

# Strand Theatre Shelbyville, Inc.

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## Strand Theatre Weekly Email: February 8, 2013

Written by David on February, 8 2013

This weekend finishes our Hollywood Musical Film Festival:

HAIRSPRAY (2007)

Saturday

February 9, 2013

7:30pm

All seats \$5.

The Strand has been behind in letting you know what has happened at the theatre. Here are some highlights. 2012 finished with the outstanding ROCKPHORIA performance. The show was fantastic with a stage full of talented musicians. This is a must see show. We know that the Rockphoria group is already working on the December 2013 show. We finished our year with a Christmas Cantata by Liberty United Methodist Church. It was a wonderful way to cap off a great year.

On December 28th due to unexpected demand, we presented the final installment of Friday Night Frights of the year. We made the event FREE and had a great audience. During that showing the Strand's volunteers did something special.

Earlier in the week, Bob Schlick joined by Jim Hawkins removed the bricks separating our new Annex 3rd floor from the long abandoned lodge hall above the Strand's stage. During the show on the 28th, we went into the old lodge hall for the first time. It was incredible. We have posted pictures on our web site. Even though it was very cold outside, the space was toasty warm and dry! Remember, heat rises, and for the past 96 years that old space has been kept warm by the theatre below. Because of this everything up there is perfectly preserved. The amount of dirt is minimal considering it was abandoned for almost 100 years. This space will allow the Strand to expand and do our mission even better.

January saw two wonderful shows. Comedian Larry Reeb returned to the Strand. The Lyric Opera Company of Indiana also performed on our stage. Both shows were great.

On Monday March 4th the Strand was unable to accommodate a very special concert due to the theatre being previously booked. The Valparaiso University Chamber Wind Ensemble will visit Shelbyville High School's Breck Auditorium. This free concert will begin at 7pm. This is one of the finest collegiate groups in Indiana. This is part of their annual Spring Tour. While we would have enjoyed hosting the event, it will still be a great time at Breck Auditorium.

Our friends in the SHS Band Department need our help. The students will be staying in Shelbyville and have requested to stay with host families overnight on Monday the 4th. If you can "adopt a pair of college kids" (or more) for the evening, please contact Russell Smith, Director of Bands at Shelbyville High School at [rosmith@shelbycs.k12.in.us](mailto:rosmith@shelbycs.k12.in.us), or give him a call at 317-398-9731 x2272.

Next weekend we will welcome back Kit Haymond and Pressed in Black for their blues/rock concert. Laura Harmon and the Acoustic Experience will open the show. Tickets are \$7, the show starts at 8pm. It will be a great show.

On February 23rd comedian Bob Zany will be at the Strand. This comedy show will be full of laughs. You can experience top flight comedy here in downtown Shelbyville. We encourage you to go out and grab something to eat and come to the Strand for a fun filled show. Tickets are available at Mickey's T-Mart and online at [www.strandPAC.org](http://www.strandPAC.org) (click on the event)

Thank you for your support. The Strand is thrilled to a part of our community and help make these dark winter months just a little brighter. We hope to see you at the Strand!

Mid-Winter Movie Festival  
HAIRSPRAY (2007)

Saturday February 9, 2013  
7pm

Blues/Rock concert  
PRESSED IN BLACK  
with special guests  
THE ACOUSTIC EXPERIENCE  
Saturday February 16, 2013  
8pm

Comedy  
BOB ZANY  
Saturday February 23, 2013  
8pm

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