

COMING ATTRACTIONS

THE EMPEROR'S NEW CLOTHES
by Birmingham Children's Theatre
January 11 through February 13

The setting is a land far, far away. The Emperor is concerned with having the grandest clothes in the empire for the Grand Ball. The fun begins when the "Doctor of Tailorology" develops a suit of clothes guaranteed to separate the fools from the wise men. For these clothes are visible to all but the "unforgiveably stupid!" A classic take of Hans Christian Andersen, directed by David Wilborn.

ALADDIN by Birmingham Children's Theatre
April 6 through May 8

This play is magnificent with the beauty and magic and mystery of the Arabian nights. Aladdin enters the mystical cave to find the magic lamp of the Geni. Comedy, suspense, and the excitement of helping Aladdin defeat the Evil Magician make this an ideal theatrical experience. Written and directed by Dr. Aubrey Berg.

THE THREE CUCKOLDS by UAB Theatre
February 14-18 at 8:00 pm and February 19 at 2:00 pm at
the Bell Theatre

The Three Cuckolds is a play created by Leon Katz from an anonymous scenario of the commedia dell'arte. Three dense husbands, three pretty wives, a very clever servant, acrobatics, old jokes, bright colors, and the original slapstick.

You'll live happily ever after.

UAB DANSCAPE
March 2 & 3 at 8:00 pm at the Bell Theatre

Another exciting evening of Modern Dance!



and

Birmingham Children's Theatre

present

Charles Dickens'

A Christmas Carol



School Performances - December 7, 8, 9, 12, 1983

Public Performances - December 9, 10, 1983, 7:30 p.m.

A Christmas Carol

by Charles Dickens
Dramatized by Darwin Reid Payne

Rick Plummer
Director

Eric and Barbara Olson Jeff Todhunter
Scenic and Costume Design Additional Costume Design

Edith Barnes Sheila Plummer
Choreographer Music Direction

Morgan Billingsley
Lighting Design

Cast

Ebenezer Scrooge Jack Cannon
Bob Cratchit Lewis Munn Armstrong, Jr.
Mr. Boswell. Mitchell Lackey
Mr. Johnson. Bruce Robertson
Scrooge's Nephew Jim Thompson
A Beggar Brad Haughton
The Ghost of Marley. Rick Plummer
The Spirit of Christmas Past Stacey Keenan
Fezziwig Guy Payne
Mrs. Fezziwig Caroline Marx
Young Ebenezer Judd McCluney
Dick Wilkins Johnny Armstrong
A Fiddler. Johnny Armstrong
The Spirit of Christmas Present. David Loggins
Peter Cratchit John Champion
Belinda Cratchit Anna Grace Baker
Mrs. Cratchit. Robin Harris
Tiny Tim Luke Dollar
Martha Cratchit. Deborah Phippin
The Spirit of Christmas Future Mitchell Lackey
An Old Crone Caroline Marx
An Old Man Joe Ray
First Businessman Van Wharton
Second Businessman Larry Jurgens
Boy. Wilson Green

Dancers and Citizens of London Daniel Farris
Francie Holder, Katie Bowman, Lesli Bass,
Dawn Nelson, Lisa Jackson, Sally Dollar,
Darlene Horner, Sandi Gibson, Sal Griffis
Understudy for Peter Daniel Farris
Understudy for Belinda Francie Holder

*The action of the play takes place in the city of London.
The time is Christmas Eve and Christmas morning of the
year 1843.*

Production Staff

Production Stage Manager. Bill Marlowe
Assistant to the Director Jill Hays
Technical Director. T. Gary Weatherly
Costume Shop Supervisor Helen Robbins
Costume Shop Assistant. Jeff Todhunter
Prop Master Doug deVille
Prop Mistress Caroline Marx
Sound Jill Hays
Prop and Costume Crew Susan Snow, Chris Clark

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