

The MINNEAPOLIS MUSICAL THEATRE PRESENTS

# The Mystery of Edwin Drood



Hey City  
February 14 -  
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Minneapolis Musical Theatre  
presents the area premiere of

# A Class Act



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# Applause!

Winner of  
4 Tony Awards  
including  
Best Musical!

June 3-26  
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# BAT BOY!

The Musical



October 1-24, 2004  
at Hennepin Stages  
Downtown Minneapolis (formerly Hey City Theater)

"An instant classic!" - *New York Post*  
"A wacky, whimsical, and hip tour de force." - *USA Today*  
"A clamorous, thigh-smacking, ground-breaking musical!" - *Los Angeles Times LA*

**NEWS**  
**BAT CHILD FOUND IN CAVE!**

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AREA PREMIERE

# Jane Eyre

The Musical



February 25 -  
March 20, 2005

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Tony Award Nominee  
**BEST MUSICAL**  
"Offers the biggest shock of any Broadway musical this season!"  
- *Wall Street Journal*

**BAT BOY!**  
Area Premiere, October 1-24, 2004

Based on a story in *The Weekly World News*, this musical horror spoof about a half-boy/half bat creature has had audiences rolling in the aisles since its critically-acclaimed Off-Broadway premiere. Based from a rare and taken in by the empathetic wife of the local veterinarian, "Edgar" quickly learns to speak and act in civiled words, falls, and eventually, "Edgar" quickly learns to speak and act in a deep, dark voice. Fast-paced and hilarious, this off-kilter satire offers clever musical numbers, a hilarious plot, surprising twists, and a lesson in the agony of being different and accepting your true self!

"A wacky, whimsical, and hip tour de force!" - *USA Today*

**JANE EYRE**  
The Musical  
Area Premiere, February 25 - March 20, 2005

One of the greatest love stories of all time is transformed into this major new Broadway musical. True to its emotions, passion, faith, and integrity, *Jane Eyre* is a lush Victorian banquet of love. Nominated for 5 Tony Awards, including Best Musical, *Jane Eyre's* sweeping love story is breathtaking in its scope and beauty. Filled with soaring melodies, this score embodies a romantic lyricism uncommon in the modern Broadway musical.

"The biggest thrill of any Broadway musical this season!" - *Wall Street Journal*

**Applause!**  
A Musical Comedy  
June 3-26, 2004

"Fishes your seafood; it's going to be a bumpy night!" And with these famous words, this Tony Award-winning adaptation of the film *Class*, *Applause!* takes off and never looks back! Celebrating its 15th Anniversary this year, *Applause!* follows Margo Channing, a Broadway star, and Eve - her biggest fan. However, Margo uncovers Eve's attempt to systematically take over her career, her lover and her life. Filled with the fascinating happenings of backstage Broadway, this timely musical gem will leave you with a smile on your face and a good old-fashioned musical theatre song in your heart!

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**Minneapolis Musical Theatre - A Unique Arts Organization**

Minneapolis Musical Theatre brings a distinct and valuable mission to the Twin Cities theater scene: to provide affordable communities to musical theater never before - or very rarely - seen in the area. In fulfilling our mission, we have produced a number of musicals which are rarely seen (such as our critically acclaimed productions of *Sunday in the Park with George*, *The Rocky Horror Show*, and *Carousel*). We feel honored to fill such a significant role in the Twin Cities theater scene. In addition, we are delighted to invite you along for this unique theater experience!

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