

North Fork Community Theatre

May 2023

12700 Sound Avenue, PO Box 86 Mattituck, NY 11952

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May 15

May 18 – June 4

May 20 at 2:00pm &

May 22 at 6:00pm

June 9

June 12

June 17

DUE DATE for By-Laws comments and Board Nominations
Sunday in the Park with George

YOS Auditions for *9 to 5 the Musical*

NFW & NFCT Co-Fundraiser– Screening of *Grounders*

NFCT General Meeting

NFCT Gala – “Broadway By the Bay” 2PM or 6:30PM

President’s Message

Dear NFCT friends,

Spring is here and while that may wreak havoc on our allergies, it also means that it's time to get your tickets for the spring musical, *Sunday in the Park with George*! The music is beautiful, the costumes are beautiful and the show is coming together beautifully. Reserve your seats now.

It's also a busy time of year for theater business. Next month we have elections and will vote on the changes proposed to the by-laws. This is your last chance to send your feedback about the by-laws to president@nfct.com. As of May 15th, we will review all comments and determine if any further changes are needed before we vote on the document as a whole on June 12th. Please go to nfct.com/by-laws to review the changes and send your comments ASAP.

By now you all know how much I love to talk about the ways to get involved at the NFCT. One great way is to put your name in the running for Play Reading Committee. Nominations will be open at the June 12th meeting at 8:00pm. Serving on this committee will allow you to read proposed shows and help decide which ones will be included in the following season. If you would like to be considered, but cannot make the meeting, please send an email to nominations@nfct.com.

I look forward to seeing you soon.

Liz

By-Laws Review

The by-laws have been reviewed and the committee needs your feedback. The existing by-laws and the document with the proposed highlighted changes will be posted on the website for your review and input. Go to nfct.com/by-laws to view the document and send any suggestions to president@nfct.com by May 15, 2023.

These changes will be voted on at the Annual Meeting on June 12, so now is the time to have your comments addressed. All comments will be reviewed individually (and can be presented to the committee anonymously if that is your preference) and addressed prior to the meeting. A summary of all comments and any further changes will be presented at the meeting. The document will be voted on as a whole package in June, so please send your feedback now to have your suggestions addressed.

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Show Tickets are on sale at nfct.com. For more info call 631-298-4500 or email boxoffice@nfct.com.
“Sunday in the Park with George,” May 18-June 4 YOS “9 to 5”, July 20 – August 6

15th Annual “Building on Tradition” Gala: Broadway By the Bay – June 17th

Save the Date for this year’s Fundraising Gala on Saturday June 17th at Veterans Park in Mattituck. The Gala raises money to renovate the theatre including a new lobby, auditorium and new seats. The Gala will include dinner with wine/beer, raffles, silent and live auctions, and performances of Broadway showtunes by members of the NFCT. You can attend either a 2PM or a 6:30PM showing. Tickets are on sale at nfct.com. For more information contact Mary Kalich at 917-334-6639 or campaign@nfct.com.

Matching Donations: \$93,000 of the \$100,000 match has been raised!

We are close to completing the \$100,000 match for the NFCT “Building on Tradition” Campaign with \$93,000 out of \$100,000 raised. Please help us complete the match! Each dollar that you donate will turn into \$2. Please consider making a donation at www.nfct.com or by check to: NFCT Box 86 Mattituck NY 11952. For more information, contact Mary Kalich at 917-334-6639 or campaign@nfct.com.

NFCT General Meeting will be held on Monday June 12th at 8PM. Elections for the Board of Directors and the Playreading Committee will be held.

North Fork Women and NFCT Co-Fundraiser - Screening of *Grounders*

The NFCT and North Fork Women will be co-hosting a screening of *Grounders* on Friday June 9th at 6:30PM at the NFCT. *Grounders* is a heartfelt personal documentary about a women’s softball league in Brooklyn, New York: the games, the teams, and the players that take the field. Tickets are \$20 and include a wine and cheese reception. Tickets can be purchased at www.nfct.com. The proceeds from the screening will go towards North Fork Women and the NFCT Renovation Campaign. For more info or to volunteer to help with the event, contact Mary Motto Kalich at marymotto@yahoo.com.

Nominating Committee

The nominating committee has put forth a slate of candidates for the upcoming election in June. President - Mary Motto Kalich, Vice President - Stephen Ness, Secretary - Katrina Lovett, Treasurer - Gene O'Brien, Directors - Nancy DiGirolamo, Robert Horn, Chris Lepore
If you are interested in running for any of these positions, please send an email to nominations@nfct.com ASAP. All nominations are due by **May 15**.

Auditions for our Youth on Stage show, *9 to 5 the Musical*

Auditions for our Youth on Stage show, *9 to 5 the Musical*, for youth ages 14 to 22 will be held at the NFCT on May 20th at 2PM and May 22nd at 6:30PM with callbacks on May 27th at 2PM. Prepare up to 32 bars of a song; an accompanist will be provided. Bring comfortable clothes and shoes to dance in. For more information see www.nfct.com/auditions or contact the director, Liz Liszanackie at lisanackie@gmail.com.

Volunteer Spotlight: Gillian Schroeder

Gillian was in the NFCT’s Youth on Stage program in the early 90’s including “Guys and Dolls,” “Good News,” and “Into the Woods.” She moved away from the area, but returned last fall and quickly got back involved in the NFCT. Gillian is using her many artistic and organizational talents by playing a leadership role in the NFCT Gala, as the Raffles coordinator and painting the storefront windows on Love Lane where the Silent Auction items are being displayed. Gillian says she “loves being a part of the NFCT and working on the Gala – coming up on June 17th! It’s been very nice to be involved with creative and unique people.” She also enjoyed being a part of the Ripcord team including director Robert and Eileen Trilli who is also a member of the Gala Committee. Gillian “can’t wait to continue to be involved at the NFCT.”

Renew your NFCT Membership at nfct.com or by check to PO Box 86 Mattituck NY 11952

Name: _____ Email: _____
Address: _____ Town: _____ State: ____ Zipcode: _____

\$10 per individual, \$20 per family



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