

That's What Friends Are For . . .

Welcome to Theatre at the Center! Just sit back, relax and enjoy another stellar theatrical performance in the comfort and security of our beautiful surroundings. I mean, are we lucky or what? We have been honored for excellence in professional theatre in the Chicago area with nominations for Joseph Jefferson awards and we've got a fabulous Artistic Director, Bill Pullinsi, eager to provide us with even more outstanding performances in the coming year. As an added bonus, our patrons can reach our theatre with a minimum of traffic hassles and there are no parking fees to pay when they pull into our convenient, adjacent parking lot.

The goal of Ridgewood Arts Foundation, Inc.'s Theatre at the Center, is to bring quality professional theatre to northwest Indiana. In order to accomplish this goal, we need your financial assistance and invite you to become a *Friend of the Theatre* for the 2010 Mainstage Season beginning January 1, 2010 through December 31, 2010.

Your name will appear in all playbills with a gift of **\$25.00 or more**. In addition, as a *Friend of the Theatre*, you will receive an exclusive invitation to the "Annual Mainstage Season Preview Party". A donation of **\$100.00 or more** entitles you to be our guest not only at the "Preview Party", but also at "An Evening with Bill Pullinsi" - an informative session with our Artistic Director and his special guest.

For those persons or corporations reaching lifetime donations of \$5,000 (Silver Level), \$10,000 (Gold Level), or \$25,000 (Platinum Level), their names will be prominently displayed on our "Best Friends" plaque located in the theatre lobby.

The *Friends of the Theatre* are directly responsible in helping to underwrite our Mainstage productions as well as our Theatre for Young Audiences' presentations. And best of all, your donation is **100% tax deductible!** Also, don't forget to check with your employer. Matching Gifts may be available from your place of employment.

Visit our website at: TheatreAtTheCenter.com

We know that you want Theatre at the Center to continue producing professional and award-winning performances and it is our hope that you will want to become a *Friend of the Theatre*, too.

Please fill out the form below, make your check payable to Ridgewood Arts Foundation, Inc. and mail to:

Ridgewood Arts Foundation, Inc.
ATTN: FRIENDS
1040 Ridge Road
Munster, IN 46321

We thank you, in advance for becoming a Friend of the Theatre today!

The Friends Committee

Jan Compton, Chairperson; Diana Rogers; Co-Chairperson;
Joann Binkley, Cathy Howard, Lois McClaughry, Mary Lou Mybeck and Barbara Pressler

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*My employer will match my gift. I have enclosed the necessary form.

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NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR IN THE PROGRAM: _____