

# FRIENDS OF THE FINKE THEATER NEWSLETTER

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## ANNUAL MEETING

Friends of the Finke Theater annual meeting will be held on July 26, 2016; 6:30 p.m. at the theater. Officers and new board members will be elected for the year and reports of the past year given. All members are invited and encouraged to attend. The meeting will be followed by a wine and finger food reception in the concession area. Proposed officers and new board members are: President, Marj Friedmeyer; Vice President, Carolyn Miller; Secretary, Mary Ann Wasser; Treasurer, Pam Green; Board Members: Patty Kay, and Christina McMillian. The two new board members are filling the expired terms of Gail Hughes and Suzanne Taggart who will be greatly missed.

A plaque has been installed on the outside of the Finke Theatre building. It dedicates and announces it as an Historic building and acknowledges the work of CPI. Check it out next time you are in the area!



Work continues on the North Side Project. We have uncovered windows and removed bees getting ready for new windows and updated sills. Next will come the finishing of drainage, planting, and landscaping. When this project is complete, the North Side will enhance the facade of our Historical building.

Doug Hill is installing our new video remote for the concession area. This will enable the volunteers to see what is happening on stage in the theater and not miss any of the fun! It also allows parents with small children or patrons who need to step out to see the performance. When complete it will be another way for the Finke to better serve you!

## 2016-2017 SEASON TICKETS

Season tickets will go on sale soon! Letters will be mailed to current holders for renewal first. We have a waiting list for season tickets this year (yeah!). We are so honored that our loyal patrons are

- **2016-2017 Season**
- **September 10—Swing St. Louis**
- **October 15—Gerry Tritz, magician**
- **November 5—Ivory and Gold**
- **December 3—Sweet Adelines**
- **January 21—Miss Jubilee & the Humdingers**
- **February 11—Victor & Penny**
- **March 18—Cat's Pajamas**
- **April 22—Rene Foss Comedy**
- **May 20—Andrea LaRae**
- **June 10 & 11—**



## FINKE ANNUAL PLAY

The Finke Players presented "Drinking Habits" on June 11 & 12. to outstanding audiences both days. Thanks to all the actors: Dennis Donley, Nathaniel Donley, Fallon Muir, Christina McMillian, Jeff Shackleford, Kayla Barnard, Pam Green, and Emily Bilyeu. And a BIG thanks to Audie Cline our director.

The play is a great way to end our season. Many hours of work go into each production and many times we all wonder if it is worth the effort. But our loyal Finke patrons and friends always let us know how much they appreciate these plays. We have another scheduled for next June! If you are interested in being a Finke Player, let

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