



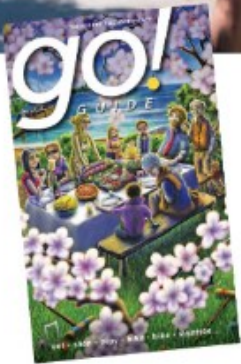
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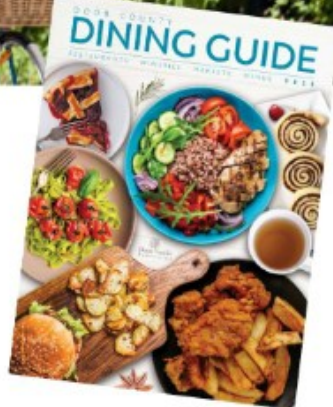
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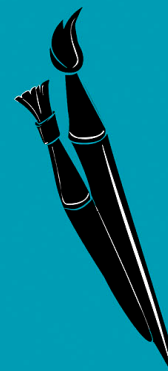
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DOOR COUNTY'S COMMUNITY THEATER

Rogue Theater's Mission

Rogue Theater enhances the Door County arts culture through intimate theatrical performances, educational opportunities for youth and adults, and by collaborating and reinvesting in its community. The volunteer actors and crew inspire all by connecting with the audience through their passion, creativity, and commitment to performance.

Organizational Summary

Rogue Theater is for the community by the community, existing as a welcoming outlet for all individuals to share their talents, to be seen, to be heard, and to be oneself.

Established in 2013, Rogue Theater was formed as a traveling theater troupe based in Sturgeon Bay, WI. It began as a murder mystery dinner theater, performing at local restaurants and town halls. This was an area of theater that was not being addressed in Door County and has since gained Rogue Theater a firm position in the Door County theater industry.

Since inception, Rogue Theater integrated educational programs for youth and adults into their offerings and developed a way to reinvest in their community through charitable giving and food and clothing drives.

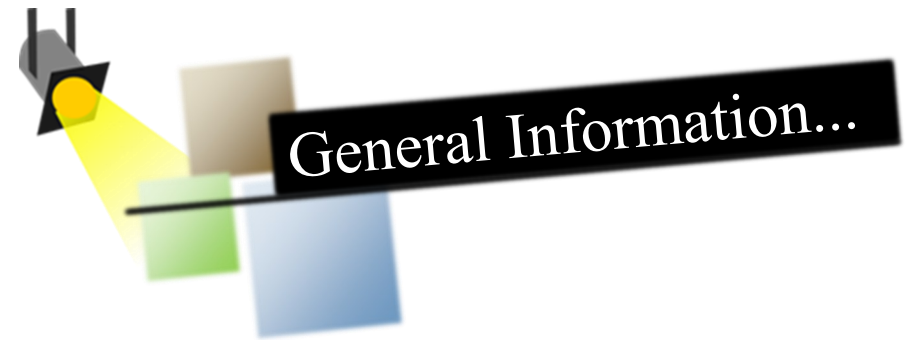
With its foundation built upon entertaining performances by passionate volunteers, Rogue Theater quickly found that even traveling theater programs require a home base. After solidifying two temporary homes in 2013 and 2016, they understood that their existence was threatened unless a new and permanent home base was built.

In the fall of 2020, Rogue Theater made a commitment to establish a permanent home, by designing a theater space to meet their needs. The theater's founders, Lola DeVillers and Stuart Champeau, personally funded and built the DC Arts Center, which opened its doors in the fall of 2023. Over the last year, Rogue Theater's new home base has proven to be a critical and permanent component to delivering their mission.



The **DC Arts Center** venue is available for rent. Inquire about the use of our facility for meetings, special events, or performances. We will gladly assist you in planning.

Contact us for availability and rates. 920-818-0816



TICKETS: Tickets can be purchased online at roguetheater.org.

For information call us at 920-818-0816. Show information can also be found on our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/roguetheater> or our website. All tickets are for general seating only. Handicap seating is available for all performances. All ticket sales are final unless a performance is cancelled. We accept MasterCard, Visa and Discover.

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Support Our Young Artists

Rogue Theater Presents...

Youth & Teen ART SHOW

Saturday, July 25th
1:00-3:00

Drawing - Painting - Sculpture - Photography
Open to students aged 18 and younger.

Limit of 3 Pieces per Artist

Artwork is displayed for viewing. Artists can talk about their work and sell items if they desire.

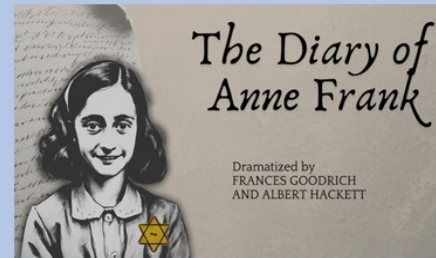
Set up will take place Saturday, July 25th from 9-11.

LOCATION: DC Arts Center
917 N. 14th Ave. Sturgeon Bay

No cost to participate.

To register call 920-818-0816 or email
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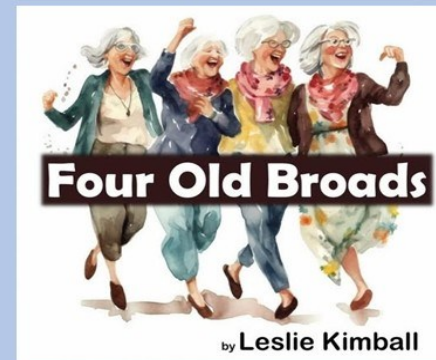
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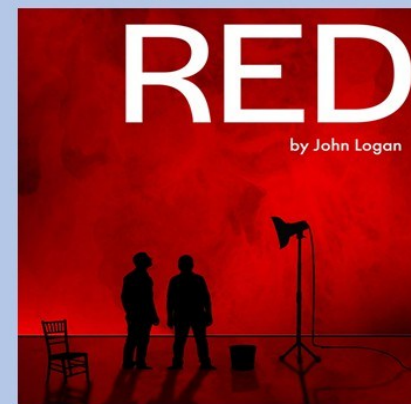
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Dear Friends and Patrons,

On behalf of Rogue Theater's Board of Directors, it is my pleasure to welcome you to another exciting Rogue Theater production here at the DC Arts Center.

My name is Keri Grimsley, and I am honored to serve as Rogue Theater's Chairman of the Board. We are proud to call Sturgeon Bay, Wisconsin—nestled in the heart of beautiful Door County—our home. Our theater is the county's only year-round community theater, and we are fortunate to be housed in the vibrant, multi-functional DC Arts building, a space that allows creativity and community to thrive side by side.

What makes our theater truly special is not just the productions you see on stage, but the people behind them. We are a group of volunteers who come together simply for the love of theater. From actors and directors to set builders, technicians, and those who lend a helping hand wherever needed, we are united by passion and dedication.

We are also deeply committed to giving back. Our theater proudly collaborates with and supports many local organizations, with a strong focus on children, education, & inclusion. We believe that the arts should be accessible to everyone, and we strive to create a welcoming space where all are encouraged to participate, learn, and grow.

Whether you are here to enjoy a performance, explore acting, try your hand at set design, or simply see how you might get involved, we encourage you to come and discover what we are all about. There is a place for everyone here, and we are always grateful for new faces and helping hands.

Thank you for joining us at the DC Arts Center and for supporting community theater. Your presence means more than you know, and we are so glad to share this experience with you.

With gratitude,
Keri Grimsley — Chairman of the Board



Keri Grimsley
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Co-Artistic Director

Lola DeVillers

Co-Artistic Director

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Rogue Theater was founded by Lola DeVillers and Stuart Champeau in January 2013. Since then, the company has brought theater productions to many locations in the county, including the Lodge at Leathem Smith, Birch Creek Music Performance Center, Third Avenue Playhouse, John Martin's Restaurant, Sister Bay Village Hall, GLAS, Greco Gallery, The Draft Haus, Gibraltar Town Hall, Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, Crossroads at Big Creek, The Olde Opera House, Benny D's, Ephraim Village Hall, Bailey's Harbor Town Hall, Inn at Cedar Crossing, Wave Pointe Marina, Log Den, Mr. G's, Alexander's, Stone Harbor, and the Door County Fire Company. They have also traveled to other areas of the state.

In November 2013, DeVillers and Champeau opened The Depot Performing Arts Center in Sturgeon Bay's historic train depot. Their vision was to have a space where all forms of entertainment and art could come together; including community and professional theater, music, dance and visual arts.

In April of 2015, The Depot building was bought by Bay Ship Building. Rogue Theater once again began to travel. Word of Rogue's plight traveled fast and many community member offered support, with the Sturgeon Bay Jaycees offering a space. This become their home theater for 3 years. But after the sale of the Jaycee building in 2018, Rogue began traveling once again.

DeVillers and Champeau knew it was time to establish a permanent home for Rogue Theater in Sturgeon Bay. In fall of 2020, they shared plans to build the DC Arts Center as a future home of Rogue Theater. **Now let's help make this dream a reality!**



Welcome to Rogue Theater's fourth season in the DC Arts Center. Last year was a wonderful season and this year looks even brighter. Here are just some of the changes Rogue Theater has made over the past year to bring an even better theater experience to our patrons.

Through generous grants from the Community Investment Fund and the Raibrook Foundation, along with substantial donations from our valued patrons, and a grass roots "Light the Theater" campaign, we were able to doubled our lighting fixtures and purchased a new "state of the art computerized, programmable light board. We also added a large projection screen and a high-performance theater projector. These technology updates allow us to create even more dramatic effects and improve our stage results.

That, coupled with our fantastic new sound system, enhances the overall theater experience for our patrons and allows our venue to be used for a variety of purposes. Already this year, *Inspired Employment*, (a local disability services and support organization) has used our space for movie events and to showcase their own group theater productions.

This year's "Buy a Brick" campaign is yet another fundraiser for theater improvement. Please feel free to inquire how you can purchase a commemorative brick or bricks to remember a loved one or for yourself. Bricks will be permanently placed in our outdoor patio area, showing your sustaining support for this wonderful Community Theater.

Enjoy the show.

Stuart Champeau - Managing Director & Co-Artistic Director



Rogue Theater Earth Day Project

If you or a service group you work with is looking for an Earth Day project, Rogue Theater would love your help. On Tuesday, April 22, volunteers will be working together to clean and organize the outside grounds around the DC Arts Center.

Bring gloves, rakes, shovels.



Tuesday, April 22
4:00-6:00 PM

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Holiday Show



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Rogue News

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Volunteers...

How can you help support?

Become a Show Sponsor & Advertise in Our Playbill

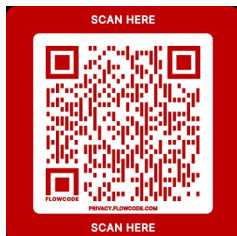
Show your support of community theater and advertise your business at the same time! Sponsors receive free tickets, a playbill ad, recognition on posters, and commercials at the show! Sponsorship options include Show or Full Season Sponsor.

Get Involved in a Production

We're always looking for volunteers to help in our shows. Volunteers are vital to the survival of Rogue Theater. Before each show we look for people interested in: acting, directing, stage managing, technical directing, designing & constructing costumes, designing & building props, designing & constructing scenery, distributing posters & advertisements, or just helping out in your own unique way. At a show volunteers help with selling tickets, greeting patrons, and concessions. If you'd like to take part in an upcoming Rogue Theater show, please contact us at: 920-818-0816 or email us at roguetheater@gmail.com

Attend a Show and Spread the Word!

We hope you'll come to see one of our shows and experience Rogue Theater at its finest...live and on stage! For tickets and information, please call 920-818-0816 or online at roguetheater.org.



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Website: www.roguetheater.org



Lola DeVillers...

Co-Artistic Director



Since Rogue Theater's inception, over 14 years ago, I have played many roles on and off the stage.

I'm not only the co-founder and co-artistic director, but I produce, direct, perform, and manage many of the operations and productions of Rogue Theater. Whether I'm on stage, behind the scenes, or in the office, all of my roles are done as a volunteer. Partly because I'm a little crazy, but mainly because all that I do fills my heart with such joy. I enjoy each day I am at the theater.

In addition to Rogue Theater's adult programming, I also coordinate, direct, and produce Rogue Theater's youth and teen programs; an area I am truly passionate about and know is a strong need in our community. Showing children the positive and creative aspects of live theater is such a rewarding experience. Teaching students to not only speak and perform, but to bring out their best selves on the theater stage. I enjoy developing new programs that teach students how to make costumes, build sets, run light and sound, along with all other aspects needed to bring quality live productions to the stage.

My success is Rogue Theater's success and the success of our community. It is time to make the DC Arts Center a permanent home for Rogue Theater. PLEASE JOIN ME. Together we can secure a community theater here in Sturgeon Bay for many generations to come.

Lola DeVillers

Business Manager & Co-Artistic Director



A Christmas to Believe In
Family Christmas Production



Dashing Through the Snow
Directed by Stuart Champeau





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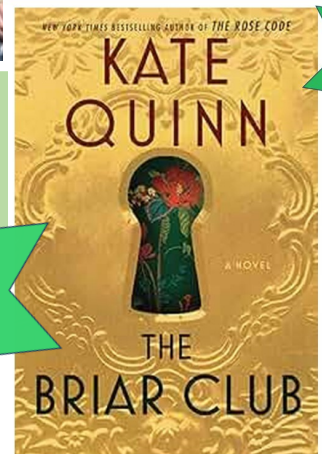


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From the original novel by Kate Quinn

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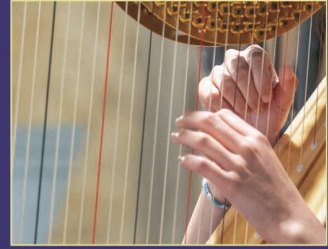
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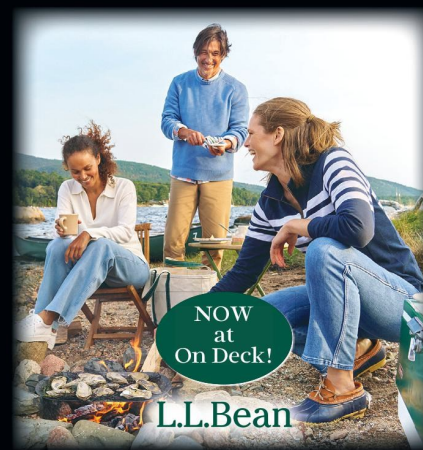
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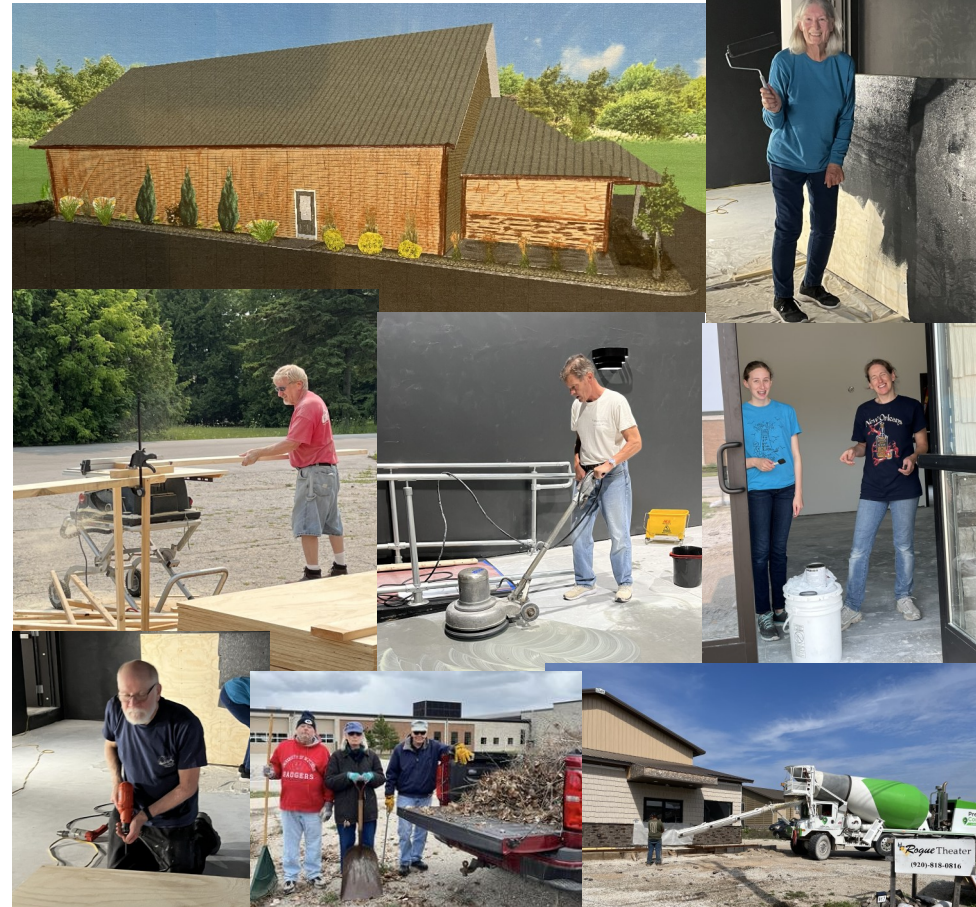
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THANK YOU for your continued support of Community Theater



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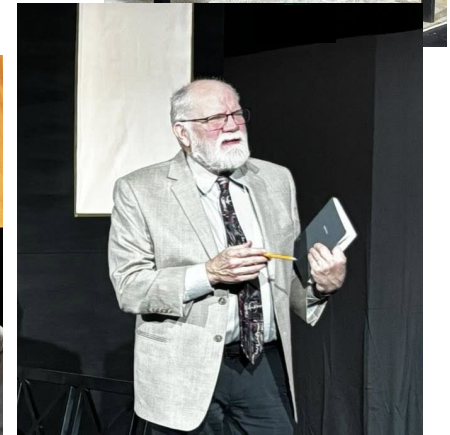
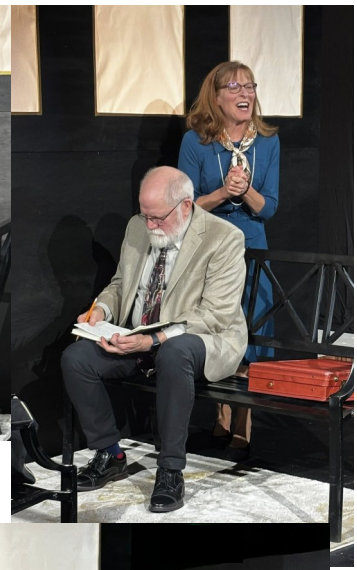


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To establish our dream of owning and maintaining a functioning full-scale theater, we need your help. With an initial goal of \$850,000 we can give our community a space for all ages to come together to grow and learn.

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YOU CAN MAKE THIS HAPPEN!

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