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THE MORNING CALL

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Theater: Munopco offers a holiday gift of 'White Christmas'

For many, being onstage would be a dream come true, and this holiday season Bucks County Playhouse and gift-givers can make those dreams a reality.

The playhouse is offering a chance to be part of the cast of Broadway actors presenting the world premiere of its new musical “Ebenezer Scrooge’s Big Playhouse Christmas Show,” running Dec. 8-31.

Based on the Dickens classic, “A Christmas Carol,” this adaptation is set in the town of New Hope, the home of the playhouse. It is written by the Broadway team of Gordon Greenberg (“Irving Berlin’s Holiday Inn”) and Steve Rosen (“The Other Josh Cohen”) and directed by Josh Rhodes (Broadway’s “Rodgers + Hammerstein’s Cinderella”).

Five actors play three dozen roles in the comically re-imagined tale that includes all the characters, including Scrooge and the ghosts of Christmases Past, Present and Future.

“Scene Stealers: Scrooge’s Big Playhouse Performance Gift Package” includes a two-hour workshop to learn and rehearse a role as a roaming caroler, a costume fitting, box lunch at The Ferry Market, backstage tour of the playhouse, rehearsal with the cast, pre-show prep in theater dressing room, and performance of the show. Each performance will be followed by Christmas carols in the playhouse courtyard. The cost is \$150 and includes a discount on tickets for family members.

Tickets for “Ebenezer Scrooge’s Big Playhouse Christmas Show” are \$40-\$75.

Info: 215-862-2121, bcptheater.org.