

FORT SALEM THEATER
SUMMER, 2008
BOX OFFICE & INFORMATION:
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On the Mainstage

(Various Times and Charges; Group Discounts Available)

July 31, August 1, 2 – *The Wiz*

Ease on down, ease on down the road as Fort Salem's Teen Actor Workshop presents the popular rock musical, book by William F. Brown, music and lyrics by Charlie Smalls, based upon the L. Frank Baum classic, *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz*. Living cartoon set design by Salem artist David O'Keefe.

\$15 adult/\$10 ages 19 and under

August 29, 30, 31; September 1– *Breakfast Epiphanies*

Friday at Saturday at 8 PM; Sunday and Monday at 2 PM

The World Premiere of a Murder Mystery with Music by Salem's playwright-in-residence, Al Budde, with professional and community actors singing, dancing, and banding together to figure out whodunit and why.

\$25 adult/\$15 - 12 & under

In the Cabaret

Thursday Night Cabaret Light – 8 PM (\$15 Music Charge)

Return visits by last season's cabaret favorites and local artists new to the venue, served with coffee and soda, and without cabaret cheesecake.

August 7 – Nathan Lucrezio – *Broadway My Way*

Cambridge resident, Penn State musical theater major, in a solo performance of his favorite songs.

August 14 – Andrea Green

Greenwich native and theater/music major at SUNY/New Paltz, who cut her performing teeth as a youth at Fort Salem Theater, returns to share the fruits of her new knowledge.

August 21 – Ann Marie Acquilano

The Spirit of Christmas Past" from Fort Salem's *A Christmas Carol* warms your hearts with standards and love songs.

August 28 – Jessica O'Keefe and Friends

Fort Salem Summer Cabaret Series

Unless noted*: Friday & Saturday at 8 PM; Sunday at 2 PM

(\$15 Music Charge/\$5 Food Charge)

August 8-10 Kerri Lynn Jennings in *Broadway: Vamped & Revamped*

Fort favorite Kerri Lynn Jennings celebrates the musical theater that shaped her artistry, putting her own signature on standards and introducing us to some of the classic melodies of contemporary theater composers. These musical explorations will form the foundation of Kerri Lynn's next CD, a collaboration with Arlington VT native Joshua Clayton.

August 15-17 *Sharon Rose*

Backed by a four-piece band, international R&B/jazz artist Sharon Rose brings her unique interpretations of standards to a *live* three-day recording session at The Fort. Having worked with such artists as Stevie Wonder, Barry White, Jocelyn Brown, Cher, and Tom Jones, Sharon's cover of the Carpenters classic song, "We've Only Just Begun," was a hit in Asia.

August 22-24 *The Second Annual Best of Salem*

Winners of the annual talent contents sponsored by the Footlighters and the Historic Salem Courthouse have been studying and crafting their own cabaret mini-acts. Saratoga's Brendan Dailey (age 11), teenagers Rebecca Rogers (Salem) and Jon Sulpizi (Cambridge), and adult songstress Jennifer Borotraeger.

September 5-7 *The Devine Miss K*

Kathleen Devine, who has starred on television in *One Life to Live* and *Search for Tomorrow*, on film, and on the legitimate and musical stage, brings her cabaret debut to Fort Salem.