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# BERKSHIRE THEATRE GROUP

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**For Immediate Release:**

## **Berkshire Theatre Group Announces Two Additions to its 2023 Season**

### **At The Unicorn Theatre in Stockbridge**

Winner of the Tony Award for Best Play

#### **Copenhagen**

A gripping exploration of the mysterious wartime meeting between two Nobel laureates to discuss the atomic bomb.

### **At The Colonial Theatre in Pittsfield**

Nominated for Multiple Grammy Awards

#### **Ambrosia**

Get ready for an unforgettable night of timeless hits as the legendary band takes the stage at the Colonial.

**Pittsfield, MA**—Berkshire Theatre Group (BTG) and Kate Maguire (Artistic Director, CEO) are excited to announce two additions to its 2023 Season. This fall at The Unicorn Theatre in Stockbridge, BTG will present a thought-provoking play that explores the ethical and moral dilemmas surrounding the development of nuclear weapons during World War II, **Copenhagen**, winner of the Tony Award for Best Play and directed by Eric Hill. Additionally, at The Colonial Theatre, the legendary band **Ambrosia** will present an unforgettable night of timeless hits.

## **Season Discounts & Ticket Information**

### **BTGY (Young Adult)**

Young adults between the ages of 18 and 30 can purchase one ticket to any BTG produced show for \$30 (fees included). This offer is available by phone or in person only. Additionally, one BTG presented show ticket may be purchased for 10% off the single ticket price (rental events not included).

### **EBT Card to Culture Program**

EBT Card to Culture is a collaboration between the Mass Cultural Council and the Executive Office of Health and Human Services' Department of Transitional Assistance. This is available to anyone with EBT, WIC, or ConnectorCare Insurance. This offer includes two tickets to the majority of BTG's shows at the rate of \$5 each. All additional fees are also waived. These tickets are subject to availability as seating is limited. This offer is available by phone or in person only.

### **Berkshire Resident**

Full-time Berkshire residents receive a 25% discount on show tickets to any BTG produced show. Limit two tickets per patron per performance. Exclusions include previews, openings, special events and Saturday evening performances. Tickets must be purchased by phone or in person at our box office. A valid Berkshire County driver's license is required when picking up tickets. This offer cannot be combined with any other discount.

### **Massachusetts Teachers Association**

Massachusetts Teachers Association (MTA) members are eligible for a discount of 20% off orders to any BTG show. Education is a core value of BTG, and we appreciate those who are doing the work in our community. To redeem this discount, mention it while ordering over the phone at 413-997-4444, or in person at our box office.

### **AAA**

AAA members are eligible for 10% off on orders to any BTG show. To redeem this discount, mention it while ordering over the phone at 413-997-4444, or in person at our box office.

Tickets are on sale now. All plays, schedules, casting and prices are subject to change. To purchase tickets, visit [www.BerkshireTheatreGroup.org](http://www.BerkshireTheatreGroup.org) or contact our box office by calling 413-997-4444.

The box office is open Tuesday through Sunday 12pm-5pm or on any performance day from 12pm until curtain.

BTG's Pittsfield Campus is located at 111 South Street, (The Colonial Theatre) Pittsfield, MA.  
BTG's Stockbridge Campus is located at 6 East Street, (The Unicorn Theatre) Stockbridge, MA.

## **At The Unicorn Theatre**

**Winner of the Tony Award for Best Play  
Copenhagen**

by Michael Frayn  
directed by Eric Hill

on The Larry Vaber Stage  
at The Unicorn Theatre

**Previews:** Thursday, September 28 at 7pm & Friday, September 29 at 7pm

**Opening/Press Night:** Saturday, September 30 at 7pm

**Closing:** Sunday, October 29 at 2pm

**Tickets:** Preview: \$45

**Tickets:** \$52



Winner of the Tony Award for Best Play, *Copenhagen* is a gripping and intellectually stimulating play that explores the events surrounding a mysterious and fateful meeting between two of the most brilliant minds of the 20th century: Niels Bohr and Werner Heisenberg. Niels Bohr is joined by his wife Margrethe, as they engage in a heated and thought-provoking conversation with Heisenberg. As the conversation unfolds, the characters grapple with their past and present roles in the development of atomic weapons and the potential consequences of their work. Set in Nazi-occupied Denmark during World War II, the play is a fascinating exploration of the ethics of science and the consequences of our actions.

Throughout the play, audiences are taken on a thought-provoking journey through the minds of these two Nobel laureate physicists who were at the forefront of the development of the atomic bomb. The play delves deep into their personal lives and the motivations behind their work, exploring the complex relationships between them, their families and their governments.

*Copenhagen* is a must-see for anyone interested in history, science or politics. It challenges our understanding of the world and forces us to confront the difficult questions that arise when science and politics collide. With its captivating storyline and masterful writing, this play will leave audiences on the edge of their seats and pondering its themes long after the final curtain call.

Suitable for ages 12+

## **At The Colonial Theatre**

### **Ambrosia**

at The Colonial Theatre

Friday, August 4 at 7:30pm

**Tickets:** \$59

Get ready for an unforgettable night of timeless hits as the legendary band Ambrosia takes the stage at The Colonial Theatre. Nominated for multiple Grammy Awards and celebrated for their captivating melodies and superb musicianship, Ambrosia has been a driving force in the world of progressive rock since the 1970s. Today, Ambrosia consists of three of the original members, Joseph Puerta, Christopher North, and Burleigh Drummond, with the addition of guitarist Doug Jackson, contributing keyboardist Mary Harris and powerful lead vocals of Kipp Lennon from the band Venice.

Prepare to be transported back in time as Ambrosia treats the audience to a mesmerizing performance, showcasing their chart-topping classics such as "How Much I Feel," "Biggest Part of Me," and "You're the Only Woman." Their unique fusion of rock, pop and symphonic elements has garnered them a dedicated fan base worldwide. With their impeccable harmonies and infectious energy, Ambrosia promises an evening filled with nostalgia, musical brilliance and pure enjoyment.

Get ready to sing along and dance with Ambrosia, the masters of melodic enchantment.

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### **Safety Protocols**

For safety protocols please visit BTG's COVID-19 information page:

[www.berkshiretheatregroup.org/covid-19-information/](http://www.berkshiretheatregroup.org/covid-19-information/)

### **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 organizations 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 11,000 Berkshire County school children annually. In July 2020, Berkshire Theatre was the first company in the United States to earn approval from Actors' Equity Association to produce a musical (*Godspell*) in the wake of the COVID-19 Pandemic.