

National Players Presents 'A Tale of Two Cities' at Stockton Performing Arts Center on March 5

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Galloway, NJ – "It was the best of times, it was the worst of times..." Dickens' novel about the French and British people during the Reign of Terror is brought to life in Benjamin Kingsland's new adaptation. The National Players will present this classic drama at the Stockton Performing Arts Center, located on the main Galloway campus, on **Saturday, March 5.**

Show time is at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$32. Tickets may be ordered online at www.stockton.edu/pac or by calling the Box Office at (609) 652-9000. The Box Office is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and 90 minutes before the performance. For group sales, call (609) 652-4786.

Justice, sacrifice, class, love and duty are put to the test as leaders are beheaded and the people rebel. As blood flows in the streets, is anyone truly innocent?

Celebrating its 67th season, National Players is a unique ensemble bringing innovative theater to communities across the United States. Founded in 1949, National Players stimulates youthful imagination and critical thinking by presenting classic plays in contemporary and accessible ways.

National Players is the hallmark outreach program of Olney Theatre Center in Olney, Md.

The professional theatre company is a model for artistic collaboration and national education outreach, and embodies the Olney Theatre Center educational teaching method: to unleash the creative potential in our audiences and artists, and to stimulate individual empowerment.

The program exemplifies these goals by presenting self-sustained productions of Shakespeare and other classics to learners of all ages and in all environments.

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Through performances and integrated educational programs, National Players empowers these learners to build stronger communities through artistic collaboration.

National Players has performed in 41 states; in the White House; and for American military in Europe, Asia and the Arctic Circle. Committed to artistic excellence and community engagement, National Players has brought literature to life for more than 2.9 million people.

For patrons with special needs, the **Stockton Performing Arts Center** offers wheelchair accessible seating, large type programs and listening assistive devices. Please identify any needs you may have when making a reservation.

The Stockton Performing Arts Center, the Jersey Shore's Center for the Arts, is located on the campus of Stockton University, on Vera King Farris Drive, off Jimmie Leeds Road, in Galloway Township. Just 12 miles west of Atlantic City, the center is easily accessible from the Garden State Parkway and the Atlantic City Expressway.

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