



Dear Friends,

The F.J. Reitz High School Department of Theatre is proud to announce our fall play, Joseph Kesselring's ARSENIC AND OLD LACE. This story follows drama critic Mortimer Brewster when his engagement announcement is upended with the discovery of a corpse in his elderly aunts' window seat. Mortimer rushes to tell Abby and Martha before they stumble upon the body themselves, only to learn that the two old women aren't just aware of the dead man in their parlor, they killed him! Between his aunts' penchant for poisoning wine, a brother who thinks he's Teddy Roosevelt, and another brother using plastic surgery to hide from the police—not to mention Mortimer's own hesitancy about marriage—it'll be a miracle if Mortimer makes it to his wedding. Arsenic and Old Lace is a classic black comedy about the only thing more deadly than poison: family.

Due to the costs of these elaborate productions, we have asked the student company members to find generous sponsors to support them in their artistic growth. These donations help us to fund costumes, sets, props, and a number of other supplies that are all required to make shows such as these possible.

This year our donations will be recognized in one of five levels:

"Bronze Star" \$1-\$24	"Silver Star" \$25-\$49	"Gold Star" \$50-\$99	"Platinum Star" \$100-\$249	"Show Stopper" \$250.00+
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If you would like to become a sponsor, checks may be made out to "Reitz Theatre" and mailed to F.J. Reitz High School, c/o Justin McCullough-Haddix, 350 Dreier Blvd. Evansville, IN 47712.

Any donations will be greatly appreciated, and no amount is too small. Please return the form below with your donation so that we may add your name to our donor list in the program.

Thank you for your time and consideration of this request. We are proud of our students and their dedication to undertake these thrilling productions. With your contribution, you help our theatre department's future while helping to enrich our Evansville community.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Justin McCullough-Haddix".

Justin McCullough-Haddix
Director, Department of Theatre

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2023-2024 F.J. Reitz Theatre Sponsorship Donation

Individual's Name(s) as you would like it to appear in the program:

_____ or [] Anonymous

Full Mailing Address: (If you would like a letter indicating your donation to the Reitz Theatre program)

Total Amount of Sponsorship: \$ _____

____ "Bronze Star" ____ "Gold Star" ____ "Silver Star" ____ "Platinum Star" ____ "Show Stopper!"
Any donations received two weeks prior to the production, may not make it into the program due to printing deadlines.

Please Mail Forms and Payment to:

Reitz High School Theatre
c/o Justin McDix
350 Dreier Blvd
Evansville IN, 47712

Ad Forms Due to Mr. McDix by Friday, September 29th.

Thank you again for your time and consideration in making this donation.

We hope that you'll be able to join us **October 26th, 27th, and 28th**
for one or more of the productions of Joseph Kesseling's



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