



ALBERTA THEATRE PROJECTS

Slipper a distinctly *Calgarian* *Cinderella* story



EVENT FOR SYRIAN REFUGEES

Alberta Theatre Projects is inviting refugees from Syria to see our Family Holiday Show, *Slipper: A Distinctly Calgarian Cinderella Story*, **free of charge** on **December 1 or December 8, 2016**. Our goal is to make them feel welcome and invite them to take part in a Canadian holiday tradition along with their sponsors, friends and neighbours.

This program is made possible thanks to a generous grant by the Canada Council for the Arts

HOW IT WORKS:

- Tickets for refugees are free of charge.
- For each family or group of refugees, we will offer 1 complimentary ticket to a non-refugee sponsor, neighbour or friend who will be attending the show with them. For groups larger than 10 people, we may provide additional complimentary tickets.
- Sponsors may purchase additional tickets for non-refugees at 20% off our regular prices.
- To book your group, please email tpeterson@atplive.com with the following information:
 - Date of performance (**Dec. 1** or **Dec. 8**)
 - Total # of tickets for refugees.
 - Total # of tickets for sponsors, organizational staff, neighbours or friends.
 - Total # of additional discounted tickets.
 - Any special seating requirements (eg. Wheelchair access, access to family room for guests with infants.)
- Tickets are limited and will be booked on a first come first serve basis.



ABOUT THE SHOW:

Cinderella is a normal teenaged girl from Calgary who just wants to do her work, get along with her family and play her guitar. Then one day she meets a handsome time-traveller named Eddie Prince who invites her to compete in the Stampede talent show. One problem: her crazy stepmom won't let her. Can Cindy win the competition's top prize and maybe Eddie's heart too? With a little help from her Fairy Godmother, she might just have a chance! Cheer, clap, boo and sing along as you root for Cindy in this charming show for the whole family featuring audience participation, music, and a whole lot of fun.

Who is it for?

Singles, couples, and families with children of all ages are welcome, however the show is best suited for children over 5 years old.

Language

The show will be performed in English, but we will have a special synopsis of the story in our programme in Arabic for non-English speakers. Because it is a comedy meant for all ages based on the story of Cinderella, it will be visually funny and therefore enjoyable for everyone regardless of language.

Dates

Thursday, December 1, 2016 or Thursday, December 8, 2016

Time

Doors open: 6:30 PM | 18:30

Show time: 7:30 PM | 19:30

Suggested arrival time: We encourage people to arrive at least 30 minutes before show time.

Duration: 2 Acts – 45 minutes each with a 20 minute intermission (1 Hour and 50 Minutes)

Location

The Martha Cohen Theatre at Arts Commons | 215 8 Ave. SE Calgary, Alberta

The entrance to the theatre is from 8th Avenue, across from Olympic Plaza.

Getting Here

Public Transportation

By C-Train: Nearest stops: Centre Street Station (Eastbound)
City Hall Station (Westbound)

By Bus: Nearest Stops: Eastbound: 9 Ave SE @ Macleod Trail
Westbound: 6 Ave SE @ 1 Street SE
Southbound: 1 Street SE @ 8 Ave SE
Northbound: Macleod Trail @ 7 Ave SE

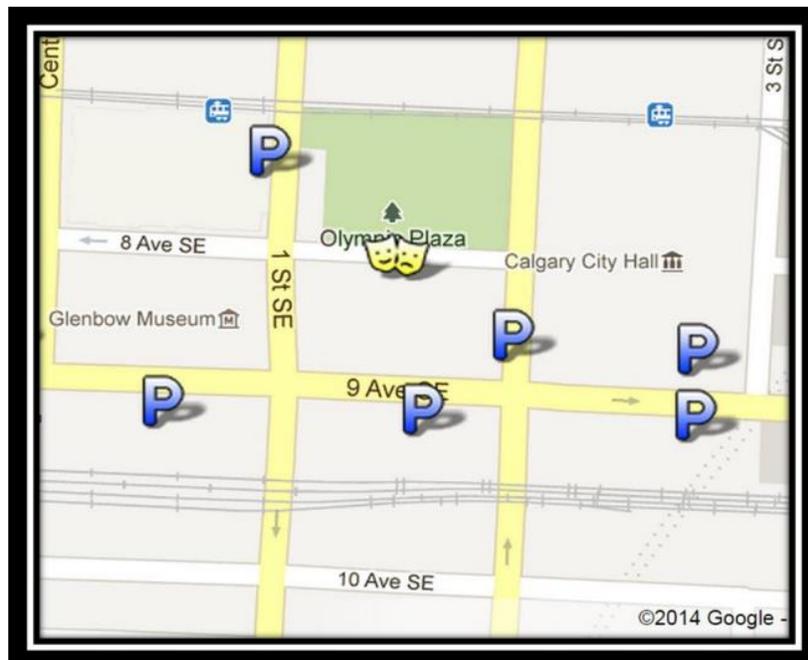
Private Transportation

Parking: On-Street Parking: Street parking around the theatre is limited, but free after 6pm.

Art Commons Parking : Paid underground parking is available at a rate of \$5 after 6 PM. It is situated at 829 Macleod Trail SE. The entrance is between 9th & 8th Avenues and is accessible from the far left lane of Macleod Trail northbound.

Taxis: Before the Show: Taxis can drop guests off right in front of the theatre doors.

After the Show: There are usually taxis waiting on 8th Avenue to return you home.



Other Helpful Information

Food and Drink

Light snacks (chips, chocolate bars) and drinks (coffee, tea, beer, wine) are available for purchase at the lobby bar. Drinks are allowed into the theatre, however food is not allowed.

Dress

There is no dress code at our theatre. Please come as you are.

Accessibility

Our theatre is accessible to people in wheelchairs or with other mobility aids.

Theatre Etiquette

Talking

Please don't talk during the show, unless you're invited to by the performers onstage.

Cell Phones

Please turn off all cell phones during the show.

Photography

There is no photography or videography allowed during the show. However, there will be an opportunity to take pictures with the cast in the lobby after the performance!

