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Production Season(s) 2023

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MARKETING EXAMPLE: INSTAGRAM POSTS

Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/mariettatheatre/>

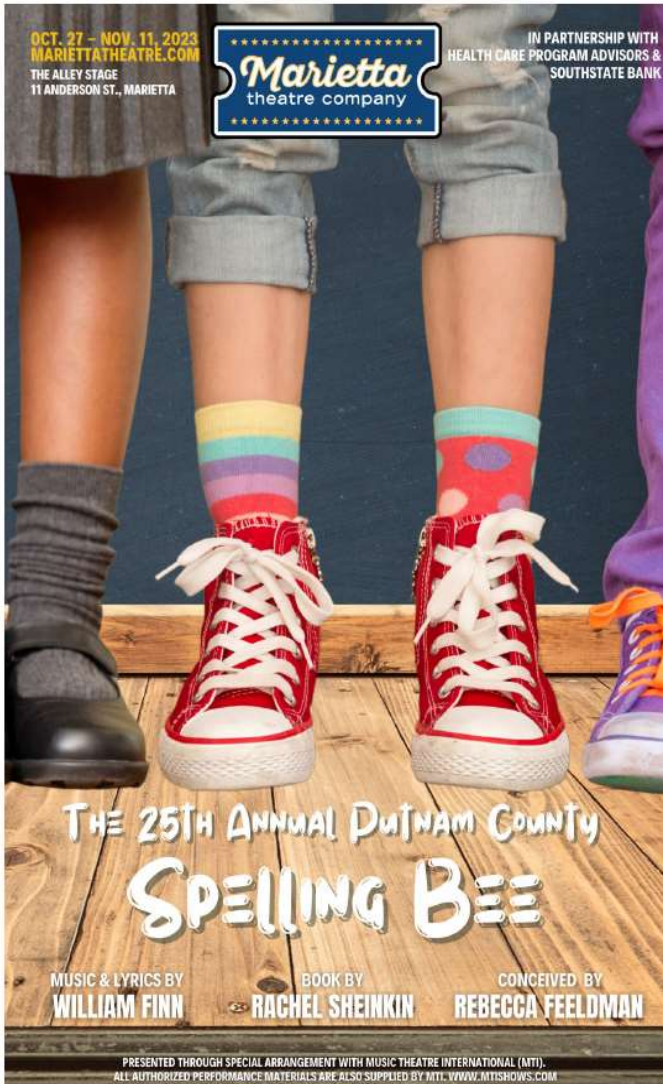


ARTISTIC BACKGROUND OF PRODUCTION LEADS & ARTISTS: PROGRAM BIOGRAPHIES

Production Information

Production

The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee



Rachel Rudd (Director)

Rachel's (she/her) passion for theatre began when she stepped on stage as a performer at the age of 10. In her more than 30 years in the theatre, she has performed in many wonderful roles as well as choreographed and directed dozens of productions. Some of her favorite productions to work on have been *Spring Awakening*, *Head Over Heels*, *Singing in the Rain*, *Mamma Mia*, *Cabaret*, and *Les Misérables*. She most notably directed a brand-new musical, *Rathskeller*, that premiered Off-Broadway in NYC September of 2021 & recently made its Atlanta debut at the SheATL Arts festival in August. She is thrilled to be working with the fun folks at MTC as a Board Member & Director. Special thanks to the wild and wonderful cast & crew of *Spelling Bee* – whom she is eternally grateful for, her husband who supports all her crazy, creative endeavors! A special shoutout to her bestie Heather whom she could not function without.

Brian Osborne (Music Director)

Brian Osborne (he/him) is thrilled to be working with Marietta Theatre once again! He has music-directed recently with a variety of companies including StageDoor Summer Stock, Vanguard Theatre, Academy Street Theatre Company, Rome Little Theatre, Harrower Workshop, Atlanta Opera and the Italian Opera Program, "Si parla, si canta." Most recently, he prepared the vocals for the ABBA/Bee Gee's Revue at The Strand Theatre and was the principal vocal coach for the HBOMax series, *Doom Patrol*. He has served as Director for Musical Theatre at Reinhardt University, Oklahoma City University and The University of Mississippi, and as Music Director for Georgia State Opera Theatre. He currently is a Professor of Musical Theatre at Auburn University. Osborne enjoys appearing on-stage and has performed "Miles Gloriosus" in *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum* and "Sky Masterson" in *Gypsy and Dolls*.

Heather Schutz (Choreographer & Female Swing)

Heather (she/her) was last seen on stage at MTC in *Great American Trailer Park* (Lin) Other MTC credits- *Love is A Many Splintered Thing* (director/choreographer), *Lucky Stiff* (choreographer), *Della's Diner* (Connie Suel/choreographer), *Head Over Heels* (choreographer). Additional on-stage credits: *Rathskeller* (Linda), *Addams Family* (Morticia), *Annie* (Grace Farrell), *Seussical* (Cat in the Hat), *25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee* (Olive). Heather serves as a board member at MTC and Due West Center for the Arts. Thank you for supporting the arts!

Kallie Bedell-Robinson (Stage Manager)

Kallie (she/her) has been a freelance Stage Manager for over 8 years, collaborating with theatres such as The Rose Children's Theatre of Omaha, Mountainside Theatre of Cherokee, and Out of Box Theatre of Marietta. Other recent credits include director/producer for *Two Rooms*, *Tigers Be Still*, and *Fuddy Meers* with Essence to Crux (2018-2019) and general manager for *Mad Hatter's Gin & Tea Party* with Fever Originals (2022). The rehearsal room is her happy place, and she is very grateful to have been invited to join MTC for not only their most recent show *Real Housewives* but also *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee*.



Bekah Medford (Logainne Schwartzandgrubenierre)

Bekah (she/her) is thrilled to be competing this evening with her fellow talented spellers. Most recently you may have seen her in MTC's *Real Housewives of Marietta*. Regional credits include performances with Seattle RSD, Georgia Ensemble, D4C and Walt Disney World. Other credits: *Gypsy Theatre*, *StageDoor*, *Shakespeare on Draught*, *Weird Sisters*, among others. Bekah is represented by Heyman Talent. Follow along with her many theatrical adventures @bekmedford. Thank you for supporting live theatre!



Adam Sechelski (Douglas Panch)

Adam (he/him) is excited to be back on the stage after a hiatus due to his day job, teaching theatre at Hillgrove High School. He holds a B.F.A., M.A., and an M.F.A. in Theatre and has been teaching for 19 years. Adam was last seen at the Atlanta Lyric Theatre in *Peter Pan* and *Full Monty*. He would like to thank Sarah for her unwavering support and love.



Andrew Goodall (Leaf Coneybear)

Andrew (he/him) is an actor, singer, and dancer based in the Atlanta area. With *Spelling Bee* being his second show with Marietta Theatre Company, he has also been with the company as a dancer/ensemble/swing in *Head Over Heels* this past summer. Other recent credits include Seymour in *Little Shop of Horrors*, Francisco in *The Tempest*, a chorus member in *TEXAS! The Outdoor Musical*, as well as various Film/TV projects filmed throughout the southeast. Enjoy the show! Instagram: @andrewbgoodall



Stephanie LeeAnn Earle (Olive Ostrovsky)

Stephanie (she/her) is so thrilled to be back on stage again with the MTC family. You may have seen her in past MTC productions such as *I Love You Because* and *The Last Five Years*. You may have also seen shows she's directed here: *Nunsense* (The original), *Five Course Love*, *Lucky Stiff*, and most recently, *The Real Housewives of Marietta!* Stephanie is so thankful for the arts community. She specifically would like to thank Chance Harbin and Kallie Robinson for their endless efforts and beautiful hearts; as well as Rachel Rudd for casting her as Olive- you could say it feels almost...Chimerical.

QUALITY OF THE ARTS EXPERIENCE: RATINGS & REVIEWS

Facebook Reviews: <https://www.facebook.com/mariettatheatrecompany/>


Marietta Theatre Company

2K followers • 24 following

Rating • 5.0 (40 Reviews) 



Zachary William Phelps  recommends Marietta Theatre Company. ...

July 31, 2017 • 

Wonderful company run by the most lovable and wonderful people! Keep up the great work!



Cecilie Benefield  recommends Marietta Theatre Company. ...

November 11, 2022 • 

We just went to our last show of the 2022 season and thoroughly enjoyed all 5 shows! The theater is intimate, cast is top-notch talent and the ticket prices are more than reasonable. We've already purchased our 2023 season tickets and would highly recommend checking out this quaint little hidden gem. You won't be disappointed!



Nelah Smith Gabler  recommends Marietta Theatre Company. ...

May 2, 2021 • 

I have missed theatre so much over the last year. Thank you for producing this show and making it happen as we edge back to normal. Easy ticketing and check in and all around perfect night!



Sharon Menear  recommends Marietta Theatre Company. ...

October 27, 2017 • 

I really enjoyed The Last Five Years! The singing, acting, directing, live music - an intimate and intense theatrical experience.




Bob Cookson  recommends Marietta Theatre Company. ...

April 27, 2018 • 

Congrats to the cast and crew of The Marvelous Wonderettes for a great show and a good time. It was my first trip to MTC and I'm sure I'll make my way back there soon!



Bennett Frye  recommends Marietta Theatre Company. ...

June 22, 2018 • 

Real showmanship and excellent stage presence. So much fun being right on the edge of the stage. I need to make this a habit. Love it

QUALITY OF THE ARTS EXPERIENCE: RATINGS & REVIEWS

Google Reviews: "Marietta Theatre Company Reviews"

Marietta Theatre Company

11 Whitlock Ave SW, Marietta, GA

4.9  18 reviews 



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Local Guide · 51 reviews · 2 photos

 5 years ago

One of the top theater companies in the state. You won't be disappointed ! Be sure to catch one of their productions !!



Danielle Herritt

3 reviews

 4 years ago

I've seen five shows here and loved them all. 10/10 would recommend.



Amy S

Local Guide · 55 reviews · 98 photos

 a year ago

We saw The Great American Trailer Park musical performance. The actors were so talented and interactive. You could feel the energy from the stage. It is a small playhouse but seating was comfortable and there was a good view of the stage, even from the back row. The show was hilarious and the whole team did a great job maximizing the small stage for each scene.



John Irvin

54 reviews · 18 photos

 10 months ago

Wonderful intimate environment to watch a play!
I'm so happy my wife bought me season tickets as a Christmas present!
I highly recommend MTC.



Blaine Clotfelter

5 reviews

 4 years ago

Constantly putting up incredible shows with incredible talent. A great place to visit during a night out on the Marietta Square!



Marietta Theatre Company Is A True Hidden Gem

POSTED BY: LARRY FELTON JOHNSON DECEMBER 6, 2022



By Brian Benefield

[Brian does the Courier's **Second Helpings** series about food and eating in Cobb County, and also reports on other topics, usually focused on Marietta and Marietta Square]

I'm not particularly eager to use the overused cliché *hidden gem*, but the Marietta Theatre Company is that in the true sense of the phrase. Tucked away behind the Marietta Wine Market, you amble down a few hallways to enter the small but mighty theatre. There are many smiling folks to greet you in the reception area with a concessions stand selling candy, popcorn, and, luckily for us, beer and wine as well. As you pull back the curtain and walk across the stage area to get to your seat, you get a sense that this is going to be a fully immersive experience. And it is.

I talked to one of the founders of Marietta Theatre Company, Blaine Clotfelter, who told me their first production in the intimate space was in 2017, titled *Forever Plaid*. Clotfelter is a MAT (Metropolitan Atlanta Theatre) award-nominated Director and a third-generation Mariettian. Blaine said his Mom got him on stage at only 11 years old because he talked a lot and has been hooked ever since. In true nomadic fashion, he said that the theatre company doesn't rehearse in the space where the stage plays are performed, and they build all their own sets to prove that these performances are a bonafide labor of love. Blaine's father, Mike, has spent countless hours constructing and designing the sets, and they are very grateful for all his and all the other volunteers' hard work. Mike has had such a positive influence they created an award in his honor to bestow on a volunteer who exceeds the call to help MTC each year. According to Clotfelter, they have open auditions for every performance, and every actor is compensated for their work.

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With only fifty-two seats, the feel of this playhouse is very much off-broadway. It is an extraordinary experience to be only several feet from the actors and see every movement, every facial expression, and intricate details of the thespian's costume and props. We are fortunate in Marietta to have several theatres to choose from at the square and surrounding area, but none are quite like this one. Buying season tickets is the best option because you essentially get five plays for the price of four, and they have some great shows in 2023, including the Broadway hit *Head Over Heels*. And *I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change*.

Blaine told me, "I want our patrons to experience life with strangers and inevitably become friends." That is an accurate statement because we have met many people at the theatre and look forward to seeing the same folks at the next performance. During the pandemic, they had to shut down for some time, but in early 2021 put on a show that sold out almost immediately and received a Federal grant that helped keep them afloat. That really demonstrates how vital live theatre is to our community and how badly it was missed. If you are feeling philanthropic and wish to donate, MTC is a 501(c)(3) organization, so your contributions are tax-deductible.

Being diverse with the type of productions is something I really enjoy and keeps the audience coming back for more. Recently we saw *Clue: on Stage*, based on the movie, based on the whodunnit board game, and it was a guessing game from beginning to end. *The Great American Trailer Park Musical* is utterly hilarious; think *Dukes of Hazzard* meets *Beverly Hillsbillies*. We have been MTC subscription season ticket holders for several years and are at a point in life where we don't need any more stuff in our house, so we gift ourselves experiences instead. Consider this a gift idea for a theatre lover in your life, and they will thank you each time they see a show at Marietta Theatre Company.

Visit the theatre's website at <https://mariettatheatre.com/>

MARKETING EXAMPLES: PRODUCTION PHOTOS, SPECIAL OFFER PROMOTION

Production Information

Production

Zombie Prom

Marietta Theatre Company
October 22, 2019 · 🌐

Buy One Get One Free this Thursday only! The Marietta Wine Market is offering a pre-show party including wine and hors d'oeuvres and your ticket to the show. Call the wine market to purchase your tickets. Limited number available.

Marietta Wine Market

PRE-SHOW PARTY AND SHOW

BUY ONE GET ONE BOGO

\$40

One glass of wine, heavy hors d'oeuvres, and a ticket to the show

Thursday, Oct. 24
6:30 p.m.
Call 770-919-1574

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MARIETTA THEATRE COMPANY PRESENTS

ZOMBIE Prom

OCTOBER 18TH - NOVEMBER 2ND

STARRING

 JILLIAN MELKO DELILAH STRICT	 CHASE AINSWORTH EDDIE FLAGRANTE	 AVANI LESANE TOFFEE	 PARKER OSSMANN JONNY	 ANDREW BERARDI JOSH
 CHRISTOPHER CARPENTER JAKE	 ASHTON MONTGOMERY JOEY	 EMILY DIAMOND GINGER	 ARIANNA HARDAWAY COCO	 ERIN NORTH CANDY

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mariettatheatre Jonny and Toffee are in love, but when a desperate act turns Jonny into a zombie, will Toffee take him back? Come find out at **Zombie Prom!**
October 18 - November 2.
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#mariettamusicals

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SEPTEMBER 27, 2019

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Marietta Theatre Company
October 25, 2019 · 🌐

TGIF! Feeling like a zombie after this long week? Let loose at **Zombie Prom**, playing tonight through November 2nd! 🍷🍷

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Marietta Theatre Company
October 19, 2019 · 🌐

Another show of **Zombie Prom** tonight! 🍷🍷 don't miss out on this undead hit. Tickets at www.mariettatheatre.tix.com 📸

2 Shares

Cristina Dinella and 11 others

Marietta Theatre Company
October 26, 2019 · 🌐

What's stirring up this Saturday night: an atomic prom sure to be a blast from the past! Come see **Zombie Prom** tonight at 8pm 🍷🍷 tickets at www.mariettatheatre.tix.com

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MARKETING EXAMPLES: MEET THE CAST SERIES, ENGAGEMENT CAMPAIGN

Production Information

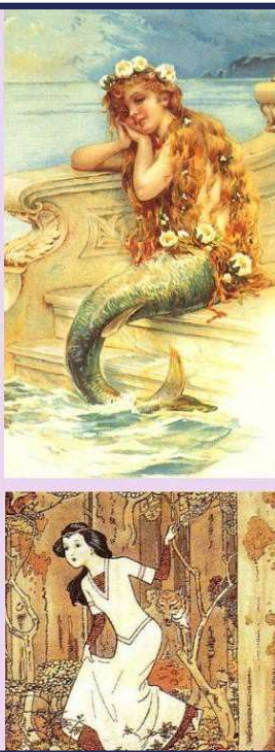
Production

Disenchanted!



DO YOU RECOGNIZE THESE FAIRY TALES? DESPITE WHAT YOU THINK, THESE PRINCESSES ARE NOT HAPPY!

AUGUST 16 - 31

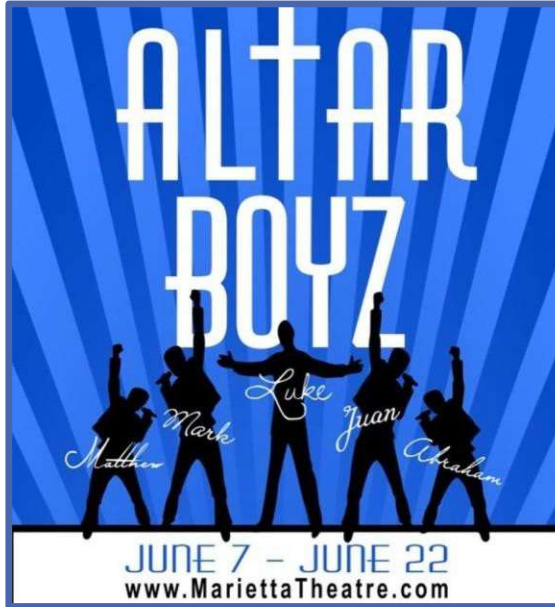


MARKETING EXAMPLES: GRAPHIC DESIGN, PRODUCTION PROMOTION

Production Information

Production

Altar Boyz



MARKETING EXAMPLES: GRAPHIC DESIGN & EVENT PROMOTIONS

Event Information

Event SPECIAL EVENT: Christmas Cabaret Series



FUNDRAISING EXAMPLE

Partnership with Glover Park Brewery

Event SPECIAL EVENT: Pints with a Purpose

 **Marietta Theatre Company** added an event.
January 20, 2019 · 🌐



THU, JAN 31, 2019
Pints For A Purpose
Marietta
Watkins, Hannah and Kate were interested

☆ Interested

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 **Marietta Theatre Company**
January 31, 2019 · 🌐

Whatcha doin' tonight? Meet your crew at Glover Park Brewery to throw some back in the best new spot on the Marietta Square. Drink up—a portion of purchases from 6-8pm will be donated to Marietta Theatre Company. We'll drink to that! (And to the lovely people at Uber and Lyft who get us home safely.) #mariettatheatre #gloverparkbrewery #craftbeer #pintsforapurpose #cheers #raiseaglass #mariettamusicals #mariettasquare #broadwayinmarietta #cheers Glover Park Brewery



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