



March 8, 9, 10 & 11, 2018
Kate Collins Middle School

At a large, tastefully-appointed Sneden's Landing townhouse, the Deputy Mayor of New York has just shot himself. Though only a flesh wound, four couples are about to experience a severe attack of Farce. Gathering for their tenth wedding anniversary, the host lies bleeding in the other room, and his wife is nowhere in sight. His lawyer, Ken, and wife, Chris, must get "the story" straight before the other guests arrive. As the confusions and mis-communications mount, the evening spins off into classic farcical hilarity.

**THE
ADDAMS
FAMILY**

A NEW MUSICAL COMEDY



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THE ADDAMS FAMILY features an original story, and it's every father's nightmare. Wednesday Addams, the ultimate princess of darkness, has grown up and fallen in love with a sweet, smart young man from a respectable family. A man her parents have never met. And if that weren't upsetting enough, she confides in her father and begs him not to tell her mother. Now, Gomez Addams must do something he's never done before — keep a secret from his beloved wife, Morticia. Everything will change for the whole family on the fateful night they host a dinner for Wednesday's "normal" boyfriend and his parents.

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I'd like to order _____ adults season tickets at a cost of \$25 a ticket.

Yes! I'd like to make a contribution to the promise of Waynesboro Players and its mission of theater that remains completely volunteer – by the people, for the people!

_____ Benefactor (\$5,000+) includes 6 season tickets

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_____ Producer (\$500 - \$999) includes 2 season tickets

_____ Director (\$100 - \$499)

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Waynesboro Players

PO Box 937

Waynesboro, VA 22980

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For over 50 years Waynesboro Players has been transporting audiences, inspiring talent, and providing an artistic public service – all without ever paying any staff or performers. We remain a completely volunteer organization! We believe in COMMUNITY theater being just that – for the whole community. For supporting what we do, we say, “Thank You”!

We have visions of expanding our audience and our importance to the community. Visions of our talent being emboldened to be even more creative. We want to expand our box office capabilities as well as our technical equipment for better lighting and sound.

Quick Facts:

- We “pay to play”. The Waynesboro schools charge us around \$2,000 per week, and the Wayne Theater is several thousand more per week.
- Every play or musical we produce comes with royalty fees ranging from a few hundred dollars to several thousand dollars.
- One new wireless microphone can cost upwards of \$100. An average musical requires 20 or more microphones. Lighting equipment runs several hundred dollars per item.
- We own a spacious, yet aging, storage and rehearsal warehouse on East Main Street which requires constant upkeep and repair to maintain its safety.
- Our costume, prop, and scenery shop is the envy of the area, loaning to area groups including Mary Baldwin University, local high schools, churches, and community theaters.

While Players strives to continue to offer fair ticket pricing, we simply cannot continue to do all of these things without your financial support over and beyond your season ticket support.

With our creative and financial goals in mind we have made changes to our 2017-2018 season. This year we will be staging two shows – Neil Simon’s hilarious modern day farce “Rumors” March 8-11, and the new musical “The Addams Family” May 10-13. Both shows will be presented at Kate Collins Middle School. We think by scaling back for one season, we can bring a new creative energy to these two shows and at the same time make your contribution dollars stretch the farthest.

Thank you for 50+ entertaining years and we look forward to bringing you magical moments in the year to come.

Sincerely, Danny Lee, President, Waynesboro Players