

Cripple Creek
Summer
2009
Musicals
THEATRE AIR
COMPANY
Presents...

The Fantasticks

June 5-Sept. 26

Tickets: Adult \$15.75; Senior \$13.75; Children \$9.75;
Groups of 20+ \$12.75 each.

The Fantasticks is a 1960 musical with music by Harvey Schmidt and lyrics by Tom Jones. The TATC version is the story of 2 mothers who use reverse psychology to ensure that their children fall in love. After the children fall in love, they discover their mothers' plot and they each go off to experience the world. They return to each other and the love they had, having learned from the world and made a sound decision.

The show's original production off-Broadway ran for 17,162 performances, becoming the world's longest-running musical, for 42 years. The book and score included such familiar songs such as *Try to Remember*.

GODSPELL

June 12-Sept. 26

Tickets: Adult \$15.75; Senior \$13.75; Children \$9.75;
Groups of 20+ \$12.75 each.

Godspell (an archaic spelling of the word gospel) is a 1970 musical by Stephen Schwartz and John-Michael Tebelak. It opened off-Broadway in 1971, and has played in various touring companies and revivals. Several cast albums have been released over the years and one of its songs, *Day By Day* from the original album, reached #13 on the Billboard pop singles chart in the summer of 1972. The musical is a series of parables, based on the Gospel of Matthew. These are interspersed with a variety of modern music set primarily to lyrics from traditional hymns. The TATC version will be a bit more "Jeans & Ipods" than "Flowers & Braids." with Rock/Pop soundtrack.



Flash photography, cell phones, pagers, camcorders and tape recorders are not allowed in the theater. No Smoking in the Butte Opera House. We have adopted the Cripple Creek Fire Engines as the Official Sirens of the Butte Opera House. In case of emergency, their voices will ring loud and clear!

CHILDREN PLEASE NOTE: If your parents have a tendency to cry, wiggle or indulge in any other disruptive behavior, would you please take them out to the lobby during the performance? *Thank you.*

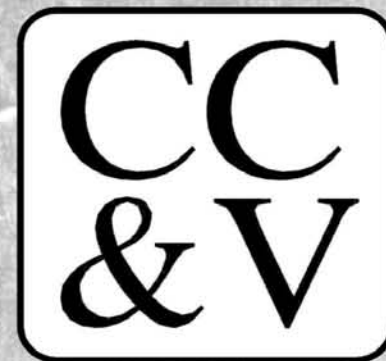
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