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## Theater Guild 2014 - 2015

*Our purpose is to  
maintain a volunteer  
group dedicated to the  
advancement and growth  
of The Rose through  
fundraising and  
friend-raising efforts.*

All funds raised by The Rose Guild directly support The Rose Theater and its wide array of programs. Since its creation in 1985, the Guild has raised more than \$1.4 million in support of The Rose Theater. The Guild is fortunate to have members who make it possible to support such a wonderful agency that is both a cornerstone in Omaha's history and a thriving center for children's education and entertainment.

[www.RoseTheater.org](http://www.RoseTheater.org)

## Annual Guild Membership

*Please mark one category. All are tax-deductible.*

- \$30 Stagehand**  
Provides a school field trip for three students.
- \$60 Choreographer**  
Provides scholarships for after-school classes.
- \$100 Director**  
Provides props for one teen theater production.
- \$150 Producer**  
Provides summer class tuition for one child.
- \$200 Super Star**  
Provides 50 performance tickets for students from youth groups such as Girls Inc.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Work/Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address / City, State, Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Email \_\_\_\_\_

Please contact me about volunteering to help with:

- Breakfast with Santa
- Rockin' Rosie (annual fundraising event)
- Theater Boutiques

Please return by **October 15<sup>th</sup> 2014**, to be included in the 2014-2015 Guild Directory.

**I want to GO GREEN!** Please send me only an electronic directory to save trees and contribute more of my membership to The Rose Theater.

*Checks payable to "The Rose Theater Guild."  
Please return to VP of Membership,  
Chaley Chandler, at 2211 South 185<sup>th</sup> Street,  
Omaha, NE 68130. For questions, contact Chaley  
at (402) 213-7810 or [chasmitherines@aol.com](mailto:chasmitherines@aol.com)*

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# The Rose Theatre Guild

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# The Rose Theater

## 2014 - 2015 Guild Calendar

All Guild members are invited to attend Board of Directors meetings. Lunch and social begin at 11:30 am followed by a 12 pm meeting.

August 11 ♦ September 8 ♦ October 13  
November 10 ♦ December 8 ♦ January 12  
February 2 ♦ March 9 April 13 ♦ May 11

### Theater Boutiques

The Guild presents merchandise boutiques at most performances, with proceeds benefitting The Rose.  
(\*An asterisk denotes a premium event.)

September 5-21	The Very Hungry Caterpillar
October 3-19	The Cat in The Hat
November 1-16	A Wrinkle in Time
December 5-28	A Christmas Story: The Musical*
January 10-31	Balloonacy
January 23 - February 8	Buffalo Bill's Cowboy Band
February 20 - March 8	Zen Ties
March 20 - April 4	The Reluctant Dragon
April 24 - May 10	Charlotte's Web
June 5-21	Disney's Mary Poppins*

### Breakfast with Santa

December 6th - The Rose Theater

### Rockin' Rosie 2015

February 7th - The Hilton Downtown

### Rosebud Socials

Parties for Rosebud Members include food and beverage, goodie bags, tours, autographs and pictures with the actors! (Rosebud memberships are available for \$15 each for children under the age of 18. You can register your children online at: <http://www.rosetheater.org/rose-theater-guild/rosebuds>)

October 11 The Cat in The Hat (1:15 pm)  
February 28 Zen Ties (5:00 pm)

### The Rose Mission

To enrich the lives of the young and their families through live theater and arts education.

### The Rose Founding

In 1948, *The Omaha Junior Theater* was created by Emmy Gifford and two volunteers from the Junior League of Omaha who were inspired to start a theater for young audiences in Omaha. The name was later changed to *The Omaha Theater Company*, which we still use to this day. The Omaha Theater Company was relocated to The Rose Blumkin Performing Arts Center, formerly the Astro Theater, after a \$10.3 million renovation spearheaded by Susie Buffett, The Rose Blumkin Performing Arts Center Foundation President.

### The Rose Present Day

The Omaha Theater Company is one of the largest of its kind in the nation. The Theater's programs reach over 700,000 people in more than 65 venues in 25 states each year through our national tour. The Company offers over 50 instructional classes each week utilizing only the most highly trained and qualified instructors.



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