

PERFORMANCE!

A collaborative playbill serving the audiences of The Public Theatre and The Maine Music Society

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I would like to introduce you to **PERFORMANCE!**, the collaborative playbill for **The Maine Music Society** and **The Public Theatre**.

Did you know that over 13,000 patrons from across the State attended shows at The Public Theatre and Maine Music Society in Lewiston last season? Your audience awaits! Now is the perfect time to start advertising in PERFORMANCE! and put YOUR business in front our OUR patrons.

Our patrons are a highly targeted, upscale audience who know and enjoy high quality professional entertainment. This makes PERFORMANCE! a unique and powerful advertising tool that will deliver your message directly into the hands of this most desired demographic.

- **Your Ad in Their Hands** - Print copies will be distributed to thousands of patrons at over 65 live performances.
- **Wide Reach** - While 50% of our audience comes from within Androscoggin County, the other half travels to L/A from across the State with the largest contingents from Cumberland, Kennebec, and Oxford counties.
- **Lasting Impressions** – Online version is available digitally from the websites of **The Public Theatre** and **The Maine Music Society**.

In addition to a wise advertising buy for your company, your ad in PERFORMANCE! helps provide important support for the Arts in our community. You can advertise your business or even use your ad to offer a discount or coupon to our patrons.

The attached rate card details our pricing and mechanical requirements.

- All ad prices include full color to capture the reader's attention.
- Add a business listing for only \$50 when you purchase any size ad.
- There are preferred positions available.
- If you need help redesigning your ad or making it camera ready, we can do that too. Just let us know what you need.
- We offer flexible payment arrangements. Pay over 2, 3, 4, or 6 months.

If you have questions, please contact us at 333-3386 or email penny.smartmanagement@gmail.com. You may return your signed contract and payment by mail. We all look forward to your participation as we embark on another terrific season of professional performing arts in Lewiston/Auburn.

Best regards,

Penny Drumm

Enclosures

AD DEADLINE: August 15, 2025



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About the Organizations



ThePublicTheatre.org

The Public Theatre is preparing to embark on its 35th season of producing contemporary plays featuring the finest professional actors from Broadway and beyond, all at affordable prices. We believe theatre is for everyone and strive to create inspiring, entertaining, and inclusive experiences that celebrate our shared humanity. We tell stories that speak from the heart; that are life-affirming and uplifting, even when the subject matter is challenging. That invite our audience to see their world in a new way.

In addition to our full season of plays, we are committed to providing quality arts experiences for audiences of all ages. Over 30 years ago we laid the foundation of our education programming with student matinee performances for school-age children. Expanding in scope over the years, these programs have served over 146,000 children, family members and educators. Proud to be a cornerstone in the cultural life of Lewiston/Auburn, The Public Theatre serves almost 16,000 people each season with over half traveling from outside of Androscoggin County. We are committed to engaging and enriching the communities we serve.



mainemusicsociety.org

Of Stars, Earth & Sea

The Maine Music Society Chorale, under Artistic Director Dr. Richard Nickerson, has distinguished itself with an ever-evolving level of excellence and professionalism as an auditioned 80-plus mixed voice community chorus based in Lewiston.

The group's diverse repertoire reflects its desire to advance the cultural heritage of Central Maine, to explore a variety of musical genres including contemporary, musical theatre, classical, opera, oratorio, and to provide its members with opportunities to experience their love of singing.

The MMS Chorale stages seven well-attended concerts each year at the Franco Center in Lewiston drawing audiences within a fifty-mile radius of the Lewiston/Auburn community.

The Chamber Singers is a 15-member a cappella division of the Chorale. The group travels and performs a variety of musical styles from madrigals to pop to show tunes for various local community events such as the Lewiston Tree Lighting, the Art Club and Café Shalom as well as the ever-popular MMS Battle of the Blends every November.

The Maine Music Society is a local 501(c)3 non-profit organization committed to bringing choral music to the community's arts & culture scene through affordable quality performances, imaginative programming and artistic excellence.

2025-26 PERFORMANCE! AD SPECIFICATIONS

ALL ADS ARE PRINTED WITH COLOR PROCESSING

Color ads must be CMYK. If you submit a Black & White ad, please ensure it is true Grayscale with no color data.

ACCEPTED AD FORMATS

PDF - High Quality - Embed graphics and convert all fonts to outlines.

JPG - Minimum 300 DPI for art and photos, 1200 DPI for line art

FORMATS NOT ACCEPTED

Microsoft Word Files | Microsoft Publisher Files | Artwork downloaded from Websites including screen resolution
JPG, PNG, and SVG graphics.

ONLINE PLAYBILL LINK

This year, your ad or listing will also be digitally available to our patrons. When submitting your ad please include the **FULL URL you would like us to link to your ad.** Example: <https://myfoodisgreat.com/menu>

AD SIZES / PRICING - see reverse for actual sizes

Item	Size	Price
COVER - Back Outside	5" w x 8" h	\$1,600
COVER - Inside	4.75" w x 7.75" h	\$1,300
FULL Page	4.75" w x 7.75" h	\$1,000
HALF page Horizontal	4.75" w x 3.84" h	\$600
HALF page Vertical	2.34" w x 7.75" h	\$600
QUARTER page Horizontal	4.75" w x 1.90" h	\$375
QUARTER page Vertical	2.34" w x 3.84" h	\$375
EIGHTH page	2.34" w x 1.90" h	\$225
Business Listing w/ Ad	4 lines	\$50
Business Listing w/o Ad	4 lines	\$100
	Additional Lines	\$5 / each
Guaranteed Position	Full or Half page only	Add \$140 to ad price

CHANGES TO PRIOR ADS - Minimum \$10 charge for minor changes

If your changes require more than a simple text edit on a solid background additional fees may apply at the rate of \$20/hour.

AD SUBMISSIONS

EMAIL TO: penny.smartmanagement@gmail.com

SUBJECT: PERFORMANCE AD SUBMISSION

- Attach your ad copy – DO NOT EMBED IT INTO THE EMAIL
- Include instructions and copy for any changes to prior ads.
- Paste the URL you would like your ad to link to in Performance! online into the email.

FULL Page
4.75" w x 7.75" h

HALF page Horizontal
4.75" w x 3.84" h

QUARTER page Horizontal
4.75" w x 1.90" h

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HALF page
Vertical
2.34" w x 7.75" h

QUARTER page
Vertical
2.34" w x 3.84" h

EIGHTH page
2.34" w x 1.90" h

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2025-26 Contract

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Company Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

E-Mail: _____

Phone: _____

You may submit your ad now or later.
Ad is attached
Ad will be sent

RUN A NEW AD: Email file to penny.smartmanagement@gmail.com

RUN LAST YEAR'S AD: As is With changes *(Minimum \$10 charge for minor changes. Will be billed separately. Describe below.)*

Select one if applicable

Performance! ads are printed in FULL COLOR at no additional cost.

Covers

Back outside cover	\$ 1,600
Inside covers	\$ 1,300

Inside Pages

Full page	\$ 1,000
1/2 page	\$ 600
1/4 page	\$ 375
1/8 page	\$ 225
Business listing w/ ad	\$ 50 (4 lines)
Business listing w/o ad	\$ 100 (4 lines)
additional lines	\$ 5 each

Additional Choices - for 1/2 or full page only
Guaranteed position add \$ 140

With the exception of covers & guaranteed position, the placement of all advertising material shall be at the exclusive discretion of Performance!

Ad Size: _____ Horiz Vert

Base Ad price \$ _____

Guaranteed Position \$ _____

Business Listing w/ ad \$ _____

Total Cost: \$ _____

- Check if purchasing a Business Listing, complete the next page and enter your total as follows:
- WITH AD - Enter on **Business Listing w/ ad** line
 - NO AD - Enter "Business Listing" under **Ad Size** then enter your total from Business Listing page under **Base Ad Price**.

CHANGE NOTES:

Payment Enclosed *(Make checks payable to SmART Management)*

Bill me Full Amount **OR** Bill me Over 2 mos. 3 mos. 4 mos. 6 mos.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Checking this box confirms that your typed name will serve as your signature for this agreement.



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Business Listing Order

LISTING DEADLINE: August 15, 2025

Listing WITH AD	\$ _____	\$50.00 up to 4 lines
Listing WITHOUT AD	\$ _____	\$100.00 up to 4 lines
Additional Lines	\$ _____	\$5.00 each additional line
TOTAL Listing Price	\$ _____	Enter Total as indicated on Contract

Line 1* _____

Line 2 _____

Line 3 _____

Line 4 _____

Line 5 _____

Line 6 _____

Line 7 _____

Line 8 _____

*Line 1 needs to include your phone number. Limit each line to 60 characters including spaces. See sample listing below.

XYZ Corporation.207-555-1234
 123 Sesame St., Lewiston, ME 04240
 Professional contractors specializing in widgets.
 Xyzcorp.com



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