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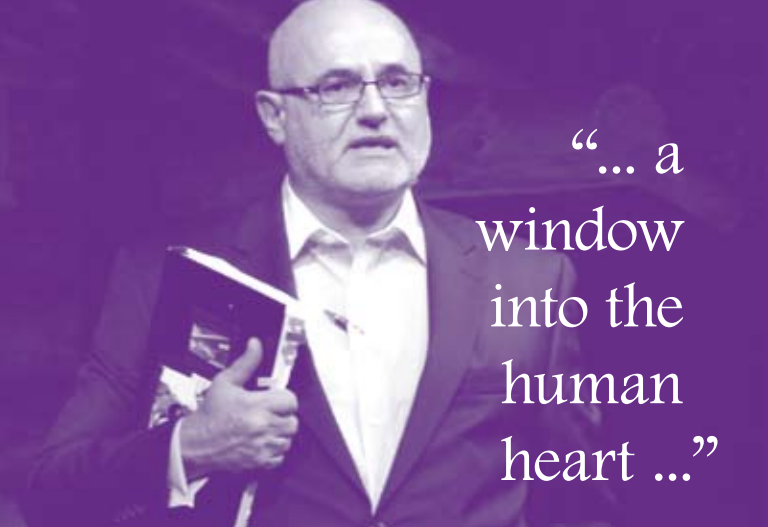


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Thank you!

Last year, over 35,000 of you came from all over the country to spend an evening or an afternoon sitting in one of our purple seats to watch a play. Chances are, you shared food and drink in one of our great restaurants, stayed in one of our comfortable hotels or extraordinary bed and breakfast establishments. Maybe you went home with a new pair of cowboy boots. Hopefully, you had a great time getting to know us, our fine city and each other a bit better. Thank you for taking time out of your lives to be with us.

To lure you back, we're putting together a truly magnificent mix of mystery, magic and mayhem. Shows filled with laughter, romance, winners, losers, passion and nostalgia. Shows that will move you, tickle you, and maybe, just maybe, give you a window into the human heart.

See you soon,

Guy Sanville
Artistic Director

Escanaba
extended
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through
Jan 23

Gravity
Feb 11
through
Mar 27

Our Town
Apr 15
through
May 29

summer
comedy
June 17
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“Everyone
has a home
somewhere ...”

Escanaba

a World Premiere by Jeff Daniels
Directed by Guy Sanville

Now
through
Jan 23
2010

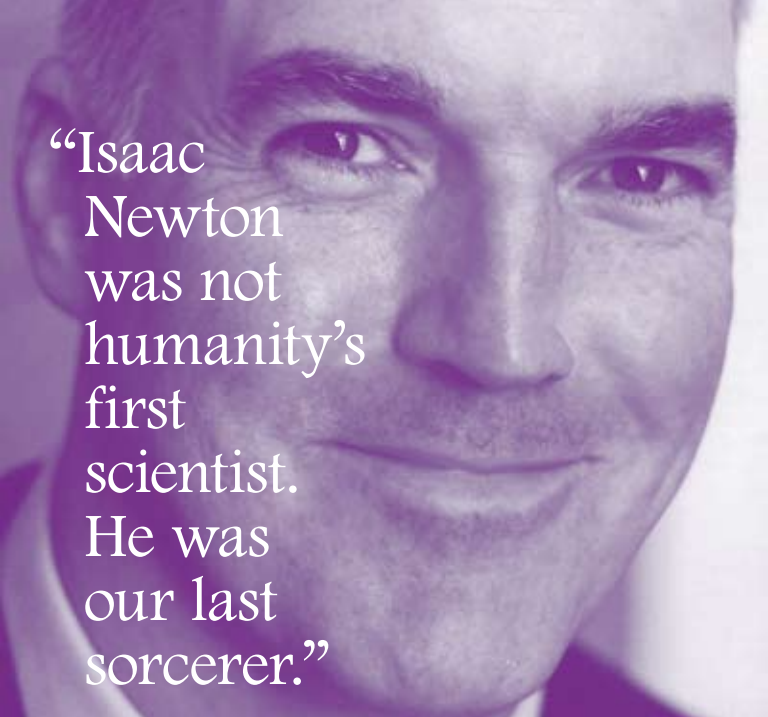
The legend begins in 1922 with this final installment of the classic Yooper trilogy. Alphonse Soady is putting the finishing touches on his newly-constructed deer camp when a wild-eyed James Negamanee bursts through his door fleeing a black bear. This origin story reveals the role this strange trespasser plays in time-honored Soady Deer Camp traditions, including the saga of the Soady Ridge Buck.

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“Isaac
Newton
was not
humanity’s
first
scientist.
He was
our last
sorcerer.”

Gravity

a World Premiere by David MacGregor
Directed by Guy Sanville


Feb 11
through
Mar 27
2010

For centuries, the true nature of the work that engaged Isaac Newton in the years after his *Principia Mathematica* rocked the world in 1687 lay hidden among trunks of forgotten papers.

Based on Newton’s actual letters, this play explores his relationship with a mysterious patroness as he pursued the most important work of his life. Newton drove himself relentlessly in pursuit of Truth, riding the delicate line between divinity and madness.

Advance donor sales begin Dec 21
General ticket sales begin Jan 4

The 2009 / 2010 season
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“This
is the
way we
were.”

Our Town

an American classic by Thornton Wilder
Directed by Guy Sanville

Apr 15
through
May 29
2010

Winner of the Pulitzer Prize in 1938, this icon of American dramatic history spans thirteen years in the town of Grover's Corners, a quintessential small community with characters reflecting the hopes and dreams, the failures and successes, of people everywhere.

Guided by the Stage Manager, Wilder illustrates the universality of the simple, yet meaningful lives of all people in the world in order to demonstrate the value of appreciating life.

Advance donor sales begin Feb 22
General ticket sales begin Mar 8

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FOUNDATION INC.



“Shh!
It’s a
secret!”

a summer comedy

to be announced February 1
Directed by Nathan Mitchell

June 17
through
Aug 28
2010

The PRTC is keeping this summer’s offering under wraps until 2010. All we can tell you now is that it’s a hit farce recently seen on Broadway!

Advance information will be available exclusively to eNews subscribers and online at www.purplerosetheatre.org.

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Advance donor sales begin Apr 26
General ticket sales begin May 10

The Producers of
on Broadway

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Box Office

Phone: (734) 433-ROSE (7673)
Web: www.purplerosetheatre.org
Location: 137 Park Street
Chelsea, MI 48118
Hours: Mon-Fri 10 AM-6 PM
Extended Hours: Wed-Fri 6 PM-9 PM
(show days) Sat noon-9 PM
Sun noon-3 PM

Schedule & Pricing

Wed & Thurs	8 PM	\$20 ⁰⁰	preview
		\$25 ⁰⁰	regular
Fri & Sat	8 PM	\$25 ⁰⁰	preview
		\$38 ⁰⁰	regular
Sat	3 PM	\$25 ⁰⁰	preview
Sun	2 PM	\$33 ⁰⁰	regular

Select performances will be added; call (734) 433-ROSE (7673) or visit our online calendar at www.purplerosetheatre.org.

Reservations & Sales

Advance reservations can be made by phone with Visa, MasterCard or American Express; card number serves as *guarantee of payment only*.

Unpaid reservations may be cancelled up to 24 hours prior to performance. Full price for reservations not cancelled will be charged to the guarantee number.

Purchases can be made in person at our Box Office with cash, check or credit card; no exchanges or refunds are available after purchase.

Tickets may also be purchased online at www.purplerosetheatre.org. Some service fees apply; all web sales are final.

Groups & Events

Groups qualify for a \$4⁰⁰ per ticket discount¹; reservations are available now for the entire season.

¹12 ticket minimum purchase and prepayment required; offer excludes Saturday evening performances.

Special event planning services are also available. For more information, call (734) 433-PRTC (7782) .