

CENTRE STAGE EPISODE ARCHIVE (UPDATED: Jan 19, 2025)

UPCOMING SHOWS

Jan 19: Guests: Director/Producer Zachary Mansfield with "Stranger Sings!: The Parody Musical" at Toronto's Randolph Theatre and Director Jared Lenover with "Much Ado About Nothing" at Dundas Little Theatre.

PAST SHOWS

Jan 12: Featured Album: Haddaway – Live From London

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Dec 15: Guests: Matthew Stodolak and Katie Kerr, the composers of the Original Studio Album of "Chris, Mrs. – A New Holiday Musical".

Dec 8: Guest: Ryan G. Hinds Director of the Shaw Festival's A Christmas Carol. Featured Album: Brent Carver's Walk Me To The Corner. Review: A Christmas Story at Theatre Aquarius.

Dec 1: Featured Album: Seth MacFarlane & Liz Gilles – We Wish You The Merriest

Nov 24: Featured Album: Wicked Part 1 – The 2024 Soundtrack Recording

Nov 17: Featured Album: Original Off-Broadway Cast Recording of White Girl in Danger from Michael R. Jackson the creator of A Strange Loop.

Nov 10: Featured Album: Original London Cast Recording of Sweet Charity starring Juliet Prowse.

Nov 3: Songs in celebration of Daylight Savings Time. Reviews: The Master Plan & Dangerous Corner.

Oct 27: Guests: Kelly Straughan with Theatre Aquarius' "The Master Plan" and Dia Gupta Frid and Candi Zell with Dundas Little Theatre's "Dangerous Corner".

Oct 20: Featured Album: Promises, Prayers & Raindrops – Allyson Briggs Sings Burt Bacharach

Oct 13: *(Centre Stage goes dark. Happy Thanksgiving! Tune in next week for theatre music, interviews, reviews, news, ticket giveaways and more!)*

Oct 6: Remembering Broadway's Gavin Creel (1976-2024) and Ken Page (1954-2024).

Sep 29: Featured Album: Deadpool and Wolverine Original Motion Picture Soundtrack. Review: King James. Tribute: Maggie Smith.

Sep 22: Centre Stage is back! Now on 93.3 FM CFMU! Host Lyla Miklos has recovered from COVID and is ready to share theatre music, reviews and news with her listeners. Featured Album: Music from and inspired by The Color Purple. Reviews: Sherlock Holmes and The Mystery of The Human Heart, Candida, Rosmersholm, Salesman In China & The Diviners.

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Sep 1: *(Centre Stage goes dark after 26 years on INDI 101.5 FM. Happy Labour Day Weekend! Stay tuned next week as we announce the new home of Centre Stage with Lyla Miklos.)*

Aug 25: The final episode of Centre Stage with Lyla Miklos on INDI 101.5 FM (1998-2024) will be a repeat broadcast of our Sun, Aug 13, 2023 episode featuring the Cast Recording of the Star Trek: Strange New Worlds episode Subspace Rhapsody along with memorable musical moments from Star Trek series and films throughout the decades. Live long and prosper listeners!

Aug 18: Guests: Rebecca Durance Hine, Adrienne Moody & Alma Sarai from Tottering Biped Theatre's As She Likes It and Erin Newton, Michael Hannigan & Sativa Schmidt of Big Hearts Little Theatre's The-One-Act Play that Goes Wrong.

Aug 11: Guests: Creative Team from Red Tree Performance Academy's production of Sister Act Jr.

Aug 4: *(Centre Stage goes dark while Lyla visits her hometown of Iqaluit, Nunavut for the first time in over 30 years. Centre Stage host Lyla Miklos will return on Sun, Aug 11, 2024 with theatre music, reviews, news, ticket giveaways and more.)*

Jul 28: Guests: Jenn Kee (Eva), Dante Pietrangeli (Che) and Adam French (Peron) from the cast of the Brott Music Festival production of Evita on stage at The First Ontario Concert Hall on Thu, Aug 8, 2024. Giselle Magie (Wendla) and Christopher Martel-Fauteux (Melchior) from the cast of Theatre Ancaster's production of Spring Awakening on stage at the Ancaster Memorial Arts Centre from Aug 9-18, 2024.

Jul 21: *(Centre Stage goes dark while Lyla reviews plays at this year's Hamilton Fringe Festival. Centre Stage host Lyla Miklos will return on Sun, Jul 28, 2024 with theatre music, reviews, news, ticket giveaways and more.)*

Jul 14: *(Centre Stage goes dark as Mohawk College will undergo its annual power shutdown this weekend. Centre Stage host Lyla Miklos will return on Sun, Jul 28, 2024 with theatre music, reviews, news, ticket giveaways and more.)*

Jul 7: Featured Album: 2024 Tony Award Winner for Best Play Stereophonic. Reviews: Stratford Festival's La Cage Aux Folles & Cymbeline and Shaw Festival's Witness For The Prosecution & One Man, Two Guvnors.

Jun 30: *(Centre Stage goes dark. Happy Pride and Happy Long Holiday Weekend! Centre Stage host Lyla Miklos will return on Sun, Jul 7, 2024 with theatre music, reviews, news, ticket giveaways and more.)*

Jun 23: *(Centre Stage goes dark while Lyla reviews plays in Stratford. Centre Stage host Lyla Miklos will return on Sun, Jul 7, 2024 with theatre music, reviews, news, ticket giveaways and more.)*

Jun 16: Guests: Connor Lucas and Kelly-Ann Evans with Terra Bruce's An American Hymnal and Abigail Veenstra with Crown Point Players' 35mm: A Musical Exhibition. Reviews: Stratford Festival's Twelfth Night and Something Rotten and Shaw Festival's My Fair Lady.

Jun 9: *(Centre Stage goes dark while Lyla reviews plays in Stratford and is in rehearsals for Midsummer Nights Dreamscape. Centre Stage host Lyla Miklos will return on Sun, Jun 2, 2024 with theatre music, reviews, news, ticket giveaways and more.)*

Jun 2: Guest: Wax Mannequin featured performer for the Hamilton Fringe Festival's One Starry Night Gala Fundraiser. Featured Album: Gutenberg: The Musical. Reviews: Stratford Festival's Hedda Gabler & Romeo and Juliet.

May 26: *(Centre Stage goes dark. Centre Stage host Lyla Miklos will return on Sun, Jun 2, 2024 with theatre music, reviews, news, ticket giveaways and more.)*

May 19: Featured Album: "Water For Elephants" Original 2024 Broadway Cast Recording. Nominated for 7 Tony Awards including Best Musical. Review: HTI's "The Prom".

May 12: *(Centre Stage goes dark while our INDI 101.5 FM Station Manager is on vacation. Stayed tuned to the Centre Stage with Lyla Miklos Facebook Page for reviews, theatre news and ticket giveaways until we return on Sun, May 19, 2024.)*

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Apr 21: Guest: Malakai Fox, Co-Founder of Playful Fox Productions who are presenting The Shawshank Redemption at The Zoetic in Hamilton, Ontario. Review: Dundas Little Theatre's Lobby Hero.

Apr 14: Guest: Mary Francis Moore the Artistic Director of Theatre Aquarius joins us to discuss the World Premiere of Beautiful Scars, a brand-new Canadian musical based on Tom Wilson's memoir, and the 2024/2025 season of Theatre Aquarius.

Apr 7: Guests: Director Tyler Collins of The Burloak Theatre Group's The Spongebob Musical at the Oakville Centre for the Performing Arts and Actress Claire Shingleton-Smith from Dundas Little Theatre's production of Lobby Hero at the Garstin Centre for the Arts. Review: Canadian Stage's The Inheritance.

Mar 31: *(Centre Stage goes dark. Happy Easter Sunday! We wish you a happy holiday season. Tune in again when we will have new theatre music, interviews, reviews, news, ticket giveaways and more!)*

Mar 24: Guest: Associate Director of Canstage's production of Inheritance - Jordan Laffrenier. Featured Album: Soundtrack of Disney's Wish.

Mar 17: Guests: Director of Curtain Call Performing Arts Company's production of Mean Girls - Danielle Viola & First Unitarian Church of Hamilton Fall Festival Auction Winner - Mary Ellen Scanlon. Mary Ellen will share her guest review of Theatre Aquarius' production of Shirley Valentine. Music: The Commitments Soundtrack in honour of St. Patrick's Day.

Mar 10: It's our annual Oscar Sunday Show where we showcase all of this year's Academy Award nominees for Best Song. Tune in before the Oscars air on ABC and CTV at 7pm EST and local Oscar Parties happen at Hamilton's two independent movie theatres: The Westdale and The Playhouse. Centre Stage host Lyla Miklos will be hosting the party at The Westdale.

Mar 3: Live In Studio Guest: Suzanne Lanthier and Anne Bokma discuss Theatre Aquarius' Women 4 Women Fundraising Collective. Music: Songs in Celebration of International Women's Day.

Feb 25: Live In Studio Guest: Canadian stage actor and former Hamiltonian Charles Azulay discusses his new memoir Uncoloured. Review: HTI's Seussical.

Feb 18: Featured Album: Only Murders In The Building Season Three Soundtrack. Guest: Shaina Silver-Baird from The Grand Theatre's production of In Seven Days. Review: Players' Guild of Hamilton's God and the Indian.

Feb 11: Guests: Director of HTI's production of Seussical Joshua Arcari along with Pamela Blackwood-Marques, Anya Mia Wassenberg, Nancy Dykstra and Michael Myszkowski who will discuss their upcoming concerts in celebration of the season of love and beyond.

Feb 4: Featured Album: Harmony - the new Broadway musical from Barry Manilow and Bruce Sussman.