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- CENTER SEASON -



YESTERDAY AND TODAY: THE INTERACTIVE BEATLES EXPERIENCE SUNDAY, APRIL 2 AT 3PM

ABOUT CENTER SEASON:

Thank you for joining us for an epic new performance season at The Cultural Arts Center!

Now in its sixteenth successful year, our Center Season schedule continues to offer exceptional performances in theatre, music and dance. From fan favorites to exciting new performers on the Sara Belle November Stage, there's truly something for everyone!



MEET THE BAND!

Yesterday and Today Crew

Audio Engineer: Aaron Slagle
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Produced, Directed and Conceived by Billy McGuigan

Music Direction by Matthew McGuigan

Booking by Rave On Productions, www.billymcguigan.com, kate@billymcguigan.com

Special Thanks to John, Paul, George and Ringo for the incredible gift that they gave the world.

Billy McGuigan (*Vocals/Guitar/Keys*) is the creator and producer of several internationally touring shows. Billy's shows have sold out countless performances and have broken box office and attendance records in several theaters across the country. Career highlights have included playing with Buddy Holly's Lead Guitarist and Grammy winner, Tommy Allsup, and Rock-a-Billy Hall of Famer and writer of 'Oh, Boy!' and 'Rave On', Sonny West. Billy has won countless awards for his work including the Spotlight Award for Best Actor in a Musical, an Omaha Entertainment and Arts Award for *Yesterday and Today*, a recipient of the Midland Business Journals 40 Under 40 Award, recognizing entrepreneurs in the Omaha area under 40-years-old and most recently Billy was a recipient of the College Public Affairs and Community Services (CPACS) Alumni Award for Excellence in Public Service awarded by the Faculty and Staff at the University of Nebraska.

Favorite Beatle: My daughter's namesake of course, Paul McCartney.

Favorite Beatles Song: This is like trying to pick a favorite relative, but I'll try: The LOVE version of "Being For the Benefit of Mr. Kite" is surprising, exciting and mind blowing. Every time I listen to it, my jaw drops. "For No One" is currently one of my favorites. One of the most beautifully crafted heartbreaking love songs ever written.

Brandon Bakke (*Drums*) taught himself drums at the age of 15 and has been a fixture of the Omaha original rock scene ever since. Brandon is a multi-instrumentalist and vocalist and attended the University of Nebraska at Omaha as a clarinetist. He has been featured on stage and in the studio in roles ranging from pit orchestra performance to wheelman for various bands' cross-country touring stints. Outside of musical endeavors, you'll find Brandon in his shop breathing life back into vintage cars and motorcycles.

Favorite Beatle: Always been a George guy.

Favorite Beatles Song: Let's go with "Octopus's Garden" because it reminds me of listening with my mom as a kid.

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or by calling 804-261-ARTS.

Jay Hanson (*Vocals/Lead Guitar/Harmonica/Keys*) has been creating professionally for over 20 years, having worked in the recording studio with artists ranging from Snoop Dogg to Larry the Cable Guy and clients National Public Radio, ESPN and ABC's "Grey's Anatomy"; sharing performances with music notables including Hootie and the Blowfish, Cake, Taylor Dayne & David Lee Roth; lending his voice-over, singing and script supervising talents to DIC Entertainment's cartoon series "Strawberry Shortcake", "DinoSquad" and "Horseland"; and composing music for Omaha Community Playhouse's productions of *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time*, and *For Peter Pan on her 70th Birthday*. For Campbell. "Thank you for attending, and I hope you enjoy the show!"

Favorite Beatle: George

Favorite Beatles Song: The medley on side two of Abbey Road

Matthew McGuigan (*Vocals/Bass/Keys/Guitar*) A man of few words, Matthew is more than excited to be performing with Rave On! Productions. Matthew is a graduate of PCCA in St. Petersburg, FL and has extensive theatrical credits including: *West Side Story* (Tony), *Buddy: The Buddy Holly Story* (Tommy) and *Jesus Christ Superstar* (Musical Director). When he's not performing with Rave On! Productions, he's the other half to the band *Moses Prey*. They have released a full length album (*A Paper Moon*) and 2 EP's (*The Martyr* and *Breystory*). He's been playing music for over 20 years, and couldn't be anymore excited to be a part of this production. He dedicates this performance to his wife Julia and sons Lennon and Shawn, and to the memory of his late father, Bill.

Favorite Beatle: John

Favorite Beatles Song: "Happiness is a Warm Gun", because it has every angle of a great rock song down, and second: "A Day in a Life", because it's a masterpiece.

Ryan McGuigan (*Vocals/Guitar/Keys*) would first like to take this opportunity to say how much he enjoys getting to ROCK to the greatest music of all time with his brothers Billy and Matthew. He is a graduate of the Pinellas County Center for the Arts in St Petersburg, Fl. Some of his favorite past roles include Joey in *Tony n Tina's Wedding*, Jesus in *Jesus Christ Superstar* and a Theatre Arts Guild award-winning portrayal of Buddy in *The Last Session*. Ryan is a member of the Theatre Arts Guild. When Ryan isn't performing with *Yesterday and Today*, he tag teams with his brother Matthew in the Power Pop Rock band *Moses Prey*. Ryan would like to dedicate his performance to his family: Mary, Harry, Josie and Jackie. In memory of Kay J. McGuigan.

Favorite Beatle: No question, John.

Favorite Beatles Song: "And Your Bird Can Sing". It changes daily, but I love the blend of incredible melody, tight harmonies and "cut-throat" guitars.



ELEONE DANCE THEATRE Wednesday, April 19 at 7pm

Let's dance! Don't miss this audience favorite that's inspiring for dance fans of all ages! Eleone Dance Theatre performs cutting edge works that challenge traditional boundaries. Enjoy contemporary, modern, spiritual, rhythm and blues, African, hip-hop, and more at this stunning performance! Eleone Dance Theatre is dedicated to the preservation and creation of historical and contemporary theatre dance celebrating intergenerational as well as uni- and multicultural themes that educate and entertain. Claim your seats in advance to this show that's perfect for the whole family!



ART NIGHT - FREE EVENT! Thursday, May 18, from 6-8pm

Attend exhibit grand openings at "Art Night", meet & greet the artists, and enjoy live music and a wine & beer cash bar that helps support our outreach programs.



SEASON PREVIEW PARTY Tuesday, June 13, from 6-8pm

Join us at our 2023-2024 Season Preview Party on Tuesday, June 13th, where you can **purchase tickets before subscriptions go on sale to the public!** Enjoy snacks, free art exhibits and artist demos. Plus, enjoy live performances on our new outdoor stage! Performances include: Desiree Roots, The Taters, Whiskey Rebellion, Good Shot Judy, Henrico Theatre Company's Wild, Wacky and Truly Wonderful Women of Song, and more!