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On June 8th and 9th this crazy, wonderful group of Finke Players performed Arsenic and Old Lace. They started practices the first week of February and worked multiple days a week. At practices, they worked to not only memorize lines but also the tone that the line needed to be said, facial expressions and where to stand or sit. This play was the biggest undertaking that the Finke Players have ever done and the end result was nothing short of amazing! The next time you see any of the cast in the community be sure to compliment them.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Finke Theatre Annual Meeting is on Tuesday July 23rd at 6:30 at the theatre. Each person in attendance receives a year in review book and we will discuss the coming year. We will be taking nominations from the floor and the members will be voting on a new board member and renewal of existing board members positions. The theatre board is suggesting Alex McGill and the term renewal for Ronnie Korte, Patty Kay, Doug Hill and Christina McMillian. We will also be taking nominations from the floor and voting on a new Secretary, the theatre board is suggesting Thad Holtsclaw. Following the meeting there will be a reception following in the concessions' area.



Board Member Spotlight



Doug Hill has been on the Finke board since 2016 however he has been involved with the theatre since the restoration process in 2001. Doug was on the Design and Construction committee that helped make decisions that made the building what it is today. Once the restoration was complete Doug learned how to run the lights and sound for the performances.

What was the most unusual or interesting job you've ever had?
I worked for a carnival run by gypsies for approximately 8 months.

Favorite Travel Spot: on my boat completely the Great Circle starting in Maine, Long Island looped around Erie Canal, crossed over into Canada, Lake Huron, Illinois River, Mississippi River to Mobile, AL, the Intercostal waterway, back to New York.

If you could witness any historical event, what would it be:
1920's into 1930's the true development of aviation, Lindburgh, commercial flight industry started.

People would be surprised if they knew... I'm into historic cars and I ride a motorcycle.

Contacting the Finke

We have worked with our website master and Sara now has access to the info@finketheatre.com email address so future correspondence from her will come from this email address. Sara's personal email address will remain the same so if you send something to that address, she will still receive it.

Raffle

With the end of the season, it was also the end of our raffle. The drawing was done at the end of intermission of the Sunday performance of Arsenic and Old Lace. Our winners were Sarah Hurt and Chad Smith.
Thank you to everyone that purchase a ticket!

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Performance Survey

Each year in the fall the performance committee meets to start planning the season schedule for the next year. Some performers are brought back based on the attendance and new performers are brought in with the hope that the genre and style would be entertaining to the season ticket holders and the community. I would ask that you take a few minutes to rate the performers from the 2018-19 season but also give us insight as to what YOU would like to see the future of the Finke Theatre include.

Please go to <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/WYJXNYR> to complete the survey or mail the survey page Finke Theatre, PO Box 435, California, MO 65018

On a scale of 1 to 5, 1 being you would not want the performer to return, 5 being you would love for the performer to return.

Victor & Penny 09/22/18 1.....2.....3.....4.....5

McEwyn Band 10/13/18 1.....2.....3.....4.....5

The Hunt Family Band 11/10/18 1.....2.....3.....4.....5

Gracie & Lacy 12/1/18 1.....2.....3.....4.....5

Homestead Pickers 01/26/19 1.....2.....3.....4.....5

Kay Brothers 02/09/19 1.....2.....3.....4.....5

Porter Union 2/16/19 & 2/17/19 1.....2.....3.....4.....5

Dueling Pianos 03/02/19 1.....2.....3.....4.....5

The Cat's Pajamas 03/23/19 1.....2.....3.....4.....5

Miss Jubilee 04/13/19 1.....2.....3.....4.....5

Todd Oliver 05/04/19 & 05/05/19 1.....2.....3.....4.....5

Community Play 06/08/19 & 06/09/19 1.....2.....3.....4.....5

Please list any performers/groups you would like the Finke to consider

Please list items you would like to see in the concessions for intermission, such as beverages, specific candy, etc.

Please tell us if there is anything we can do to improve your theatre experience.

Thanks!