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### Ticket Policies

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### Ticket Office Hours

Ticket office hours are 11:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. On performance weekdays, the ticket office will be open from 11:00 am through half an hour after the performance begins. For evening performances on weekends, the ticket office will open at 5:00 pm. For matinee performances on weekends, the ticket office will open at noon. For performances in Kimball Recital Hall, Lied Center's Johnny Carson Theater, Howell Theater and Studio Theater, ticket office personnel will be in the venue one hour prior to the performance.

10 Season  
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### BERNADETTE PETERS

October 1, 2010

Tony Award® winning Broadway and Film Star Bernadette Peters will make her Lied Center debut performance singing hits from Broadway. One of musical theatre's most popular artists of all time, this blockbuster show will be a season highlight!



### THE FLYING KARAMAZOV BROTHERS

October 9, 2010

With comedy, theatre, music and juggling, this internationally famous troupe will entertain children of all ages. The New Yorker calls them "nimble of wit as they are of hand!" From the beginning, it has been their intention to blend the worlds of art, improvisation, word play, harmony, emotion and virtuosity into a unique form of entertainment. Fire juggling men in kilts!



### ROCKAPPELLA

October 6, 2010

From TV's "Carmen Sandiego" to their award-winning CD, Rockapella sits atop the world of vocal performance. This fall, hear this world famous vocal sensation perform hits like "Here Comes the Sun," "Pretty Woman," and "My Girl." Rockapella is the most exhilarating group in a capella.



### AXIS DANCE

October 8, 2010

The Chicago Tribune says the AXIS Dance Company "shakes up the very concept of dance," with cutting edge, contemporary works by dancers with and without disabilities. A visually stunning dance event!



**FIDDLER ON THE ROOF**

**October 12-13, 2010**

The Tony Award®-winning musical that includes the classics "Matchmaker, Matchmaker," "If I Were A Rich Man" and "Sunrise, Sunset" returns. Come see the national Broadway tour of one of Broadway's greatest musicals!

**WAYNE BERGERON with THE NEBRASKA JAZZ ORCHESTRA**

**October 15, 2010**

Maynard Ferguson's longtime lead trumpet player, Wayne Bergeron, headlines with the Nebraska Jazz Orchestra. This concert features "Waynard plays Maynard," taking us into the stratosphere!



**CAPITOL STEPS – October 21, 2010**

The only people in Washington funnier than the politicians, the Capitol Steps find satirical humor in the headlines of our everyday news. Watch this troupe make fun of left and right in "Obama Mia!"  
*Contains adult content.*



**MANY MOCCASINS**

**Oct. 25, 2010**

Great Plains Room, East Campus  
Many Moccasins and special guest Moses Brings Plenty, well known as a part of the international music group "Brule," provide an exciting evening of Native American dance and music.



**VLADIMIR FELTSMAN**

**October 26, 2010**

Pianist Vladimir Feltsman's vast repertoire encompasses music from the Baroque to 20th-century composers. Called "quite simply an amazing pianist" by The New York Times. Originally from Russia, this international award-winning pianist has been a featured soloist with the New York Philharmonic, San Francisco Symphony and the Aspen Music Festival.



**"A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM" by AQUILA THEATRE CO.**

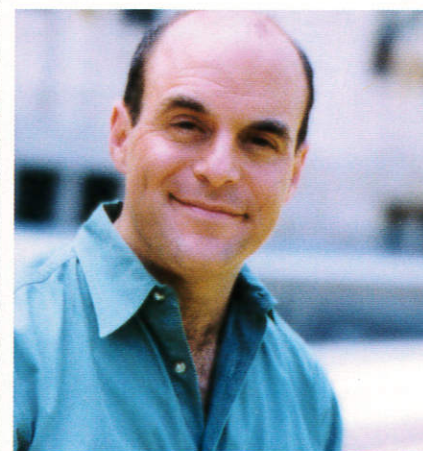
**November 5, 2010**

This award-winning company brings Shakespeare to the Lied, performing one of drama's most popular comedies.



**BARRAGE – November 12, 2010**

Barrage is a high-octane fiddle-fest featuring an eclectic mix of music, song and dance the Los Angeles Times describes as "Stomp meets Riverdance." Come see this group of seven fiddles thundering together as they dance up a storm. A fiery, thrilling, blitz of a show you must see to believe!



**PETER SAGAL, HOST OF "WAIT, WAIT, DON'T TELL ME!"**

**November 6, 2010**

Share an intimate night of stories and laughter when NPR's Peter Sagal makes his debut at the Lied.



**HANK AND MY HONKY TONK HEROES**

**November 23, 2010**

From Nashville to New York, Jason Petty has received critical acclaim for his tribute to country legend, Hank Williams. Enjoy all the hits including "Your Cheatin' Heart," "Hey Good Lookin'," "Kaw-Liga," "I'm So Lonesome I Could Cry" and "Lovesick Blues."



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**SPAMALOT – Nov. 30 - Dec. 1, 2010**

Telling the legendary tale of King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table, and featuring a bevy of beautiful show girls, not to mention cows, killer rabbits, and French people, Monty Python's Spamalot has been hailed as "a no-holds-bar hit" by the New Yorker and won the 2005 Tony® for Best Musical. *Some dialogue and situations may be inappropriate for knights and damsels under age 12.*

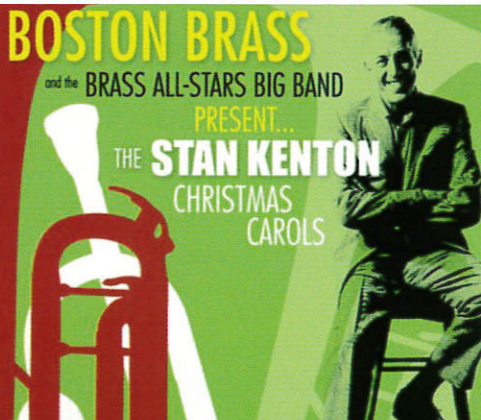


**BLUE MAN GROUP – January 28-30, 2011**

Making its debut at the Lied, Blue Man Group will thrill Lincoln with its fast and furious theatrical extravaganza. Escape the ordinary and surround yourself in an explosion of comedy, music, and technology. The New York Times calls Blue Man Group "one of the most delightful performance pieces ever staged."

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**Christmas Bells Are Swingin'**  
Boston Brass & the Brass All-Stars Big Band  
**December 11, 2010**

Featuring 14 horns with a rhythm section performing the famous Stan Kenton Christmas Carols and other holiday hits, this jolly concert is a big band holiday music jubilation!



**JOSHUA BELL**

**January 23, 2011**

"The greatest American violinist active today" - *The Boston Herald*  
Classical music superstar Joshua Bell has been a featured soloist with almost every leading major orchestra in the world. A GRAMMY® award winner, Bell was the featured violinist on the Oscar winning film, *The Red Violin*, and is the most celebrated American violinist of the modern era.

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**THE OFFICIAL BLUES BROTHERS REVUE**

**February 4, 2011**

Sanctioned by Dan Aykroyd and the Belushi estate, this live concert combines the comedy and hits from the original "Blues Brothers" movie and pays homage to Chicago's rich music history.



**ALICE IN WONDERLAND: THE EUGENE BALLETT**

**February 18, 2011**

Classical ballet meets fantasy masks, stunning costumes and narration in this wacky adaptation for all ages.



**HARLEM GOSPEL CHOIR**

**February 19, 2011**

Dynamic and inspirational performances have made the Harlem Gospel Choir the most famous gospel choir in America today.



## BRANFORD MARSALIS & TERENCE BLANCHARD

February 25, 2011

Two jazz luminaries join forces for one night only as Grammy®-winning trumpeter Blanchard meets with legenday saxophonist Marsalis. Supported in part by the Ruth Amen Endowment



## CHOO CHOO SOUL

March 2, 2011

Disney's hit show steams in with a beat boxing, break dancing extravaganza. Great family entertainment!

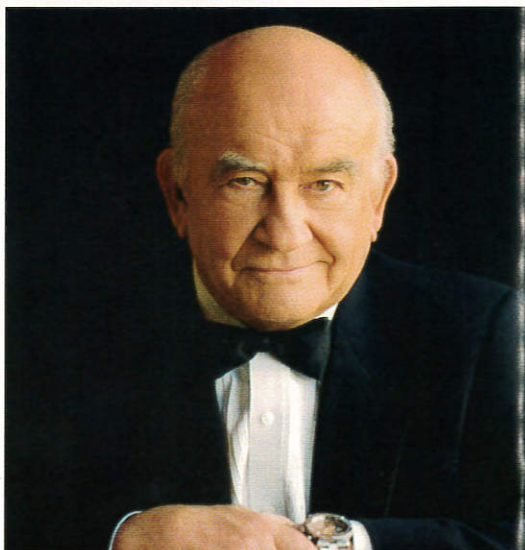


## CAPE TOWN PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA

February 26, 2011

This major international orchestra from South Africa will perform Bernstein's Overture to Candide, Barber's Adagio for Strings, Korngold's Concerto for Violin and Orchestra in D Major, Op. 35, and Rimsky-Korsakov's Sheherazade, Op. 35 with solo violinist Phillipe Quint. The Philharmonic will be conducted by Martin Panteleev.

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## ED ASNER in "FDR"

March 3, 2011

Ed Asner, recipient of seven Emmy Awards®, five Golden Globe Awards®, and member of the TV Academy Hall of Fame, gives a fearless solo performance in "FDR."

Supported in part by the Burket Graf Endowment



## A CHORUS LINE – March 5-6, 2011

Every drop of sweat, every hour of training, every day of their lives – it's the one opportunity to do what they've always dreamed of. Seventeen Broadway dancers put their dreams on the line. This singular sensation is the longest-running American Broadway musical ever, and has earned 9 Tony® Awards. Come see the first performance of "A Chorus Line" at the Lied!



## ALVIN AILEY AMERICAN DANCE THEATRE

March 8, 2011

The world's greatest modern dance company returns! Called "fierce" by *The New York Times*, this special once in a decade visit will awe even the most devoted dance fans.

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## GARRISON KEILLOR

March 10, 2011

The best-selling author, Grammy Award winner and host of NPR's "A Prairie Home Companion," which broadcasts to over 3 million listeners each week, returns to the Lied Center with more homespun tales of Lake Wobegone days.



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## THE ELDERS – March 17, 2011

Celebrate St. Patrick's day with the international Celtic rock band The Elders, a raucous musical brouhaha of amped-up roots rock, powerful vocals, blazing instrumentals and top-notch songwriting to shout from the rooftops about!



## THE COUNT BASIE ORCHESTRA

March 18, 2011

"The Count Basie Orchestra proves it's the best...one magnificent band...the precision and flair were things to savor, and to marvel at!" - *The New York Post*

The legendary Count Basie Orchestra brings to the Lied the timeless music of one of the swinging kings of jazz.



## APRIL VERCH

March 30, 2011

Fiddle champion and step dancer April Verch brings her band for a concert that features an irresistible blend of Celtic, jazz, folk and bluegrass music for all ages!



## LOS LONELY BOYS

April 9, 2011

With their Grammy®-winning single "Heaven," Los Lonely Boys presents a signature blend of Latin rhythms, searing guitar leads and impeccable harmonies, tracing their musical lineage through the tradition of Carlos Santana, The Beatles, Tony Joe White, and The Doors. Don't miss this Lied Center debut concert!



## MENOPAUSE: THE MUSICAL

April 1-2, 2011

Memory loss, hot flashes, night sweats, and more!

"Menopause The Musical" is a joyful musical parody set to classics like "Puff, My God I'm Draggin'" and "Stayin' Awake, Stayin' Awake" that will have you cheering and dancing in the aisle!



## JON NAKAMATSU

April 7, 2011

World renowned pianist Jon Nakamatsu returns to Lincoln. A Van Cliburn gold medalist, Nakamatsu is one of the premiere pianists in America.

**SYLVIA MCNAIR**  
April 14, 2011  
Praised worldwide for incredible vocal talent, Grammy® Award winner McNair is one of the most sought after singers of classical and the American song book.



James C. and Rhonda Seacrest



## IMAGO THEATRE

April 16, 2011

Come see what the New York Times describes as "Curious Critters that leave you feeling giggly." See Penguins, Frogs, Lizards and other zany creatures and allow your imagination to travel to a world of live human animation For ages 5-105!



## "SIMPLY SINATRA" WITH STEVE LIPPIA

April 29, 2011

Hailed by Sinatra's own music director as "the best young singer I've heard in 25 years," Steve Lippia wraps up the season with his tribute to the Chairman of the Board.



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