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SUBSCRIPTION SERIES

"A devilishly funny, complicated farce" (The Slotkin Letter) LIARS AT A FUNERAL by Sophia Fabiilli October 14 – 26, 2025

How do you get your dysfunctional, estranged family together in the same room? Pretend you're dead and invite them all to your funeral, of course! Mavis, the matriarch of a family of misfits, fibbers and conspirators, has a plan to reunite them once and for all. But when an ice storm traps them in the funeral home, the result is a wickedly funny comedy about secrets, lies, and the desperate lengths we go to for love and connection. An uproarious romp about families and falsehoods.

"Serving Elizabeth is a gem" - NOW magazine SERVING ELIZABETH by Marcia Johnson November 11 – 23, 2025

Politics and pop culture collide with unexpected twists as the story moves between 1952 Kenya—when an anti-monarchist cook works for Princess Elizabeth in the Royal Lodge—and 2015 London when a Kenyan-Canadian film student clashes with convention while working on a TV series about the Royal Family. *Serving Elizabeth* is a fresh, funny, thought-provoking exploration of the question: In the script of history, who gets to tell the story?

"BIG STUFF proves it's a keeper" (Broadway World) BIG STUFF

written & created by Matt Baram & Naomi Snieckus co-created & directed by Kat Sandler January 20 – February 1, 2026 A Baram & Snieckus production

Keep, or toss it out? Real-life married couple and celebrated comedy duo (who met while performing with Toronto's Second City) Baram and Snieckus take on all of the "stuff" that accumulates in our lives. Whether it's the physical stuff piled up in our basements or the emotional stuff that lives rent-free in our hearts, Baram and Snieckus hilariously explore what to do with it all.

"I know a fake when I see one." (Nazhi, Act 2, Scene 3) THE UNDENIABLE ACCUSATIONS OF RED CADMIUM LIGHT by Drew Hayden Taylor

February 24 – March 8, 2026

Nazhi runs an art gallery on the Otter Lake First Nation, specializing in the work of Norval Morrisseau and other renowned Indigenous artists. Her daughter Beverly is a successful Indigenous educator, up for a big promotion. When a reporter begins to dig into the world of counterfeit Indigenous art, a discovery is made that risks jeopardizing both women's careers, and their relationship, forever.

"A theatrical hug in turbulent times" (Variety) TINY BEAUTIFUL THINGS

Based on the Book by Cheryl Strayed

Adapted for the Stage by Nia Vardalos Co-Conceived by Marshall Heyman, Thomas Kail, and Nia Vardalos **April 7 – 19, 2026**

A co-production with Capitol Theatre Port Hope

Based on the New York Times bestseller by Cheryl Strayed and adapted by Winnipeg's own Academy Award nominee Nia Vardalos (*My Big Fat Greek Wedding*), *Tiny Beautiful Things* explores Strayed's experience as an online advice columnist. While strangers on the internet tell her their most personal secrets, hopes and struggles, Strayed weaves together stories from her own life to create a column full of light, empathy, and humanity.



Nia Vardalos Tiny Beautiful Things

Drew Hayden Taylor The Undeniable Accusations of Red Cadmium Light

Marcia Johnson Serving Elizabeth



EXTRAS-A HOLIDAY EXTRAVAGANZA!

This season, PTE is offering the ultimate Holiday playbill – TWO shows that are guaranteed to put some pep in the step of people of all ages.

OUTSIDE JOKE'S Holiday Musical Extravaganza December 9 - 21, 2025

Back by popular demand, Outside Joke is ready to once again mine that bottomless pit of Holiday rom-com movie plots to bring hilarity to your Holiday. New for 2025: a full musical!

MUNSCH UPON A TIME

Adapted by Debbie Patterson Based on the stories by Robert Munsch December 19, 2025 – January 3, 2026

A beloved PTE tradition returns! Five Munsch stories, including *The Paper Bag Princess*, are brought to life on the PTE stage, to delight and enthrall children and adults alike. The quintessential family show.





Sophia Fabiilli Liars at a Funeral

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