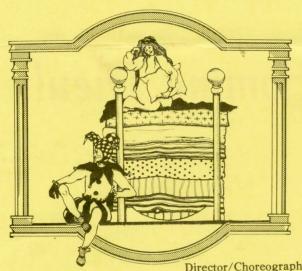
# Portraits of A Brassy, Classy, Sassy 26th Season!!!

#### Once Upon a Mattress

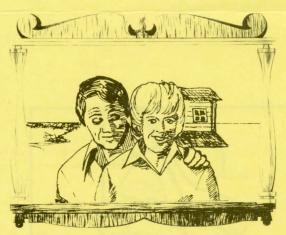


by Thompson/Barer, Fuller

Director/Choreographer:

Lewis Whitlock

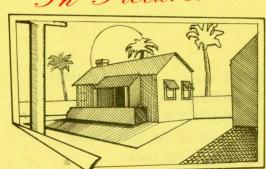
Take a princess, a tiny pea and 20 mattresses result: an ageless fairytale. BUT, add a domineering Queen, a King cursed with muteness, a dauntlessly naive prince, a wonderfully wacky wicked wizzard, a zany tap dancing jester, a marvelously melodious minstral plus an all singing, all dancing court of knights and ladies, and suddenly the gawdy bawdy fun of a hit Broadway musical! Your perfect family night out to celebrate the summer and the 26th season!



#### Talley's Folly

by Lawford Wilson Director: Scott Glasser
A boat house, a man, a woman and a summer to remember
as this unique couple from two different backgrounds seek
to discover each other All the humor and warmth of a first
love made ever more poignant because the couple are in
their middle years. Your only folly would be to miss this
exceptional play by one of America's best contemporary
writers which is introduced by one of the characters as 'a
valentine, a waltz, a no-holds- barred romantic story'

#### I Ought To Be In Pictures



by Neil Simon

Director: Curt Wollan

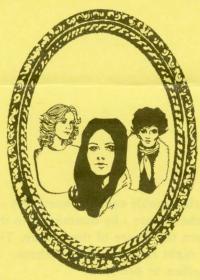
- Q: If you have a 19 year old daughter you haven't seen for 16 year's, an off and on relationship with a member of the opposite sex, a once-successful screen writing career that is now in a dry run, and have trouble sleeping, what happens when said daughter arrives unannounced and claims, 'I ought to be in pictures!'
- A: Neil Simon's finely-tuned theatrical blend of comedy, honesty, directly and deeply-felt emotion in which father and daughter both know best!



by Willy Russell

Director: Jack Reuler

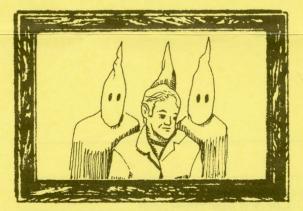
Education has never been more exhilirating or enlightening. Rita and her professor both learn lessons you'll laugh at all summer long in this hilarious initiation of a kooky girl and a derilect professor to the ways of life and love. Join us for the best comedic exploration of the arts and sciences you'll ever have during any summer's vacation.



#### Crimes of the Heart

by Beth Henley Director: Susan Speers

Three sisters, one accused of a shooting she admits, is not usually the stuff of which comedies are made. Yet here we are, caught up in Beth Henley's Pulitzer Prize winning drama which not only captures us but surrounds us with the hysterically funny comedy of the human condition, southern style. The sisters, as different as they can be, struggle to put together their lives in a tragi-comedy of wit and passion. It's a crime if you miss this one; join us for a heartfelt comedy

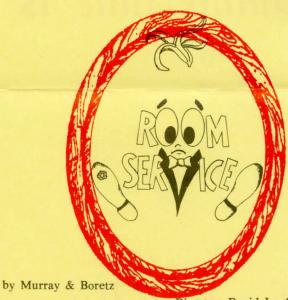


by Larry Shue

#### Director: Susan Speers

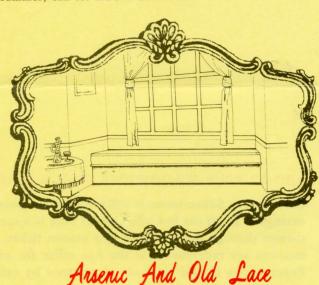
#### The Foreigner

You will delight in the deception of this comic strip of a comedy in which the improbable is commonplace and the preposterous is par for the plot's zany course. Jilted by his wife and left alone at a Georgia inn, a painfully shy accountant, Charlie, pretends to be a 'foriegner' with no knowledge of English and ends up privy to everyone's secrets! When a moran attempts to teach Charlie English, the results are side splitting shenanigans that ultimately involve the Ku Klux Klan! Don't miss this delicious comedy that will sweep us out of the 26th season from foy to euphoria!



Director: David Ira Goldstein

Call room service for laughter; served ala cart round the clock by one of the funniest collection of characters ever assembled in the same farce. Their antics and shenanigans trying to produce a Broadway play make for a summer's night of hilarity Slap dash ins outs ups downs all will have you rolling in the aisles. Whatever you do this summer, call for ROOM SERVICE!



by Joseph Kesselring

Director: Robert Devereaux

Is madness hereditary? Should one be concerned if he has two brothers and two aunts who are looney tunes? Should he marry the preacher's daughter he loves or call the whole thing off? Have you seen Mr Witherspoon lately? What really is in the cellar? The window seat? The closet? Where have all the flowers gone? For the comic answers to these and other serious questions see this classic American farce unequaled in the annals of crime and comedy Your ticket to a great midsummer night's mystery madness.

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July 2-6 Educating Rita

July 9-13 Room Service

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July 23-27 Crimes of the Heart

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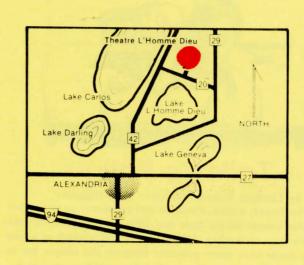
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