

# **2023 MAIN SEASON PLAYBILL**

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#### **COME DOWN FROM UP RIVER**

#### BY NORM FOSTER

Shaver Bennett lives in the woods in northern New Brunswick, where he has kept to himself for most of his life. And then one day, he arrives at the door of his estranged sister's daughter, Bonnie, whom he hasn't seen in 20 years. Bonnie and her wife Liv, welcome Shaver into their lives in this sweetly moving, fish-out-of-water tale.

JUNE 7 - JUNE 18				
WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.	SUN.
7 m e opening 14 m/e	8 m 15 m/e	9 m/e 16 m	10 m/e 17 m/e	11 m 18 m

### **ON THE AIR** \*WORLD PREMIERE\*

#### BY EPHRAIM ELLIS

The small-town radio station of Lake Kashagakaganee has only one problem. No one's listening. Watch as Alice, the new station manager, tries to rally her rag tag group of amateur broadcasters to find a new audience, while at the same time navigate the return of Matt the former station manager's son who has a plan to change everything.

JUNE 28 - JULY 9				
WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.	SUN.
28 m e opening 5 m/e	29 m 6 m/e	30 m/e 7 m	1 m/e 8 m/e	2 m 9 m

#### **BED & BREAKFAST**

#### BY MARK CRAWFORD

Brett and Drew want to move out of their tiny downtown condo, trying their luck with the Toronto real estate market until Brett inherits his beloved Aunt's historic family home in a quaint tourist town. The guys decide to take the plunge moving to the countryside to open a B&B. Over the course of their first year, they face friction in their new community with more than a few unexpected and hilarious plot-twists as they try to find a place to call home.

<b>JULY 19 - JULY 30</b>				
WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.	SUN.
19 m e opening 26 m/e	20 m 27 m/e	21 m/e 28 m	22 m/e 29 m/e	23 m 30 m

#### **WHERE YOU ARE**

#### BY KRISTEN DA SILVA

Sisters Glenda and Suzanne live a quiet retirement selling homemade jam on Manitoulin Island. This summer, their usual concerns - trying to orchestrate sightings of their handsome veterinarian neighbour and preparing for the visit of Suzanne's grown daughter, Beth - are complicated by a secret the sisters can no longer contain. When Beth arrives with some secrets of her own, the three women face things that will change their lives forever.

AUGUST 9 - AUGUST 20				
WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.	SUN.
9 m e opening 16 m/e	10 m 17 m/e	11 m/e 18 m	12 m/e 19 m/e	13 m 20 m

## A PACK OF THIEVES \*WORLD PREMIERE\*

#### BY NORM FOSTER

Robert and Jeff are middle-class suburbanites who figure they can use a little extra cash to improve their troubled lives. No problem. They devise a plan whereby they will steal a thoroughbred racehorse and hold it for ransom. They enlist the aid of Padre, an experienced criminal, and a pair of bumbling twins named Chip and Dale. What can go wrong? Just about everything in A Pack Of Thieves.

SEPTEMBER 6 - SEPTEMBER 17				
WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.	SUN.
6 m e opening 13 m/e	7 m 14 m/e	8 m/e 15 m	9 m/e 16 m/e	10 m 17 m

**m** = Matinee 2:00 рм **e** = Evening 7:30 рм

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SEPTEMBER 20 - SEPTEMBER 24					
WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.	SUN.	
20 e	21 m /e	22 e	23 m /e	24 m	