



MAMMA MIA!

MUSIC & LYRICS BY BJORN ULVAEUS & BENNY ANDERSSON
BOOK BY CATHERINE JOHNSON

The musical hits of ABBA come to life in this bright and sunny tale about a daughter's quest to discover the identity of her father. This irresistibly funny show has been thrilling audiences all around the world, and now the party comes to Bakersfield for the first time ever on the community theatre stage! Whatever your age, you can't help but have the time of your life at MAMMA MIA!

MARCH 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 21, 22, 23, 28, 29, 30



THE HUNCHBACK OF NOTRE DAME

MUSIC BY ALAN MENKEN | LYRICS BY STEPHEN SCHWARTZ
BOOK BY PETER PARNELL

What makes a monster and what makes a man? This is the main theme of THE HUNCHBACK OF NOTRE DAME, a large-scale musical masterpiece based on the novel by Victor Hugo, and Disney film of the same name. Quasimodo, the deformed bell-ringer, is held captive by his devious caretaker, the archdeacon Dom Claude Frolo. He escapes for the day and joins the boisterous crowd for the Feast of Fools, only to be treated cruelly by all except the beautiful gypsy, Esmeralda.

APRIL 26, 27, 28, MAY 3, 4, 5, 10, 11, 16, 17, 18



BAKERSFIELD MUSIC THEATRE 50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION!

Bakersfield Music Theatre is turning 50 and we are throwing a big ol' party! Join us as we celebrate 50 years of theatrical excellence in Bakersfield! This two-week special event is not-to-be-missed! Audiences can expect to see many of their favorite performers, musical performances, and a few surprises!

JUNE 7, 8, 9, 13, 14, 15, 16



A GENTLEMAN'S GUIDE TO LOVE & MURDER

BOOK & LYRICS BY ROBERT L. FREEDMAN
MUSIC & LYRICS BY STEVEN LUTVAK

When low-born Monty Navarro finds out that he's eighth in line for an earldom, he figures his chances of outliving his predecessors are slight and sets off down a far more ghoulish path. Can he knock off his unsuspecting relatives without being caught? And what about love? Because murder isn't the only thing on Monty's mind! Filled with unforgettable music and non-stop laughs, this murderous romp is a must-see musical triumph!

AUGUST 16, 17, 18, 23, 24, 25, 30, 31, SEPTEMBER 5, 6, 7



CAMELOT

BOOK & LYRICS BY ALAN JAY LERNER
MUSIC BY FREDERICK LOEW

From the creators of MY FAIR LADY comes the legendary musical, Camelot. An idealistic, young King Arthur hopes to create a kingdom built on honor and dignity. His ideals, however, are tested when his lovely queen, Guenevere, falls in love with the young Knight, Lancelot and the fate of the kingdom hangs in the balance.

SEPTEMBER 27, 28, 29, OCTOBER 4, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12



BRIGHT STAR

MUSIC, BOOK & STORY BY STEVE MARTIN
MUSIC, LYRICS & STORY BY EDIE BRICKELL

Bright Star tells a sweeping tale of love and redemption set against the rich backdrop of the American South in the 1920s and '40s. Haunted by a connection made with a young soldier just home from World War II, Alice sets out on a journey to understand her past - and what she finds has the power to transform both of their lives.

NOVEMBER 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16



A CHRISTMAS STORY

BOOK BY JOSEPH ROBINETTE
MUSIC & LYRICS BY BENJ PASEK, JUSTIN PAUL

This musical, which received rave reviews during its Broadway run, is based on the movie classic that runs round-the-clock on television every Christmas. All the iconic scenes are featured: Ralphie's friend getting his tongue stuck to the flagpole; the leg lamp; the bunny suit; the Chinese restaurant; and many others! This musical brings an exciting new dimension to those who have seen the movie, and will certainly stand on its own for those who haven't.

DECEMBER 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 15, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22



ANNIE COMING IN 2020!

BOOK BY THOMAS MEEHAN
MUSIC BY CHARLES STROUSE | LYRICS BY MARTIN CHARNIN

With equal measures of pluck and positivity, little orphan Annie charms everyone's hearts. Based on the popular comic strip by Harold Gray, ANNIE has become a worldwide phenomenon, and features some of the greatest musical theatre hits ever written, including "It's a Hard Knock Life," "Maybe," and "Tomorrow."

JANUARY 17, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 31
FEBRUARY 1, 6, 7, 8

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A golden offer for our golden anniversary!

Wow! This is Bakersfield Music Theatre's 50th year, and we are celebrating by offering you the best season ticket options ever! You can choose your shows, choose your dates, choose your seats, and choose your price! If you choose the 8-show season plus the 3-show season (11 shows in all), your average ticket price is less than \$55 per ticket! And that's a season that opens with **MAMMA MIA!** and closes with **ANNIE** - two of my favorite ladies! I can't do more for you!

I've bought my season's worth (yes, I buy my own tickets) and am making you the best deal of my career! Sign up today to improve your chances at the best seats! I can't wait to see you at the shows!

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2019-2020 BONUS SEASON - ADD TO YOUR SUBSCRIPTION!

Wrinkles THE 55+ MUSICAL REVUE

This revue features the musical, dancing, and comedy talents of performers over the age of 55! Full of charm and entertainment, **WRINKLES** proves that real talent gets better with age!

JULY 19, 20, 21

SONGS FOR A NEW WORLD

MUSIC & LYRICS BY
JASON ROBERT BROWN

It's about one moment. It's about hitting the wall and having to make a choice, or take a stand, or turn around and go back. This contemporary song cycle weaves characters and history together, illuminating the timelessness of self-discovery.

SEPTEMBER 13, 14, 15

THE GREAT SONGS SERIES

CREATED BY
BETHANY ROWLEE

RETURNING IN 2020

Strike up the band! Previous installments of the **GREAT SONGS SERIES** have included the American Songbook, Broadway's famous "bosom buddies," and the music of Disney. What will this next installment bring? Stay tuned!

JANUARY 3, 4, 5

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