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BEATLES FOR SALE: LENNON – MCCARTNEY REVISITED AT BUCKS COUNTY PLAYHOUSE



Audiences will have the chance to revisit the Beatles like they never have before, when “Beatles for Sale: Lennon and McCartney Revisited” rolls into the Bucks County Playhouse for a special one-night concert, Friday, April 27 at 8 p.m. The concert is being presented in New Hope as part of the Bucks County Playhouse Visiting Artist Series.

“Beatles for Sale” takes a magical mystery tour back to the 1960s to explore the high energy, youthful vitality of the Beatles. The members of the group are Joshua Jones as Paul, Robbie Berg as George, Richard Lewis as Ringo and Tyson Kelly as John. With these four talented young performers whose look and sound instantly channel the Fab Four, the concert focuses on some of the Beatles famous B-sides including “Anna,” “This Boy,” “Another Girl,” “You Won’t See Me,” “In My Life,” “Paperback Writer,” and “We Can Work It Out” and so much more. The concert also includes classics such as “Twist and Shout,” “Lucy In The Sky with Diamonds,” “I Want to Hold Your Hand” and a spectacular medley from “Abby Road.” Not your average Beatles show, “Beatles for Sale” is the real thing — a high energy reincarnated performance of what the *actual* Beatles did live.

Tickets to “Beatles for Sale” are \$35 and \$55. Special rates available for groups of 10 or more. Tickets are available at the Bucks County Playhouse Box Office, the New Hope Visitors Center, online at BucksCountyPlayhouse.org or by calling 215-862-2121.

ABOUT BUCKS COUNTY PLAYHOUSE

Located between Philadelphia and New York, Bucks County Playhouse opened in 1939 in a converted 1790 gristmill after a group of community activists, led by Broadway orchestrator Don Walker and playwright Moss Hart, rallied to save the building. The Playhouse quickly became one of the country’s most famous regional theaters, featuring a roster of American theatrical royalty including Helen Hayes, Kitty Carlisle, George S. Kaufman, Grace Kelly, Robert Redford, Bert Lahr, Walter Matthau, Angela Lansbury, Bernadette Peters, Alan Alda, Tyne Daly, Liza Minnelli and Audra McDonald and remained in continuous operation until December 2010. In 2012, the Playhouse re-opened thanks to the efforts of the Bridge Street Foundation, the nonprofit family foundation of Kevin and Sherri Daugherty, and Broadway producer Jed Bernstein.

Since its renovation, significant productions include Terrence McNally’s “Mothers and Sons” starring Tyne Daly, which moved to Broadway and was nominated for two Tony Awards, and “Misery” by William Goldman based on the Stephen King novel which also went on to a Broadway run in the 2015-16 season. Two of the Playhouse’s recent productions — “Company” starring Justin Guarini, and William Finn’s “The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee” — were named by Wall Street Journal to its “Best of Theatre” list for 2015. The Playhouse’s productions of “Steel Magnolias” and “Buddy: The Buddy Holly Story” broke box office records in 2016. Those records were broken again in 2017 with a return engagement of “Buddy” as well as a new production of “Guys and Dolls” directed by Hunter Foster.