T BLINK!, as well as all FIVE seasons of the CW's hit series: "MASTERS OF ILLUSION".

Described as a "Cyclone of high-energy wit & laughs, and jaw-dropping magic!", Audiences and critics alike continue to rave about his hilarious one man show and onstage antics. Chipper's show is a nonstop roller coaster of edgy comedy, original magic, and even a bit of stunts thrown in for good measure.

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His poignant, often harrowing account, especially vivid in sensory

details, chronicles his experiences in basic training and his tour of duty in Iraq. This story vividly brought to life is a remarkable, deeply penetrating personal account that will compel teens to reflect on their own thoughts about duty, patriotism and sacrifice.

FRINDLE
Based on the best-selling, award-winning book by Andrew Clements and produced by the Griffin Theatre Company.

> Everyone knows that Mrs. Granger, the language arts teacher, has X-ray vision, and nobody gets away with anything in her classroom. But when Nicholas Allen learns an interesting tidbit about words and where they come from, it inspires his greatest plan yet: to invent a new word.

From now on, a pen is no longer a pen --

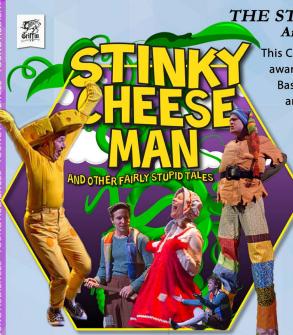
it's a Frindle. This quirky, imaginative tale about creative thought and the power of words will have your young audience inventing their own words.

### GHOSTS OF WAR

Ryan Smithson was a typical 16-year-old high-school student until 9/11.

"I'd thought about joining the military the moment I saw the towers fall," he relates in this profoundly moving theatrical production. Smithson enlisted in the Army Reserve the following

THE TRUE STORY OF 19-YEAR-OLD GI



THE STINKY CHEESE MAN And Other Fairly Stupid Tales

> This Caldecott Honor and NY Times award winning book comes to life! Based on the book by Jon Scieszka and Lane Smith.

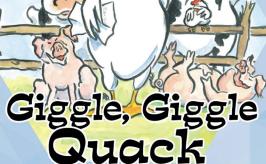
> > Jack's got to use his wits to save himself from the terrible Giant, but a host of familiar fairytale characters keep messing up his plans and then there's that annoying Stinky Cheese Man!

Deconstructing the tradition of the fairy tale, characters slide in and out of tales; Cinderella rebuffs Rumpelstiltskin, and Goldilocks meets the Three Elephants. Nothing is guite the same as you remember it.

## GIGGLE, GIGGLE, QUACK

Running a farm is hard work, especially with cows that type, hens on strike, and a duck who's always causing trouble. So Farmer Brown takes off for a well-deserved vacation, leaving his brother Bob, an accountant from the city, in charge.

Soon it's no work and all play (and cake, pizza, movies, and bubble baths...) as the animals run wild, taking advantage of Bob's lack of experience. Will the animals come clean about their devious tricks, or is there more to Brother Bob than meets the eye?



Take a break from the grind with the gang from Farmer Brown's farm with our hit musical adaptation of the 2002 New York Times bestselling book by Doreen Cronin and Betsy Lewin.



The One & Only Ivan

Based on the 2012 book by Katherine Applegate, a #1 New York Times bestseller and winner of the Newberv Medal.

For 27 years, the world of Ivan the gorilla was a dull cage in a roadside shopping mall. But when he meets Ruby, a baby elephant captured in the wild, Ivan's ambitions and imagination must grow to meet the challenge of rescuing his endangered new companion.

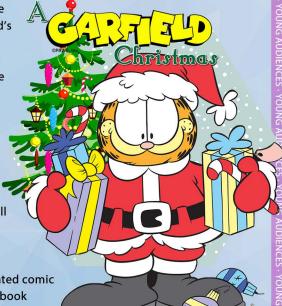
Aided by Bob the scrappy dog and a young human ally, Ivan sets out to become the great silverback and protector he was always meant to be. Enter the mind of a remarkable hero in this unforgettable story of enduring friendship, drawn from true events.

### A GARFIELD CHRISTMAS

It's the most wonderful time of the year - especially if you're the world's best-loved and fat cat movie star, Garfield. Coming to you with arms wide open in anticipation of all the presents he's expecting, Garfield will light up your holiday this year with his wit, wise cracks and wisdom.

Sing along as Garfield's new friends including Nutcracker, Rag Doll, Teddy Bear, and even Angel all work together to bring light to Garfield's Christmas.

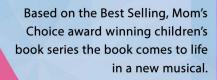
As the world's most widely syndicated comic strip and with over 17 million Facebook fans, this show is sure to be a family hit!



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#### THE ADVENTURES of BELLA & HARRY

Let's Visit London! The Musical!



Come along with Bella & Harry, as they "em-bark" on an educational and fun-filled journey to London.

These two jet-set pets help to foster an education about customs and cultures.

## HOW TO SURVIVE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Comedian Robert Post barely survived Middle School. Struggling because of various learning disabilities, he found that making people laugh saved him.

In this brand new multimedia performance, kids talk to kids in a compelling, funny and educational show.

Dealing with real issues affecting students today including social media, testing, bullying and peer pressure these video testimonials by kids and their advocates (along with a generous dose of Post's signature humor) is sure to resonate with school and public audiences alike.

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generate a truly "electrifying" performance.

THE MAYHEM POETS

Bringing their brand of verbal mayhem to venues around the country, these performers specialize in

transforming students' tepid enthusiasm for the English language into a passion and love for using words.

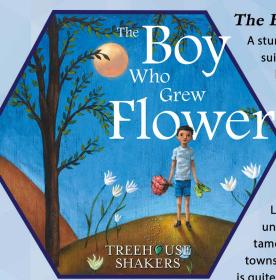
Their residency program combines live school time performances with single or multi-day workshops that can be tailored to any presenter's specific needs, and serve all grade levels.

#### ARCATTACK

Featured nationally on shows such as National Geographic's Known Universe, highlighted by Morgan Freeman on Discovery Science's Through The Worm Hole and of course an unforgettable performance on America's Got Talent with over 3 million views on Youtube, the crew of ArcAttack use their high tech wizardry to

Touring shows "Electricity" and "Engineering"; the group combines their love of science and music, teaching students about everything from electricity to robotics and more in shows that meets National Science and NGSS standards.





The Boy Who Grew Flowers

A stunning visual performance
suitable for Ages 5-9. From the
book by Jennifer Wojtowicz and
illustrated by Steve Adams.
Adapted for the stage by
Mara McEwin and Emily
Bunning.

The story of a young boy, Rink Bowagon, who lives on top of Lonesome Mountain with his unusual family of rattlesnake tamers and shape-shifters. The townspeople agree that Rink's family is quite strange, but they are unaware

of Rink's spectacular gifts. Whenever the moon is full, Rink sprouts beautiful flowers all over his body.

When a new girl, Angelina, moves to town, Rink's life truly begins to grow. Incorporating shadow puppetry, original music, and movement into the play, a thoughtful story that lends itself to themes of diversity, creating empathy & celebrating individualism

### Olive & Pearl

The Treehouse Shakers' newest work for the very young, Olive & Pearl is the story of a young girl, Olive, who is being raised by her Granny, Pearl.

Told through
puppetry, theater,
music and movement it's
a mirror and window into
the deeper meaning of home
and a sensory journey filled with
wonder, surprise and delight.



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Performed through music, movement, handcrafted puppets, and very little human dialogue, the story is set amidst an American family farm.

Intimately staged, young audience members are encouraged to interact with the newborn animals as they explore their worlds.

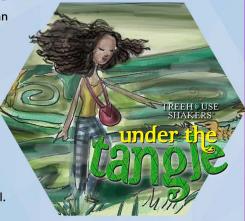
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#### UNDER THE TANGLE

Geared towards ages 8+, this is an adventurous tale filled with obstacles, relationships, and discoveries, which strengthen the heroine's sense of self, helping her to discover her path throughout the tangled and brambling maze.

Under the Tangle is a performance must-see to be enjoyed and delighted by the adventurer in us all.

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### Oran Etkin's TIMBALOOLOO

Instruments come to life, speaking through their music and taking the children on a journey around the world - from Duke's place in Harlem to Cuba, Japan to Mali and finally back home.

Children help wake up "Clara" the Clarinet with the help of Big "Mama" Tuba and her friends. Timbalooloo is a wonderful interactive live show for the very young.



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