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Back Due to Popular Demand  
*Last Comic Standing* Comedian  
Ralphie May  
Comes to The Colonial

Pittsfield, MA—Due to popular demand, Berkshire Theatre Group welcomes back Ralphie May to The Colonial Theatre on Saturday, November 5 at 8pm.

Tickets are \$35 and \$45. Contact the Colonial Ticket Office at 111 South Street, Pittsfield by calling 413-997-4444, or online at [www.berkshiretheatregroup.org](http://www.berkshiretheatregroup.org). Ticket Offices are open Monday-Friday 10am-5pm, Saturdays 10am-2pm or on any performance day from 10am until curtain.

Ever since Ralphie May made his comedic debut on season one of *Last Comic Standing*, audiences can't get enough of the larger than life comedian. Voted one of *Variety's* "10 Comics to Watch," May's record-setting comedy specials and repeated sold out tours prove that his relatable comedic genius is in higher demand than ever. In 2015, Ralphie May released his first Netflix special, *Unruly. May doesn't shy away from touchy topics, nor does he bite his tongue when society suggests—he believes that as long as what he's saying is true, people need to hear it.*

About Berkshire Theatre Group

The Colonial Theatre, founded in 1903, and Berkshire Theatre Festival, founded in 1928, are two of the oldest cultural organizations in the Berkshires. In 2010, under the leadership of Artistic Director and CEO Kate Maguire, the two organization merged to form Berkshire Theatre Group (BTG). Berkshire Theatre Group's mission is to support

wide ranging artistic exploration and acclaimed performances in theatre, dance, music and entertainment. Every year, BTG produces and presents performances to over 68,000 attendees and, through our Educational Program, serves over 13,000 Berkshire County schoolchildren annually. BTG's celebrated stages reflect the history of the American theatre; they represent a priceless cultural resource for the community. The Fitzpatrick Main Stage, cataloged by the National Register of Historic Places, has been home to the Berkshire Theatre Festival since 1928. Nestled at the corner of Main Street and Yale Hill Road in Stockbridge, this 318-seat theatre epitomizes summer theatre for many of its faithful patrons. The intimate 122-seat Unicorn Theatre in Stockbridge, is BTG's home for new and experimental works, showcasing world premieres and reimagined classics. Built in 1903 and declared a National Historic Treasure in 1998, the 780-seat Colonial Theatre is a cornerstone of Pittsfield's revitalization. Re-opening to the public in 2006 after a \$21 million restoration, the Colonial serves as a cultural resource for the community. Located in the lobby of the Colonial, the 150-seat Garage is a convertible space that serves as a dance floor, stage for comedians, bands, theatre and more.