

## The Landers Spotlight

Dear Kim,

If you've not come to the theatre to see if the puzzle piece you received in your Season Brochure is the Missing Piece, it's not too late! Fifty will match, and the first 5 will win a fabulous prize! **One prize has been claimed already! Congratulations to Marilyn Kleine for having the first missing piece!** Prizes include:



- 8 in-home Personal Training Sessions and a Nutritional Consult with a Registered Dietitian from Big Time Results
- Romance in Springfield package which includes a 1 night stay at the Doubletree Hotel, Dinner at Gallery Bistro, and 2 tickets to SLT's *Big River*
- 2 Roundtrip tickets from Springfield to Orlando on Allegiant Air
- Branson Get-A-Way package including a 2 night stay at Kite House Bed & Breakfast, 2 tickets to Grand Country Music Hall, and a family pass to Titanic Museum Branson
- A watch from Manoli's Jewelers-**CLAIMED**

While you're here, stop by the Box Office and get your Season Tickets and tickets to CATS!

See you at the Landers, your SLT staff



## CATS Opens September 10!

Based on the whimsical poetry of T.S. Eliot, CATS, through spectacle song and dance, tells the story of the annual gathering of Jellible cats at which time one special cat is selected to ascend to the Heavise side layer (a sort of "cat heaven"). The multiple Tony-award winning CATS, composed by Andrew Lloyd Webber (composer of Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat, Jesus Christ Superstar, The Phantom of the Opera, etc.), has conquered the world as the longest running musical in history, been translated into 20 languages, and features a magical score including "Memory." The energy and elegance that has elevated CATS to world popularity makes it a purr-fect show for the whole family to experience. A true musical theatre phenomenon.

**Ticket Prices:**  
 \$25.00 Adult  
 \$22.00 Senior (62+/Student/Military)  
 \$15.00 Children (ages 14 and under)

**Show Times:**  
 Thursday at 7:30pm (September 16 & 23)  
 Friday at 7:30pm (September 10, 17, & 24)  
 Saturday at 2:30\* and 7:30pm (\*Matinee only on September 18; Evening on September 11, 18 & 25)  
 Sunday at 2:30pm (September 12, 19, and 26)



Call early to get your tickets reserved--they're going fast! Trust us, you won't want to miss this wonderful show! Here's a sneak peak at a costume being constructed (they're amazing!)

To purchase tickets, please call the box office at 417.869.1334 or [click here](#) to order online.

## School's Out Already?

The school year is just beginning, but that also means the start of School's Out Workshops! **The first School's Out Workshop is Monday, September 6.**

Join us at the Lander's Theatre during the 2010-2011 school year for School's Out Workshops. These workshops provide a unique opportunity for children to undergo training in the performing arts and are a lifesaver for parents on those days when the kids are out of school! Kids ages 5-12 are invited to participate in a full day of activities including theatre games, improvisation, dance, and a tour of the historic Landers Theatre.



They will also tackle a script that they will perform at the end of the day (5:00 p.m.) for parents and friends! Play-in-a-Day workshops are from 8:00-5:00 p.m. and cost \$25 per day.

Call Assistant Education Director Andy Willadsen for more info or to enroll at 869-3869 ext. 15!

Bring a sack lunch and a smile!

## Want to Party with CATS?

There are two wonderful opportunities to party with CATS. You can have a CATS-themed Birthday Party or join us at the newly created PRELUDE experience.

**Celebrate your BIRTHDAY at the Landers Theatre!**  
 Springfield Little Theatre birthday parties are all kinds of fun! They are available during the run of CATS and include:  
 \*A party host from SLT who will take care of EVERYTHING!  
 \*A delicious cake from Celebrations by Sonja  
 \*Punch  
 \*Paper products and decorations  
 \*Goodie bags  
 \*A souvenir photograph of each child with costumed characters from the production  
 \*A craft project  
 \*Prize drawings  
 \*Discounted tickets to the show (sold separately from the birthday party package)  
 \*An incredible memory for any young child!  
 Birthday party packages cost \$150 for up to 12 guests. Tickets are available at a highly discounted rate of \$10 for a mainstage production (regularly priced \$25, \$22, and \$15) or \$6 for a Family Series production (regularly priced \$11 and \$9). To schedule a birthday party, please call SLT Education Director Lorianne Dunn at 869-3869 x21. To learn more about the Birthday Party package, [click here](#).

**Prelude--a pre-performance party for pipsqueaks!**  
 Meet the cats of CATS and have your picture taken to take home as a souvenir! Kitty face-painting! Kitty craft projects! Learn a cat song and dance! Kitty prize drawings! Kitty treats! Everybody wants to learn a CAT!

Friday, September 17 or Friday, September 24-6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.-3rd floor of the Landers Theatre-Ages 4-10  
 \$10 - Pre-registration is required. Register when you make your ticket reservations!

Want to learn more about Preludes? [Click here](#).

## Register now for 2010-2011 classes at SLT!

From singing, dancing, and acting to exercising to musical theatre tunes, we have classes for everyone!

Classes are scheduled into five separate sessions, with opportunities for all ages!

- SESSION I: September 13-October 21
- SESSION II: November 1-December 9 (Classes will not be held on Wednesday, November 24 or Thursday, November 25. Wednesday and Thursday classes will meet December 15 and 16 to make up the Thanksgiving holiday.)
- SESSION III: January 10-February 17 (Monday classes will not meet January 16 or February 21, as Springfield Public Schools are scheduled to be out. The last Monday class will be held Monay, February 28.)
- SESSION IV: March 7-April 21 (Classes will not meet the week of Springfield Public School's Spring Break, March 21-25.)
- SESSION V: April 25-June 2 (Monday classes will not meet Memorial Day, Monday, May 30. Monday classes will meet June 6 to make up Memorial Day.)

To see what night each class is meeting and download a registration form, [click here](#).

**TUITION:**  
 \$50 for one six-week session of classes  
 \$90 for two courses in a six-week session of classes.  
 \$120 for three courses in a six-week session of classes.  
 \$150 for four courses in a six-week session of classes.

To register by phone, call Lorianne Dunn at 869.3869 x21 or Andy Willadsen at 869.3869 x15.

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## Get your 2010-2011 Season Tickets and save over 25%!

**Patron Options:**  
**Actor Level:** \$400 for 18 tickets  
**Director Level:** \$800 for 36 tickets  
**Producer Level:** \$1200 for 54 tickets  
**Executive Producer Level:** \$1600 for 72 tickets  
**Angel Level:** \$2000 for 90 tickets

**Main Stage Productions:**  
**Great Option 1:** Adult-\$108; Senior-\$96; Student-\$96; Child-\$66  
**Great Option 2:** Adult-\$90; Senior-\$82; Student-\$82; Child-\$56

**Family Series Productions:**  
 Adult-\$25; Senior-\$25; Student-\$25; Child-\$20

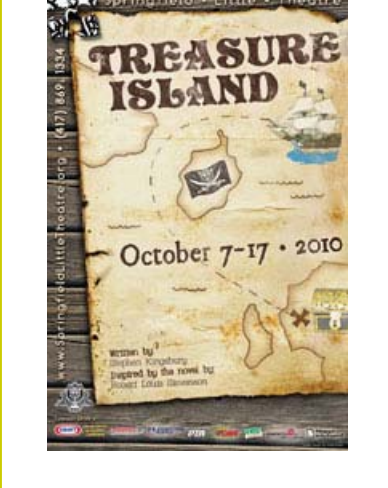
Call the Box Office today to order your Season Ticket package at 869.1334!



Springfield Little Theatre at the Historic Landers Theatre  
 311 East Walnut Street  
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 417.869.1334 (Box Office)  
 417.869.3869 (Business Office)

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## Arrrr You Going to Audition for Treasure Island?? Workshops and Auditions soon!

Auditions for SLT's production of **Treasure Island** will be held **Monday, August 23 and Tuesday, August 24. Callbacks are Wednesday, August 25. All are at 5:30 p.m. at the Landers.**

Auditionees need to prepare a one-minute vocal selection. An accompanist will be provided.

There is a large cast requirement for Treasure Island, with roles for all ages.

Want to be extra prepared for the audition? **Audition Workshops for Treasure Island will be held Monday, August 16 or Tuesday, August 17 from 5:30 -7:30 p.m.**

Treasure Island will be directed and choreographed by Andy Willadsen with music direction by Kim Snyder. Scheduled performance dates are October 7-17, with additional promotional performances TBA.

Come be a part of the classic adventures tale!! To read more about the show, visit [here!](#)

For more information about Workshops and auditions, contact Andy Willadsen at 869.3869 x15 or [email](#).

## Adopt a Cat while at CATS

**C.A.R.E.** On Sunday, September 19, SLT and C.A.R.E. Animal Rescue are partnering for a cat adoption at the Landers from 12 pm to 4 pm.

**Animal Rescue**  
[www.carerescue.org](http://www.carerescue.org) C.A.R.E. was the first no-kill shelter in the area, and we remain a no-kill facility. They focus heavily on rescue, rehab, and adoption. All of their animals are rescued from "Death Row" at Animal Control. On average, they adopt out around 1,000 animals to happy, forever homes per year. ALL of the animals are spayed/neutered, vaccinated, dewormed, prior to adoption and sent home with a collar and tag. Their mission is to...

- Rescue as many adoptable animals from "death row" as we can properly care for.
- Provide medical treatment to sick or injured stray animals
- Combine an aggressive spay/neuter program with a high volume adoption program while providing quality lifetime care for unadopted pets.
- Network with and provide a rescue service for other shelters, ultimately reducing the kill-rate in Southwest Missouri.

## Backstage Pass to CATS available!

Ever wanted to know what it's like to be in a show? Here's your chance for an in-depth look into CATS. On Sundays September 12 and September 19, you can get a BACKSTAGE PASS that will answer all your questions.

**BACKSTAGE PASS:**  
 \*Is open to students/curious persons of ALL ages  
 \*Is available only for the shows and dates specified below  
 \*Requires pre-registration at the time of ticket purchase  
 \*Costs \$8 above the cost of your ticket to the production  
 \*If desired, includes observation of company warm-ups one hour prior to showtime  
 \*Includes a guided tour of the backstage areas of the theatre after the show  
 \*Includes a production poster that you can have autographed by cast members after the show  
 \*Includes an opportunity to meet the cast and ask questions about their performance after the show  
 \*Includes a photo opportunity with the cast before and after the show

Make your BACKSTAGE PASS reservations with the SLT box office at 869-1334 at the time you make your ticket reservations! Groups-please contact Education Director Lorianne Dunn at 869-3869 x21 to arrange for a similar experience!

More BACKSTAGE PASS information available [here](#).

## Thank you to our Sponsors of CATS!



## SAVE THE DATE FOR THE LITTLE THEATRE'S BIG PARTY

