

# **Strand Theatre Shelbyville, Inc.**

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## **Strand Weekly Email 5/14/2016**

Written by David on May, 14 2016

Dear Strand Fan,

Tonight Victoria Price, the daughter of actor Vincent Price, will be at the Strand! She will give a talk and slide show on her life and experiences. We will follow the presentation with a screening of HOUSE ON THE HAUNTED HILL. Plenty of tickets are available and can be purchased at the door. Admission is \$10.

Thursday the Shelbyville Middle School Music and Art Department will present JAZZ SHOWCASE. This event will feature performances by the SMS Jazz Band and Jazz Choir. There will also be an exhibit of student artwork in our Cabaret Area. The concert starts at 7:00pm. There is no admission charge.

Costaki Economopoulos is CANCELLED. Due to unforeseen circumstances this performance must be rescheduled to later in the year. From time to time we have experienced these things and look forward to welcoming Costaki back to Shelbyville in the near future. We will keep you posted.

Drum roll if you please?..this week the Strand?s Facebook page passed 3000 followers. Thank you all our Facebook Fans! Social media is a great way to keep up with the Strand.

This past week a Strand Fan asked if we suffered from Triskaidekaphobia. Since we were dark this past Friday night, maybe we do just a little bit! We have new Strand Email readers this week. Triskaidekaphobia has been on our marquee (strange but true). Between that and Costaki Economopoulos, we may need to buy more letters!

Shelby Idol auditions are going well. There is still time to audition. The next session is May 21 from 10am to 1pm.

The Strand is currently working on continuation of our planned renovations. We were not a finalist for the Blue River Community Foundation?s Ignite Grant. The Foundation has informed us that part of our project might still be funded. Our Board is hard at work trying to divide the stage renovation project into smaller segments. The wave of support that we receive from many facets of our business community and people of many walks of life is humbling. Thank you.

This week we took a look at our new furnace filter situation. We have 7 new furnaces and they all take the same filter. That is a wonderful thing. We noticed that the only remaining furnace, in the Strand Annex, takes a different filter. Not for long...next week we are converting that furnace so the Strand only has to stock one size filter. We are very diligent in maintaining our equipment. We change filters on a very strict schedule. We also change our popcorn machine exhaust filters, and our ice machine water filters. It is what it takes to run a first class operation.

Tonight is the 944th performance since we reopened as a performing arts center. We have been diligent to bring arts to the forefront in our community. We have exposed our audience to wide variety of local, national, and international talent. We will continue with the model of respect and inclusion that we follow. Our core values remain: Quality of Life, Community Self Esteem, Economic Vitality, and Artistic Freedom.

Thank you for your support. The Strand is a fun place. See you at the Strand!

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