

Strand Theatre Shelbyville, Inc.

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Strand Theatre Weekly Email: May 4, 2012

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The Strand has enjoyed welcoming many patrons to the Shelby County Players production of "Diary of Anne Frank." This moving drama was staged beautifully by director Noell Krughoff. The cast and crew staged the many performances flawlessly. Tonight, Friday May 4, 2012, is the final performance. This is an excellent opportunity to come and experience live theatre.

The Shelby County Players strike their set on Friday after the performance. The Strand will be cleaned and ready for our performance on Saturday night. Music of the swing era will return to the Strand at 7:30pm with the downbeat of the Shelbyville High School Jazz Band. This group of talented musicians will perform music from the yesterday and today. The concert is free.

Our chandelier that you see in our second story office mysteriously turned off. As many of you notice, the chandelier is always on. It has become a symbol of the vibrance and activity that always occur at the Strand. Strand volunteer Bob S. discovered the switch was off. No one admitted to turning it off...

Our A/C got a great test this week (warning, tech talk ahead) We had over 175 patrons with high temperatures and high humidity. The units, some installed in the 1960's, performed well. We only had a three degree increase in temperature in the auditorium. We still have our stash of R-22 freon that we bought several years ago. If we need a little freon, we have it to use. These are some of the things that are done to keep our costs low. So far so good. We'll see how we do by the end of summer. If past experience is any guide, it will be about 120 degrees for the summer performances of Damn Yankees. We can't wait!

The Strand would like to congratulate our community and all the volunteers that helped SCUFFY reach it's goal. The continued support is part of what makes our home so special. Next time you see a SCUFFY volunteer, tell them thank you for their hard work.

We have a busy few weeks ahead. We have comedy, talent shows, movies and more. Thank you for your support and encouragement. We hope to see you at the Strand!

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