

Strand Theatre Shelbyville, Inc.

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Strand Theatre Weekly Email ? 8/11/2017

Written by David on August, 11 2017

Dear Strand Fan,

A chapter of our sad saga with the State Fire Marshal's office has come to a close.

On Wednesday our attorney informed us that at the final conference this week, the State Fire Marshal's Office agreed that we were in compliance. They sent us a letter stating that our projects did indeed follow the proper procedures and have dismissed the violations against us. Thank you to Lee McNeely for representing the Strand in this successful outcome.

These people have derailed our theater for the past year and for the second time their accusations against us are found to be false. We hope this is the last time we have to deal with this. Suffice it to say the volunteers of the Strand's management are relieved. From here out, the rest is up to others.

WORK SESSION SATURDAY

AUGUST 12, 2017

8:30am - Noon

Everyone Welcome!

On to what we should be talking about. From here on out we are going to do what we do best, focus on the theater. We have lots planned for the future. Bookings for 2018 are in full swing. We have been contacted by a member of Celtic Thunder for a concert in the spring. Things are looking up!

Have you performed on the Strand's stage? Now is your chance. The Shelby County Players are holding auditions for their production of BOEING, BOEING by Marc Camoletti. Auditions are Monday & Tuesday, August 14 & 15, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. They will take place at SCP OFFSTAGE 1416 S. Miller Ave, Shelbyville, Indiana. Give it a try! You will be glad you did.

We need your help TOMORROW. Bob S. has power washed the front of the theater in preparation for Saturday. Our work session will start at 8:30am and be done by noon. We will have donuts too! The Strand will look different once we are done with the painting. We have several other jobs to do inside too. It will be a fun day and will hopefully help get us back in the groove of improvements that have been derailed for the past year at the theater. Digging out the floor of the Annex will be in our future!

Big news! The Strand will soon have WiFi for our audience. Mach1PC in conjunction with Comcast provides a connection for our patron's use. Cody V. is working to get this integrated into our networks. We prepared for this last year and are pleased to see it happen! Thank you Mach1PC and Comcast.

We have our web site back! As you might recall we were hacked. It has taken us months to undo what was done. Thank you to Shane K. our web guru in California to finally solve this issue. We are in the process of catching the content of our site back up to current day.

Thank you for your support. The Strand would like to publically thank all the business, groups, and patrons that have given us encouragement in our quest to do the right thing. What we were subjected to by the State Fire Marshal no organization, for profit or not-for-profit, should ever have to endure. It took every bit of motivation we had to keep the doors open.

We are all volunteers and sometimes it just didn't seem worth it. Your well wishes kept us going. Those who truly cared about the Strand spoke up on our behalf and also let us know...thank you! In the words of Lee McNeely "On with the show." See you at the Strand!

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