

ALLEY THEATRE

Alley Theatre 2016-2017 Season Performances

[A Midsummer Night's Dream](#)

by William Shakespeare
October 7 - November 5

Suitable for general audiences ages 12 and up.

In the Bard's most popular and enchanting comedy, the woods outside Athens are a busy place as four young lovers and a troupe of actors find themselves in the middle of a dispute between the King and Queen of the fairies. Alongside **A Midsummer Night's Dream** the Alley will host community and school performances and readings.

[Dry Powder](#)

by Sarah Burgess
January 20 - February 12

Contains explicit language and adult content.

The same week his private equity firm forced massive layoffs at a national grocery chain, Rick threw himself an extravagant engagement party, setting off a publicity nightmare. Fortunately, Seth, one of Rick's partners, has a win-win deal to invest in an American-made luggage company for a song and rescue his boss from a PR disaster. But Jenny, Seth's counterpart, has an entirely different plan: to squeeze every last penny out of the company, no matter the consequences.

[Syncing Ink](#)

by NSangou Njikam
Co-Production with Flea Theater
February 3 - March 5, 2017

Contains explicit language and adult content

"Now what you hear is not a test/I'm rapping to the beat!" Gordon wants to learn how to rap, thinking it will gain him respect, admiration, and the attention of a beautiful woman. What he doesn't know is that his journey to learn how to rhyme will take him not just deeper into Hip Hop, but deeper into his legacy and his purpose. Based on true events, NSangou Njikam leads us on a lyrical ride to discover what it really takes to freestyle. Directed by Niegel Smith, Artistic Director of New York's Flea Theater.

[Let the Right One In](#)

Presented by the National Theatre of Scotland
A Stage adaption by Jack Thorne
February 24 - March 19, 2017

Contains mature themes, explicit language and adult content.

Supernatural thriller **Let the Right One In** is a brutal and tender vampire myth told through the turbulence of a coming-of-age romance. When a series of mysterious killings plagues the neighborhood, two young misfits, sensing in each other a kindred spirit, forge a deep connection. But the shocking truth about one of them tests their young friendship – and love – beyond all imaginable limits.

[An Act of God](#)

by David Javerbaum
March 17 - April 16, 2017

Contains mature themes.

An Act of God is a sinfully funny and critically acclaimed new play where the Almighty and His devoted Angels answer some of the deepest questions that have plagued mankind since Creation. He's returned to set the record straight... and He's not holding back! This hilarious 90-minute comedy is "written by God" and transcribed by 13-time Emmy® Award winner David Javerbaum (The Daily Show).

[A View From the Bridge](#)

by Arthur Miller
April 28 - May 21, 2017

Contains mature themes.

This dark and passionate story centers on Eddie Carbone, a longshoreman by trade, who is confident of his place in the working-class Brooklyn neighborhood he calls home. That life changes when he agrees to harbor his immigrant cousins. A love affair exposes a dark family secret, and suspicion, jealousy and betrayal soon follow.

[Freaky Friday](#)

book by Bridget Carpenter
Music and Lyrics by Tom Kitt and Brian Yorkey
June 2 - July 2, 2017

Suitable for general audiences

Freaky Friday is a hilarious, contemporary update of an American classic that follows an overworked mother and teenage daughter on a wild journey after magically swapping bodies. The musical, with book by Bridget Carpenter (Friday Night Lights, Parenthood) and score by the Tony Award and Pulitzer Prize-winning team of Tom Kitt and Brian Yorkey (Next to Normal, If/Then), is a sure-fire hit for the whole family.

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