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CHARLOTTE
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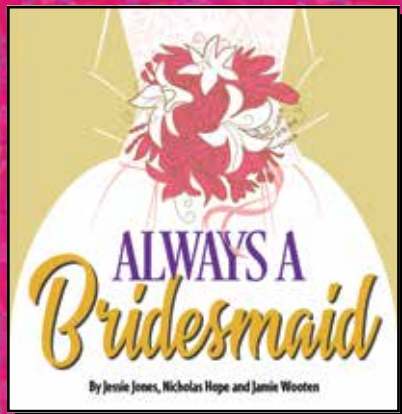
2024 - 2025



STAGE PRODUCTIONS

SEPT 12-22, 2024

At senior prom, Libby Ruth, Deedra, Monette and Charlie promise they will be bridesmaids for each other - no matter what. Now, thirty years later, these Southern gals are still making "the long walk," determined to honor that vow. "For better or for worse" takes on a whole new meaning in this comedy about old friends.



OCT 10-27, 2024

Come to the party where an eccentric millionaire promises six guests a mysterious prize if they can survive the night at the only truly haunted house in the world. Everyone invited has a few skeletons in their closets, and screwball scares lurk around every corner.

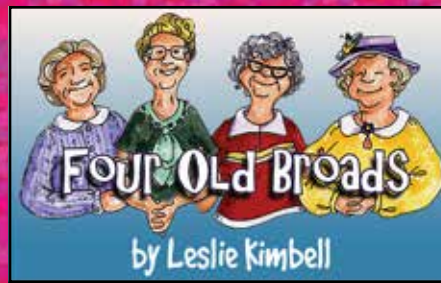


NOV 21-DEC 15, 2024

It's Christmas Eve, and a builder has invited prospective buyers, Fred and Gladys McNicoll, to spend the holidays in "THE HOUSE OF THE FUTURE" in hopes that the "spirit of the season" will close the deal. Will they sign the contract, or will the Christmas Eve shenanigans ruin the builder's dream of off-loading this huge "White Elephant?" This "Naughty but Nice" Christmas play will have you ho-ho-hoing till the very end!



Charlotte Players - Langdon Playhouse
1182 Market Circle, Port Charlotte, FL 33953
All shows are at 7:30pm except Sat and Sun matinees at 2pm



JAN 9-26, 2025

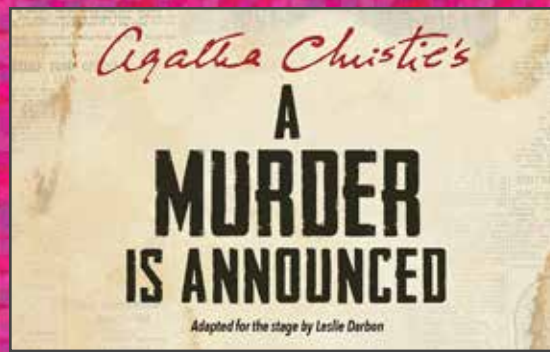
Life has been anything but agreeable at Magnolia Place Assisted Living. The facility is home to a retired burlesque queen, a religious devotee, a sassy nurse, and an ex-Elvis impersonator who are all planning an escape.

FEB 6-28, 2025

Accusations, mistaken identities, and romances run wild in this, laugh-out-loud farce. Two nuns at the Sisters of Perpetual Sewing have been secretly making wine to keep the convent open, but Paul and Sally, reporters and former fiancées, are hot on their trail. They go undercover as a nun and priest, but their presence spurs paranoia throughout the convent that spies have been sent from Rome to shut them down. Wine and secrets are spilled as everyone tries to preserve the convent and reconnect with lost loves.

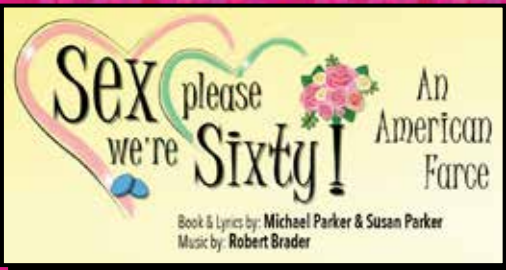


MAR 13-30, 2025



Miss Marple must solve a murder that is published before it happens. An announcement in the local paper states the time and place when a murder is to occur in Miss Blacklock's Victorian house. It's a classic Christie puzzle of mixed motives, concealed identities, a second death and a determined inspector grimly following the case's twists and turns.

APR 10-27, 2025



Mrs. Stancliffe's Rose Cottage Bed & Breakfast has been successful for many years. Her guests return year after year. Her neighbor, silver-tongued "Bud," believes they come to spend time with him in romantic liaisons. Reluctantly, Mrs. Stancliffe accepts the fact that "Bud the Stud" is, in fact, good for business. Add a retired chemist who has developed a blue pill to increase the libido of

menopausal women, three female guests, and a mix-up between the blue pills and Viagra, and you've got a perfect formula for laughter with this NEW musical.

MAY 15-25, 2025

Nana has taken a gamble and moved to Las Vegas, where she and her sidekick Vera are working as seamstresses for a show. What could go wrong? Everything! If you liked Nana's Naughty Knickers, you'll love Nana Does Vegas!



FRIDAY, SEPT 13, 2024

6:00pm Tickets \$95 / Show Only \$40

Don't miss our 12th annual Comedy For a Cause. It's the funniest fundraiser around.



Enjoy a delicious dinner while local business celebs entertain with side-splitting improvisational antics. The "Curtain Call-Online Auction" returns. Auction items will be available to view and bid on September 9th at 6pm and end during the performance on the 13th at 8:30pm.

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75 Taylor St, Punta Gorda, FL 33950

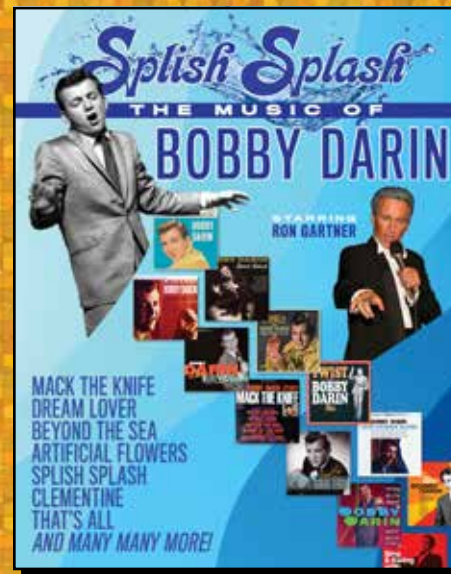
CPAC SPECIAL SHOW

MAR 18, 2025

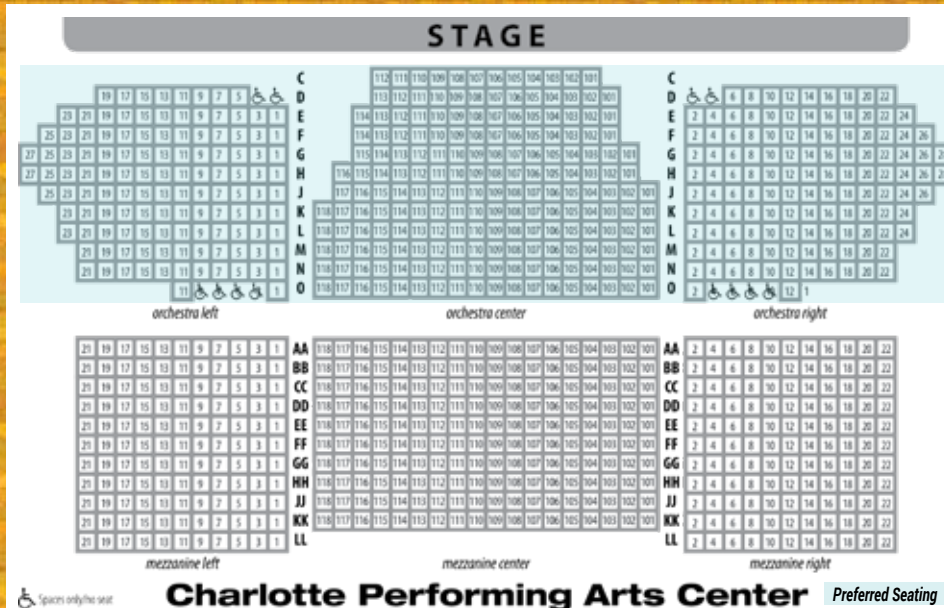
7:30pm Tickets \$59 / \$65

22 Great Songs, a swinging Band, multimedia, backstage stories, and Vegas showman, Ron Gartner!

This fabulous show celebrates everything Bobby Darin -- Teen Idol, Singer-Songwriter, Movie Star and Nightclub Performer -- his music, his life and times. Snap your fingers to great Darin hits like Mack The Knife, Splish Splash, Dream Lover, Beyond the Sea, Clementine, and many many more. Hear the backstage stories about this Entertainment Phenomenon and honor the legacy of the



swingin'-est guy who ever put on a tux in a show that covers everything from Darin's rock 'n' roll days to his legendary Evening at the Copa. If you loved Bobby Darin, this show is a must-see!



Charlotte Performing Arts Center Preferred Seating

Charlotte Performing Arts Center
701 Carmalita St, Punta Gorda, FL 33950



SPECIAL EVENTS

NOV 1, 2024

7:30pm Tickets \$20

In this sequel to "Charlotte Players Star Search" you will be entertained with an evening full of talent as the winner of the Star Search dazzles us all with their amazing vocal talents.



DEC 31, 2024

6pm & 8:30pm Tickets \$30
w/Champagne Toast



singers alike will help keep up the spirits of our 'troops!' So dust off your old uniform and join the troops or just wear red, white & blue!

Join us New Year's Eve for the USO Camp Show! Turn back the clock to the 1940's as we recreate a WWII USO Show.

Favorites will include:
Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy, I'll Be Seeing You, White Cliffs of Dover, and GI Jive.

Comedians, tap dancers, and

Black Friday. Cyber Monday.

#GIVINGTUESDAY

DECEMBER 3, 2024

We add shows and special events often, so follow us to stay in the know!



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JAN 31, 2025 MAR 7, 2025 APR 4, 2025



7:30pm Tickets \$26

Larry Venturino is originally from Rhode Island but lives in Florida. He has performed in the top comedy clubs around the country. With over 15 million views of his comedy worldwide, his stand up show offers a little something different than you may have come to expect. Joining Larry for each of his three shows will be comedians from around the country's top clubs and theaters. These shows have all the guaranteed ingredients for a fun, maybe a little weird, all-around good time.



MAR 17, 2025

7:30pm Tickets \$29

Join us for an evening of celebration as we wish for the Luck of the Irish with performer Whitney Grace. Last season's patrons may remember Whitney from the Charlotte Players "Holiday Showstopper" production in December 2023, where she delighted and entertained a sold out house. Whitney's energetic and uplifting personality will have you smiling from ear to ear and humming some favorite tunes when she sends you on your way. Make sure to get your tickets today, before they sell out fast!

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SPECIAL SHOWS



FEB 10-11, 2025

Tickets \$53 / \$59



Two brothers = 100 stars! Remember all the wonderful variety shows of the 70's & 80's? Now is your chance to see those stars, live by Las Vegas' number one impersonators. The NBC Today show says "it's one of the most extraordinary shows we have ever seen." Sonny & Cher, Billy Joel, Elton John, Neil Diamond, Lionel Richie, Stevie Wonder, Ray Charles, Lady Gaga, Celine Dion, Rod Stewart, Bette Midler, Barbra Streisand, Andrea Bocelli, Tom Jones, and many more.

FEB 16, 2025

Tickets \$53 / \$59

Times Of Your Life

The Paul Anka Songbook Tribute Show starring Lou Villano is a unique One-Of-A-Kind, explosive tribute to one of the most popular songwriters, singers and actors still performing today.

Lou will be singing hits like: *Diana, Lonely Boy, Tonight My Love Tonight, Times of Your Life, Destiny, Put Your Head on my Shoulder, My Way* and more.

You will be taken aback by the similarities between

Paul Anka & Lou, whose interpretative abilities,

will have you falling in love with these songs all over again.



FEB 24, 2025

Tickets \$56 / \$62

Sam Hyman's "Steamroller" show is a masterful tribute to the music of James Taylor. The show features captivating performances of Taylor's favorites with singalongs, and an engaging look at the stories behind the creation of these timeless, and classic additions to the American Songbook. Sam's uncanny resemblance to James, and his astonishing capture of Taylor's vocal and guitar styles leaves audiences feeling like they have just seen and heard the legend himself and applauding for more!



MAR 4, 2025

Tickets \$48 / \$54



The Bay Kings Band is an amalgamation of eight of Florida's most accomplished professional musicians. Out front you'll see and hear two amazing leads and a rhythm section that is

sure to make anyone want to boogie and sax player who loves to join the party. They have been filling dance floors together for 10+ years. Regular theater-concert seating will be reserved but for those who like to dance, a special area will be provided. The Bay Kings Band have gathered a collection of the greatest songs of the 50's, 60's and 70's and compiled them into a magical hour of music they call "This Magic Moment." Hear stories about your favorite songs as you see them performed by Florida's elite talent.





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75 Taylor St, Punta Gorda, FL 33950

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Langdon Playhouse

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Handicapped
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are areas only

STAGE

Any exterior aisle seat
available for handicap

STAGE - CHARLOTTE HARBOR EVENT AND CONFERENCE CENTER

Preferred Seating

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2024-25 SUBSCRIPTION FORM

PLAYERS SERIES PACKAGES

Series A: All Eight Langdon Shows

Series B: Pick Four Langdon Shows*

* Musical - additional charge of \$5

QTY	PRICE	AMOUNT
_____	SERIES PACKAGES	
_____	Series A	\$202 \$_____
_____	Series B	\$105 \$_____
_____	Series B* musical	\$110 \$_____

LANGDON PLAYHOUSE SPECIAL EVENTS

_____	A Shining Star Is Born	\$20	\$_____
_____	New Year's Eve - USO Show	\$30	\$_____
_____	Venturino Comedy Series-Jan	\$26	\$_____
_____	Venturino Comedy Series-Mar	\$26	\$_____
_____	Luck Be A Lady-Whitney Grace	\$29	\$_____
_____	Venturino Comedy Series-Apr	\$26	\$_____

CHECC SPECIAL EVENTS (Preferred seating in bold)

_____	Comedy For A Cause (w/dinner)	\$95	\$_____
_____	Comedy For A Cause (Show Only)	\$40	\$_____
_____	The Edwards Twins	\$53	\$59 \$_____
_____	Paul Anka Tribute	\$53	\$59 \$_____
_____	James Taylor Tribute	\$56	\$62 \$_____
_____	This Magic Moment	\$48	\$54 \$_____
_____	Bay Kings Band		

CPAC SPECIAL EVENT

_____	Spish Splash -	\$59	\$65 \$_____
_____	The Music of Bobby Darin		

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP

Individual / Family / Business	\$25/\$35/\$75	\$_____
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Please Circle Preferred Performance

LANGDON STAGE SHOWS

Evening: 7:30 pm • Matinee: 2:00 pm

Always A Bridesmaid

Sept. 12, 13, 14, **15**, 18, 19, 20, 21, **22**

Beware Haunted Hill!

Oct. 10, 11, 12, **13**, 17, 18, 19, **20**, 24, 25, 26, **27**

No Sex Please: It's Christmas!

Nov. 21, 22, **23**, **24**, 30, Dec. **1**, 4, 5, 6, 7, **8**, 11, 12, 13, 14, **15**

Four Old Broads

Jan. 9, 10, 11, **12**, 15, 16, 17, 18, **19**, 22, 23, 24, 25, **26**

Drinking Habits

Feb. 6, 7, 8, **9**, 12, 13, 14, 15, **16**, 19, 20, 21, **22**, 22, **23**, 26, 27, 28

A Murder Is Announced

Mar. 13, 14, 15, **16**, 19, 20, 21, **22**, 22, **23**, 26, 27, 28, **29**, 29, **30**

Sex Please, We're Sixty -The Musical

Apr. 10, 11, 12, **13**, 16, 17, 18, **19**, 19, 23, 24, 25, **26**, 26, **27**

Nana Does Vegas

May 15, 16, 17, **18**, 21, 22, 23, 24, **25**

LANGDON SPECIAL EVENTS

Evening: 7:30 pm

A Shining Star Is Born	Nov. 1
New Year's Show	6 & 8:30pm Dec. 31
Venturino Comedy Club	Jan. 31
Venturino Comedy Club	Mar. 7
Luck Be A Lady	Mar. 17
Venturino Comedy Club	Apr. 4

CHECC SPECIAL EVENTS

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**Comedy for a Cause	Sept. 13
Edwards Twins	Feb. 10 & 11
Paul Anka Tribute	Feb. 16
James Taylor Tribute	Feb. 24
This Magic Moment	Mar. 4

CPAC Spish Splash Mar. 18

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