

= LYRIC THEATRE OF OKLAHOMA **2021 ANNUAL REPORT**

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Producing Artistic Director Report 2021



I'm very thankful to all of our state leaders, loyal patrons, and everyone working at Lyric for making this past year's outdoor season a safe and joyous success. We were able to create theatre in new ways attracting both our long-time patrons and bringing in brand-new theatre goers, as well. We learned a lot, both on stage and off, and always brought with each production all of the creativity, passion and talent for which Lyric Theatre is known and celebrated. It wasn't easy but it was definitely worth it. We were reminded that now more than ever our community counts on us to bring

them together reminding us of who we are, what is important, and give us hope for the future in uncertain times. Here are some of the artistic highlights of 2021.

DENISE LEE: PRESSURE MAKES DIAMONDS

To start the season, I invited two of my favorite artists to create a magical evening that not only celebrated our return to live performances, but celebrated the power of live music, and the career of a musical theatre legend ... Ms. Denise Lee. Both fabulous and funny, Denise brought a positive and uplifting artistic voice to the stage here at Lyric. She has been a calming and supportive voice for not only me, but artistic directors who have had the pleasure of working with her during this past year. I am so thankful she agreed to create this new show just for Lyric audiences with her wonderful director, Monique Midgette. It was an exciting moment putting our artists back to work directing, performing, writing new scripts, rehearsing music, and designing new sets, lights, and costumes.

NUNSENSE

For this performance, we gathered our patrons to join the Sisters of Hoboken, New Jersey, who shared their unique and delightful sense of hope and determination through the power of prayer... and musical theatre! The show brought smiles to peoples' faces, which at this challenging moment is enough of a reason to celebrate. I want to give a special thank you to my creative partner in theatrical crime, and director of NUNSENSE, Ashley Wells. Her leadership, inspiring spirit, and love of Lyric shined through her winning cast and creative team. She is a big reason Lyric has weathered this rough time.

GREASE

When we decided to move our 2021 productions outdoors this year, we had the crazy idea to stage the show at a historic football stadium here in Oklahoma City. We took advantage of this epic setting and re-envisioned the show in a spectacular new way. Drawing from my years of marching band experience playing the alto saxophone, I gathered all of the elements that make a half-time show truly spectacular – a cast of 60, moving platforms and towers, color guard pageantry, and real classic cars. The energy of this production matched the excitement we had in bringing live musical theatre back to our city after a year of shut-downs, shut-ins, and uncertainty. We were able to share audience memories of high school while creating new ones. We did have to cancel four performances due to weather – a new challenge for Lyric staff and one our patrons were patient with.

MASTERCLASS

Back at Myriad Gardens we greeted the fall with our production of MASTERCLASS by the great American playwright Terrence McNally. This special play became a reflection of Lyric in many ways. It highlighted the importance of art and the sometimes difficult work it takes to bring it to fruition. Audiences were witness to the wonderful actress Natalie Cordone, in the role of opera star Maria Callas. She gave a performance that will be remembered as a pinnacle of acting talent on a Lyric stage. In addition, she was joined by a cadre of outstanding up and coming opera stars. Directing an actual two-act play, on a beautiful set designed by Uldarico Sarmiento with costumes by Jeffrey Meek, lights by Fabian J. Garcia, and sound design by Corey Ray, was a step forward toward bringing back the type of theatre we might have taken for granted until recently.

CONCERTO: a staged reading

On the set of MASTERCLASS we presented a world-premiere staged reading of the play CONCERTO by Alan Olejniczak. We were fortunate to have the playwright here at Lyric for rehearsals and an audience discussion. The play chronicles the professional and personal lives of Russian composer Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky and featured Maestro Alexander Mickelthwate of the Oklahoma City Philharmonic in the creative process.

Lyric's A CHRISTMAS CAROL at the Harn Homestead

Closing the 2021 season, Lyric returned for its second visit to the historic Harn Homestead for its immersive, outdoor production of A CHRISTMAS CAROL. Just steps from the Oklahoma State Capitol, the 360-degree production whisked audiences back to the Victorian Era. This production was featured in both *The New York Times* and *BBC Radio* and saw its audience double in size each night from the previous year.

Other artistic highlights of 2021 included:

- Executive Producer Ashley Wells receiving the Governor's Arts Award.
- Michael Baron receiving the Jewish Federation of Oklahoma City's Yad B'Yad, Hand in Hand Award.
- Lyric helped create both an in-person and virtual Yom H'Shoah Holocaust Memorial Service at Myriad Gardens.
- Lyric was a co-presenter with OKC Broadway of this year's virtual Kelli O'Hara High School Musical Theatre Awards.
- Michael Baron directed the National Finals of the Poetry Out Loud competition presented by National Endowment for the Arts and the Poetry Foundation.
- Ashley Wells directed ROCK OF AGES at University of Central Oklahoma in the spring of 2021.
- Jeffery Meek designed costumes for the new National Tour of A CHARLIE BROWN CHRISTMAS.
- Staff attended virtually both the spring and fall conferences hosted by National Alliance for Musical Theatre.

Thank you to everyone who made this year a success against all odds. I am so proud and grateful to be a part of this special theatre.

Sincerely, **Michael Baron,** *Producing Artistic Director*



Managing Director's 2021 Report



2021 was marked with Lyric's return to full-scale performances for live audiences following the COVID-19 venue shutdowns of 2020. All performances were outdoors for audience and actors' safety and staged at The Myriad Botanical Gardens Water Stage, Bishop McGuinness Catholic High School Pribil Football Stadium and The Harn Homestead. Time and time again, Lyric created ways to engage our Subscribers, Donors, Board and Staff in fresh, meaningful ways allowing the theatre to continue its mission in times of limited access to the arts due to the ongoing pandemic.

TICKETS – At the top of the season, Lyric Subscribers were given the option to redeem their 2020 subscription for 2021 or roll it over to the 2022 season. The majority of Lyric's Subscribers kept their subscriptions, while a smaller amount (less than 10%) donated them back to the theatre or requested refunds. Overall, this flexible approach to patron management allowed for a minimal negative impact on the theatres' financial bottom line, while retaining valuable Subscribers and Donors. Of those who redeemed their subscriptions for 2021, a significant portion have renewed for the 2022 season. In addition, we were blessed with good weather throughout the season, so single ticket sales performed well, and shows earned both audience and critical acclaim.

FUNDRAISING – Remained strong in 2021 with robust individual giving, foundation and corporate support. Lyric applied for and won a Small Business Administration Shuttered Venue Operators Grant (SVOG), followed by an SVOG supplemental grant. This gave a solid boost to Lyric's cash-on-hand balances while supporting our build back efforts – which is the goal of the federally backed SBA grants. Lyric's inaugural BROADWAY BASH! – our first indoor fundraiser in two years – outperformed expectations, both in revenue raised (double its projections), and the joy and goodwill the event raised with the patrons who attended.

STAFFING – As theatre operations increased, we added three full-time positions: Development Associate, Marketing Coordinator, and a Facilities, COVID Safety & Front of House Manager, bringing Lyric's full-time staff total to 17, along with numerous contract staff brought on to stage productions throughout the season. Lyric's staff meet regularly and are in constant pivot mode to maximize opportunities wherever they appear.

LEADERSHIP – Lyric Theatre announced the promotion of Ashley Wells to the newly created position of Executive Producer. Previously Lyric's Associate Artistic Director, Wells joined the organization's executive leadership team, which includes the Producing Artistic Director and Managing Director. In her new role, Wells oversees the day-to-day management of the artistic vision and producing operations of the theatre, including all mainstage and stand-alone productions, workshops, readings, performances at Lyric's Thelma Gaylord Academy and other special events. Additionally, Wells is responsible for managing artistic needs and maintaining Production budgets.

EDUCATION – Lyric's Thelma Gaylord Academy resumed indoor, in-person classes (masked) much to the delight of the Academy's musical theatre students eager to return to training and performing. In the fall and holiday seasons, students also returned to performing live on Lyric's Paula Stover Stage with many enthusiastic family, friends and LAPS supporters in attendance. And, *Lyric's Kids Clubhouse* returned to Oklahoma Schools across the state, while continuing to offer a virtual alternative through our new Zoom TV made possible by a technology grant from the Kirkpatrick Foundation.

At the close of 2021, and the beginning of 2022, Lyric is in a strong financial position, thanks, in part, to loyal Subscribers and Donors, a talented and dedicated Staff and Board, Lyric Theatre Thelma Gaylord Endowment investments, and well maintained facilities. Currently, we are planning for the return to indoor performances for five out of seven mainstage shows in 2022 and the much anticipated world premiere of DISTANT THUNDER in a special collaboration with the First Americans Museum. Though COVID-19 will continue to play a role in Lyric's ability to fully deliver live performances, we will remain diligent, safe and flexible as we produce theatre that is *of, by and for Oklahoma*.

- Jim Reynolds, Managing Director







MARCH 24 - APRIL 3

Location: Myriad Botanical Gardens Water Stage

Director/Co-Writer: Monique Midgette

Co-Writer: M. Denise Lee

(Above: M. Denise Lee Left: M. Denise Lee. Photos by K. Talley.)







APRIL 21 - MAY 9

Location: Myriad Botanical Gardens Water Stage

Book By: Dan Goggin

Director: Ashley Wells Choreographer: Matthew Sipress

(Above: The Cast of NUNSENSE. Left: Brenda Williams. Photos by K. Talley.)









JUNE 15 - JUNE 27

Location: Bishop McGuinness Catholic High School Pribil Football Stadium

Director: Michael Baron

Choreographer: Vincent Sandoval

(Above: Cast of GREASE. Left: Gabby Rae Jimenez. Photos by Lance Payne.)







SEPTEMBER 15 - OCTOBER 3

Location: Myriad Botanical Gardens Water Stage

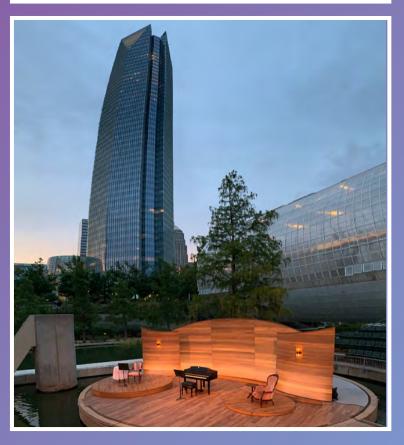
Written By: Terrence McNally

Director: Michael Baron

(Above: Christopher Richie and Natalie Cordone. Left: Natalie Cordone. Photos by Miki Galloway.)



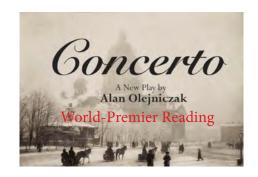












SEPTEMBER 28th

Location: Myriad Botanical Gardens Water Stage

Playwright: Alan Olejniczak Producing Artistic Director: Michael Baron Maestro: Alexander Mickelthwate

(Above: Cast of CONCERTO. Photos by Miki Galloway.)







NOVEMBER 17 - DECEMBER 23

Location: Harn Homestead

By Charles Dickens

Directed by Michael Baron & Ashley Wells

(Above: Cast of A CHRISTMAS CAROL. Left: Jonathan Beck Reed. Photos by Miki Galloway.)

2021 Thelma Gaylord Academy

Ticketed productions for 2021 included LION KING JR, IF SHERLOCK HOLMES WERE A WOMAN (non-musical play), and TUCK EVERLASTING in the spring, ALADDIN KIDS and MATILDA JR were our summer productions. In the fall we produced 13: THE MUSICAL and THE SPONGEBOB SQUAREPANTS MUSICAL, in addition to a special presentation of Music Theatre International's ALL TOGETHER NOW! production. Spring and summer productions were all produced at the Myriad Botanical Gardens Water Stage, but the fall productions had the amazing privilege of being the first ones back in the Plaza Theatre since Spring of 2020!

All shows at the Water Stage were ticketed with open seating, and the fall shows in the Plaza were ticketed with assigned seating. Outdoor productions were seated strategically with lots of social distancing. For the Plaza shows, both cast/crew and audience were required to provide a proof of vaccination or a negative COVID test result within 72 hours. All of our productions were well attended with great feedback from the audience and parents.

Ticket income for 2021 was good, especially considering that we were not expecting to be able to sell tickets for Academy shows. Overall, across both performance venues, we sold 2,523 tickets for a total gross income of \$35,460.

Spring 2021 classes, production rehearsals and performances all took place outside. We enjoyed several outdoor performances in the backlot, including voice recitals and the Spring Break Camp performance.

Summer camps were a great success. To be as safe as possible for both COVID and the heat, we split our camps to be partly outdoors on the Water Stage and indoors with masks in the Plaza room. We had 30 students for ALADDIN KIDS and 37 for MATILDA JR. We also had two well attended one-week camps at the end of summer to prepare students for fall auditions. One week camps were at the Academy Production Center, half day outdoors.

In the Fall of 2021, we rolled out our new Academy Professional Artist Training (APAT) program. It was received with great enthusiasm by our students and families, and we enrolled nearly 20 kids in our first semester! The Academy Stars (students enrolled in the APAT program) studied and worked very hard all semester. These students are required to take acting and dance classes as well as a production course and private voice instruction. The Stars were also rewarded with some fun opportunities, performing at Lyric's BROADWAY BASH as well as producing their own performance of ALL TOGETHER NOW! These students made tangible progress in their training, and the Academy teachers and directors are excited to see these students grow.

For enrollment numbers, it's hard to compare 2021 to either 2020 or 2019. But, we had great retention of students and our family base proved themselves to be very program loyal. We enrolled and met for the first time nearly a dozen students who had joined our program during virtual camps! When we finally got to go back inside the Plaza Theatre, we had a great number of veteran students who had only performed on the Water Stage.

Overall, we held good enrollment numbers for a year of such uncertainty. 2021 enrollment totaled 427, which is just a bit over half of 2019, but about 100 enrollments higher than in 2020.

2021 tuition income totaled \$240,809, which was 121% of our tuition goal of \$198,250. We also disbursed \$13,933 of our allotted \$14,000 scholarship funds for the year to 23 deserving students! Scholarship funding requests are increasing with each semester, and I'm hopeful that we'll be able to continue matching the demand with available scholarship funding.

Lyric Academy Parent Support (LAPS) booster club normally elects officers on a two-year cycle but their path from 2019 to 2021 has not been easy. Nevertheless, our amazing parents and supporters have seen us through some very tough semesters. They continued to devise ways to earn funding for the Academy and ways to make COVID-safe productions just as special for the students.

Brandi Coffman - Coordinator Lourdes Planas - Treasurer Jennifer Rother - Co-Coordinator Danielle Briseno - Secretary

LAPS plans fundraisers and special activities throughout the year that enhance and support the students' experiences at the Academy. The success of the Academy would not be possible without the time and energy that LAPS parents so generously give. In 2021, LAPS contributed greatly to the Academy providing meals for production tech weeks, donating the cost of costumes, and sponsoring all of the production t-shirts that are provided to the students to commemorate the show.

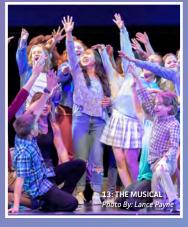
Rozz Grigsby, Thelma Gaylord Academy, *Director of Education*













LION KING JR

Director: Meagan Olson. Choreographer: Thomas Olson. Music Director: Chance Ingalls.

TUCK EVERLASTING

Director: Ronn Burton & Kassie Carroll Downey. Choreographer: Ronn Burton. Music Director: Kassie Carroll Downey.

IF SHERLOCK HOLMES WERE A WOMAN

Director: Kassie Carroll Downey.

ALADDIN KIDS

Director: Meagan Olson. Choreographer: Thomas Olson. Music Director: Ronn Burton.

MATILDA JR

Director: Ronn Burton. Choreographer: Thomas Olson. Music Director: Kevin Smith.

ALL TOGETHER NOW!

Director: Ronn Burton. Choreographer: Thomas Olson.
Music Director: Ronn Burton.

13: THE MUSICAL

Director: Meagan Olson. Choreographer: Thomas Olson.

Music Director: Sam Pottinger.

THE SPONGEBOB SQUAREPANTS MUSICAL

Director: Ronn Burton. Choreographer: Thomas Olson. Music Directors: Ronn Burton & Kim Thomas-Cobb.

Lyric's Musical Interactive

Lyric's Musical Interactive Program brings the magic of musical theatre performance to students across the state of Oklahoma. Underwritten solely by corporate and foundations support, Lyric provides Musical Interactive FREE OF CHARGE to interested schools and just completed its 14th year of original performances.

In addition to traditional school sites, Lyric also partners with local organizations such as The Children's Center, Positive Tomorrows, The Oklahoma School for the Blind and Boys & Girls Clubs of Oklahoma County to bring the production to students. Due to COVID-19 forced closures, the Spring semester was presented virtually and also via YouTube episodes! Then when school started back in the fall, we returned to the schools. Where in-school performances weren't possible, virtual options were available.

Schools Attended: 49 Students: 14,494 Number of Performances: 64 Counties Reached: 28





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Photos left to right: Lyric Kids' CLubhouse Interactive, starring Matthew Alvin Brown and Emily J. Pace, visited dozens of schools, both live and virtual, and received countless thank-you letters and drawings, including the one above.





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(2021 BROADWAY BASH! Photos By: Miki Galloway)













2021 Development Report

During a time when much is being asked of the charitable community, Lyric's 2021 season was unmatched in engagement with philanthropic individuals, corporations, and foundations with contributed support surpassing \$2.9 million. These funds bolstered Lyric's professional productions, educational and arts outreach initiatives, Lyric's Thelma Gaylord Academy, and even supported Oklahoma City's medical community by donating more than \$7,000 of GREASE tickets to first responders.

More than 750 donors made individual contributions to Lyric Theatre in 2021. In addition to their annual gifts, donors turned out to support Lyric's all-new fundraising event BROADWAY BASH! The BASH was held at the Oklahoma City Golf & Country Club on October 14. Almost 150 people joined us to celebrate the incredible accomplishments of 2021 and to strengthen Lyric's future endeavors. The festive evening included pop-up performances from Lyric's finest throughout the party, and the generosity of our donors was on full display. The event's fundraising goal was not only achieved, but significantly exceeded!

Lyric's corporate partners continued to demonstrate their optimism and belief in our mission through instrumental support of every component of Lyric's annual programming. Corporate investment in Lyric's season productions and funding which allows Musical Interactive to be free of charge to students across the state of Oklahoma continues to play a pivotal role in Lyric's ability to achieve our mission. Lyric's corporate partners' love for theatre and passion for the community has only become more substantial as we've weathered the crisis caused by COVID-19. While the need for corporate support remains very competitive among nonprofit organizations, Lyric's Development Team reached 103% of our corporate sponsorship goals.

Lyric was the recipient of grants from more than a dozen private foundations and granting organizations, including Allied Arts, the Inasmuch Foundation, the Kirkpatrick Foundation, the Oklahoma Arts Council, and the Shubert Foundation. In response to the pandemic, Lyric took every opportunity to apply for any emergency grants made available through various government agencies. As a result, Lyric received substantial funds made available by the US Small Business Association through the Shuttered Venue Operators Grant. In December of 2021, Lyric submitted a proposal to the Oklahoma Legislature for support through the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA). The ARPA process will continue into 2022.

2021 saw professional growth for the Development Team. After a comprehensive search, Lyric hired Emily Comisar in August in the new position of Development Associate. Emily has extensive experience in the arts, and has already made an impact. In 2021, Lyric's development team achieved 197% of an ambitious goal during very uncertain times.

Respectfully submitted, **Carrie Leonard,** *Vice President of Development*

Kerrie Brinkman-White, *Director of Development*

Emily Comisar, *Development Associate*



Lyric Theatre of Oklahoma, Inc.

Statement of Activities for the years 2019-2020, ending December 31, 2020

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		Without		With		W	Without	With		
	Re	Restrictions	Res	Restrictions	Total	Restu	Restrictions	Restrictions		Total
Revenue and Other Support										
Ticket sales	S	390,896	S	•	390,896	69	2,224,176	5/9	69	2,224,176
Contributions		716,814		620,032	1,336,846		442,906	672,033	~	1,114,939
In-kind donations		83,225			83,225		203,000		ā	203,000
Other programs-revenues		251,886			251,886		279,721			279,721
Special events		16,450		0	16,450		175,217		r	175,217
Less: direct expenses		1			1		(56,765)			(56,765)
Net income from special events		16,450			16,450		118,452		ı	118,452
Program advertising		31,450		9	31,450		123,700			123,700
OKC Community Foundation		39,422		x	39,422		38,736			38,736
Interest income		1,864		Ţ	1,864		5,872			5,872
Other income		99,453		3	99,453		346,707		ě.	346,707
Net assets released from restrictions		683,094		(683,094)	1		872,200	(872,200)	~	
Total revenue and other support		2,314,554		(63,062)	2,251,492	7	4,655,470	(200,167)	2	4,455,303
Expenses										
Program expenses		1,842,997		•	1,842,997		3,500,102			3,500,102
Ticket office and marketing		263,937		9	263,937		880,818		Į,	880,818
General and administrative		433,012		•	433,012		472,566		x	472,566
Fundraising		88,268		•	88,268		179,636	***************************************		179,636
Total expenses	1	2,628,214		•	2,628,214		5,033,122	-		5,033,122
Changes in net assets from operations Change in endowed funds held by		(313,660)		(63,062)	(376,722)		(377,652)	(200,167)	7	(577,819)
Foundations	U	.1		574,513	574,513		,	781,569	6	781,569
Net changes in net assets Distribution of earnings from		(313,660)		511,451	197,791		(377,652)	581,402	2	203,750
Foundations		195,067		(195,067)			235,543	(235,543)	3)	•
Net assets at beginning of year		3,545,920		6,038,109	9,584,029		3,688,029	5,692,250	0	9,380,279
Net assets at end of year	S	3,427,327	8	6,354,493 \$	9,781,820	S	3,545,920	\$ 6,038,109	8	9,584,029

2021 Finance Report

Responsible stewardship has allowed Lyric to maintain its strong financial position and weather the continuing COVID-19 storm. Lyric capitalized on the additional opportunities to obtain COVID-19 recovery funds; specifically, Lyric was awarded \$1,363,981 through the Shuttered Venue Operators Grant for use in 2021, and a supplemental grant of \$681,000 to be used in 2022.

Faced with a unique season of shows performed entirely outdoors, Lyric exceeded income expectations with 2021 net income at 130% to goal (\$1,839,636). On the expense side for 2021, Lyric was under budget at \$2,435,561 (74% of budget). Gross Income for 2021 was over \$4.2 million, due in large part to the COVID-19 relief grants and a successful year in fundraising. Individual giving was at \$448,848, and corporate sponsorships totaled \$317,000. Other revenue highlights included Lyric's Thelma Gaylord Academy program exceeding revenue expectations at \$350,895 (127% to goal), Costume & Set Rental Income surpassing its goal by \$26,500, and Facilities Rentals surpassing its goal by \$8,800.

Lyric Theatre continues to maintain a strong Balance Sheet with Total Equity of \$11.5 million. Total Assets at the end of 2021 were \$13.19 million against \$1.7 million in Total Liabilities. We have combined bank balances of \$2,993,025 as we start the new year. This secure position, along with cash reserves and accounts receivable, provide more than adequate coverage for our payables as we start 2022. Lyric's Endowment funds at Heritage Trust and Oklahoma City Communities Foundation total \$5.38 million.

New, potential funding is on the horizon in the form of federal grants being distributed at the state level. This new program called American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) has allocated \$2.9 billion to Oklahoma and Lyric has applied for a build-back grant to fund its programs through 2024. Strong and consistent revenue streams make Lyric Theatre an attractive and sustainable Oklahoma project to support well in the future.

Respectfully submitted, Meredith W. Wolfe, Finance Committee Chair

(Photos By: Miki Galloway)





2021 Facilities Report

In 2021, Lyric Theatre's facilities gradually came back into full time use following the COVID-19 statewide venue shutdowns of the previous year. Though mainstage productions have as yet to return to The Plaza Theatre, we were able to utilize the time to perform needed maintenance and air quality items in the space. And, Lyric's Academy performances utilized The Plaza Theatre in the latter part of 2021. The Administrative offices and equipment came more fully back online with the addition of staff following 2020's layoffs. At the Production Center, rehearsal studios re-opened in the Fall of 2021 for Academy classes.

2021 Facilities Highlights Include:

- 8 Reme HALO air purification modules were installed in the 3 Rehearsal Studios, PC and Lyric Admin areas, Costume Shop, Plaza Lobby and voice studios. The units remove smaller particulates, making air filtration more effective, and ionize the air to combat bacteria and virus-causing antigens.
 A similar device will be installed in the theatre space in 2022.
- Hull Plumbing installed a new sump pump in the rear of the PC for flood water abatement. It's a robust Honda pump and will last 10 years or more.
- Received a donation of desktop PC's, laptops and flat screens from Chesapeake Energy. The donation replaces Lyric's entire network of older equipment.
- Received donation of furniture and other office supplies from Chesapeake.
- Received a donation of office furniture from Frates Insurance, compliments of Lyric Emeritus Board member, Dick Horton.
- Oklahoma TAB and Commissioning performed an air flow analysis of the Plaza Theatre performance space and rehearsal studios in compliance with Actors' Equity Association air quality requirements for COVID-19 safety. All spaces now meet specs.
- No major damage from the epic February snow storm and deep freeze, although two fire sprinkler heads burst above the outdoor entrance to the Plaza Theatre. Repairs were made.
- Replaced all the gas lines in the Production Center to repair leaks and meet safety requirements. Gas heat was restored to the PC.
- Lyric's production crew restored the rows of seats taken out of The Plaza Theatre at the start of the COVID-19 shut-down. Before installing the seats, the audience area floor was repainted.
- Lyric's 2005 shop van was stolen and recovered in Arkansas. Insurance covered the value of the van.
- In the Summer of 2021, the 40-Ton HVAC unit above the theatre failed. Hunter Mechanical performed the repairs needed to return the unit to full capacity. It is projected that the unit has another 5-8 years of useful service.
- A downtown warehouse where Lyric kept several sets and props was damaged by a substantial fire.
 Lyric's A CHRISTMAS CAROL set was a total loss. Philadelphia Insurance Co. covered its replacement for the show's eventual return to indoor performances in 2023.
- Received a \$75,000 Kirkpatrick grant to purchase technical equipment needed for outdoor productions, and a Zoom TV for virtual classes and meetings.
- The owner of the warehouse where Lyric's scene shop operates extended a generous 20% decrease on our monthly rent throughout 2021. Lyric signed a new 3-year lease on the warehouse to begin January 2022 at the regular rate.

Primary Contractors Include: Air Comfort Solutions (HVAC), Hunter Mechanical (40-Ton A/C Unit), Oklahoma TAB and Commissioning (Air flow analysis), Voss Lighting (Lightbulbs and Fixtures), Terminix (Pest and Termite Treatment), Mayfair Lock and Key (Door and Lock repairs), Graco Roofing and Construction (General Contractors), J. Curry Electric (Electrical Wiring), Salda Communications (Alarms and Security Monitoring), Mollman Culligan's Water (Coolers and Water Tanks), Commercial Cleaning of Oklahoma (Custodial Services), Jake's Plumbing (Plumbing and Gas Line Repairs), Hull Plumbing (PC Sump Pump), and RK Black (Computer Network and Phone Systems.)

Respectfully submitted, Richard Riggs, Facilities Chair

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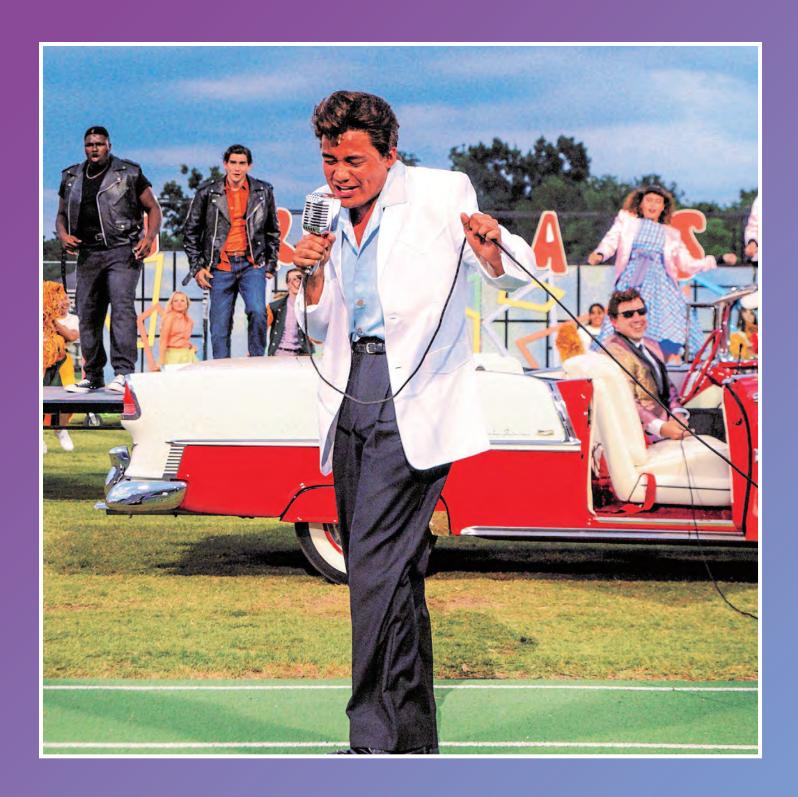
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