

A-SPIRE PLAYERS' 2017 SUMMER THEATRE SEASON

Showtimes are at 8pm Fridays & Saturdays, 2:30 Sundays - Doors open 30 minutes prior
Tickets \$15 at Tergesons' General Store 1 week before shows or by reservation at (204)642-8079
For more information visit www.aspireplayers.ca

May 26-28 & June 2, 3

A-Spire Players

Blithe Spirit by Noel Coward

Writer Charles Condomine hosts a séance conducted by medium Madame Arcati in the hope that he will learn her tricks. Fortunately for us, he gets more than he bargains for in this classic three act supernatural comedy

*Earlier shows on Fridays & Saturdays 7:30pm

June 16-18

Dark Horse Theatre

Last Night of the World

by Mike Seccombe

This is a return engagement from the 2015 season, with 3 new cast members.

The plot: It's the last night of the world. A meteor is predicted to strike the earth in the morning and wipe out all human life. All Chester wants is to be alone with his thoughts in his lakefront cottage, but an endless succession of eccentric visitors arriving on his doorstep prevents him from doing that. One of those visitors just may be the woman of his dreams. This romantic comedy asks the question: What do you do on the last night of the world when the regular rules of life no longer apply?

June 23-25

Shoestring Players

Waiting for the Parade

by John Murrell

Humour and pathos abound when during WWII, five women in Calgary battle deprivation, loneliness and day-to-day domestic challenges, while many of their men are battling overseas.

July 7-8

Pappy's Old-Time Country Jamboree

A rollercoaster of laughs, comedy, music and family fun! This two-hour Country Music extravaganza is right where you want to be if you love Traditional Country Music.

July 21-23

A-Spire Players Double Bill

The Anniversary

by Stephen Scheurer-Smith

To celebrate his 25 years of marriage to Anne, Kevin has invited all of his friends and family to the perfect wedding anniversary; or so HE thinks.

Snowed Under

by Anne Marie Later

The library is snowed in, stranding librarians, Breda and Sue along with one of their regular customers, Mr. Whitely. As rescuers are awaited, there are surprises and dire consequences for the trio.

August 11-13

Downside Up Productions

Anomie by Wren Brian

"anomie (noun) - the lack of the usual social or ethical standards in an individual or group"
When everything is taken away, what's left? Two people struggle against each other and the empty space they're trapped in, to find a way out. Not knowing how or why they ended up in an "abyss", the two search for meaning and understanding in their existence and in their relationship. Riffing on absurdism and existentialism (and not without a dash of humour), this play explores how we deny and deal with meaninglessness.

August 18-20

RG Productions

The Savannah Sipping Society

by Jesse Jones, Nicholas Hope

and Jamie Wooten

Four unique Southern women, all needing to escape the sameness of their day-to-day routines, are drawn together by Fate - and an impromptu happy hour - and decide it's high time to reclaim the enthusiasm for life they've lost through the years.

August 25-27

Dramatic Theatre Company

The Mousetrap by Agatha Christie

A group of strangers are stranded together in a guest house during a blizzard, with an unknown killer. Come solve the crime for yourself, in a production that will keep you guessing until the last moments.

September 1-3

Marketplace Players Double Bill

The Bat Came Back By Denis Thornton

The police search Amy's house for a colleague who disappeared on duty. They have no idea he's lying dead in the kitchen. When the attempts to keep them out of the kitchen fail, there's a shocking surprise for everyone.

Go'in Home by Denis Thornton

Harry and Rachel are hiking the Appalachian Trail. Losing the trail, they stray into hillbilly country. Rachel is forced to deal with her prejudiced stereotypes about the mountain men and Harry reluctantly helps the illiterate Virgil. As they witness song, dance and testimony at the revival service, they discover love and sacrifice among the mountain folk