March, April, May & June 2015
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Tickets: $15 Adults
$12 Students/Seniors

Rates may vary for fundraiser productions.
Sorry, we do not take reservations.

Director's Notes
I just knew I had to direct You Can't Take It With You when we selected it for this season. I love the stories within the story. There's the "Romeo & Juliet" story, a rich vs. the poor story and "You can't judge a book by its cover" story.

The people in the play truly do what they love to do and everyone lets them do it and doesn't judge. So what if Essie can't dance. As Grandpa says, "As long as she's having fun." That is the underlying theme of the play and even Mr. Kirby comes to accept this.

I hope you all have fun and enjoy You Can't Take It With You.

Debbie Love
Director

A note about the author:
George S. Kaufman was a humorist, American playwright, theatre director, producer and drama critic. He wrote comedies, political satire and musicals. You Can't Take it With You won the Pulitzer Prize for Drama (1937 with Moss Hart). From 1921 through 1958 there was a play written or directed by Kaufmann on Broadway. Mr. Kaufman was known as one of the most successful writers in the first half of the 20th century; yet he never wrote a play by himself, always in collaboration with someone else.

The Kaufman and Hart collaboration lasted ten years (from 1930-1940). Moss Hart was a penniless young man with one ambition: to be a Broadway playwright. His first few plays weren't successful. Then he wrote a comedy about actors going from stage to Hollywood. He ended up collaborating with Kaufmann and they wrote Once in a Lifetime. It became one of the greatest successes of its time. Over the next ten years they wrote 7 other plays together. All of them were major successes.

In 1940 they stopped working together not because they had a falling out, but because Hart wanted to prove that he could do it on his own. Hart proved it for the next 17 years and Kaufman's career also continued to thrive. The two men remained the best of friends.
Join us for our 88th Season!

Dearly Departed
Directed by Joe O’Connor
September 5-7; 11-14, 2014

Bus Stop
Directed by Joe Hanrahan
November 7-9; 11-16, 2014

Dinner with Friends
Directed by John Austermann
January 9-11; 15-18, 2015

You Can’t Take It With You
Directed by Debbie Love
March 6-8; 12-15, 2015

Fools
Directed by Simon Kaplan
May 1-3; 7-9, 2015

Night at the Theatre!
To benefit the Bob Lauman Scholarship Fund
Join us for a private performance of You Can’t Take It With You
March 21, 2015
8:00 PM
For more information please contact Jill Lauman
wgmojill@swbell.net

Audition Notice! Audition Notice!
Fools
March 10, 2015
7:00 p.m.
Show Dates:
May 1-3; 5-9, 2015
Director:
Simon Kaplan
Cold readings from script.
No appointment necessary.
Look for more info on upcoming auditions online
www.theatreguildwg.org

Scenes from You Can’t Take It With You

#1 Ryan Adolph (Ed) playing the xylophone and Jim Wamser (Kolenkov) with Betsy Gasoske (Essie)

#2 Chris Powers (DePinna), Michelle Beczkala (Gay Wellington) and Randy Arndt (Paul)

#3 Andrew Garcia (Tony) and Laura Gibbons (Alice)

#4 Madison Doty (Rheba) and Brad Gebben (Donald)

#5 Scott Brocato (The Man) grabbing Thaddeus O’Donnell (Mr. Kirby) and Terry TenBroek holding Jennifer Kerner (Mrs. Kirby)

Word Search! You Can’t Take It With You

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