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Looser, Funnier, and a Little Wilder: Introducing Village Theatre Presents

**New performances added to 2026-2027 Calendar
General public tickets on sale September 9**

ISSAQUAH, WA (August 26, 2026) - Village Theatre today announced **Village Theatre Presents**, a new series that opens its stages to entertainment the theatre did not create but could not resist bringing in – most of it skewing delightfully “adult.” The inaugural lineup features **comedy, cabaret, and more** from around the Puget Sound and beyond, presented for limited engagements in Issaquah and Everett.

In its subscription season, Village Theatre fills its stages with musicals and plays cast, directed, designed, and built in-house. Village Theatre Presents offers something different: visiting artists and companies, lighter-on-spectacle productions, and performances built around the talent in the room. Audiences can expect **fresh energy, plenty of humor, and a genuinely great night out.**

Village Theatre Presents events are single-ticket-only and are not included in Mainstage subscriptions. Tickets go on sale Wednesday, August 26, for Village Theatre subscribers and donors, and **Wednesday, September 9**, for the general public, at VillageTheatre.org and through the Village Theatre box office.

“We’re thrilled to bring a brand-new wing of programming to Village,” said Artistic Director **Adam Immerwahr**. “Now our fans have even more shows to see—especially at our venues in Everett, Wash. From drag beautyshop performers with a holiday show so deliciously naughty it would make Santa blush (and he’s seen some things!), to a romantic Valentine’s Eve cabaret featuring beloved Seattle musical theater icons, **Village Theatre Presents has something special for absolutely everyone.**”

The inaugural Village Theatre Presents series lineup includes:

A Very Die Hard Christmas

Written by JEFF SCHELL and THE HABIT

Directed by MARK SIANO

Everett Performing Arts Center · November 21-29, 2026

Yippee-Ki-Yay — it's back! After last year's sold-out run, **The Habit** returns with their outrageous spoof comedy that is sure to blow the roof off the joint. Perfect for those who like their holiday entertainment with lots of action, 80s jokes, soft rock jams, and villains sassier than your in-laws. It's festive. It's explosive. It's one weekend only. And unlike fruitcake, it won't last forever. So grab your tickets now, because nothing says Christmas cheer like Nerf guns, nefarious terrorists, and a barefoot hero in a duct vent.

Oy Vey in a Manger

DRAGAPELLA!® featuring THE KINSEY SICKS

Everett Performing Arts Center · December 16-20, 2026

It's the most fabulous show in town! America's Favorite Beautyshop Quartet, **DRAGAPELLA!®** make their long-awaited Everett debut with this irreverent holiday smash. Four performers in glorious drag — and even more glorious four-part harmony — skewer the season with three decades' worth of bawdy, brilliant wit. Naughty, never nice, and not-to-be-missed. *(Recommended for adults.)*

Titanish

Written by JEFF SCHELL and RYAN DOBOSH

Music and Lyrics by MARK SIANO and JOHN KRANZ

Directed by MARK SIANO

Everett Performing Arts Center · April 16-25, 2027

Seattle's beloved sketch troupe **The Habit** takes the most melodramatic blockbuster of the '90s and sends it straight to the bottom of the sea. Crashing onto the shores of Everett, this 2022 Broadway World Critic's Choice winner for Best New Musical is a power-ballad-packed parody with rapid-fire jokes and one very famous iceberg. It's 9 times funnier than the original, and a full 90 minutes shorter.

Please note: This is not the Celine Dion jukebox musical parody currently playing on Broadway. We'll only make you sit through one Celine song.

An Improvised Musical!

Featuring the WE HAVE SOME NOTES ensemble

Cope Gillette Theatre, Everett · October 9, 2026 and June 26, 2027

Hunt Family Theatre, Issaquah · February 5 and May 21, 2027

Welcome to the exclusive premiere of a musical co-created by you, with a new theme every show (monsters, love, history, angst). Give them a title, a suggestion, anything — then, with Broadway in their hearts and chaos

in their hands, this ensemble and live band build a full-length musical from scratch, right there on the stage. No script. No plan. Every song, scene, and plot twist is invented in the moment — which means tonight's show exists exactly once. Packed with hilarious characters, unforgettable songs, and all the energy of Broadway, it's a one-of-a-kind musical theater experience you'll never forget.

My Funny Valentine

Featuring BOBBI KOTULA and ERIC ANKRIM

Hunt Family Theatre, Issaquah · One-night-only cabaret · February 13, 2027

For one night only, the Hunt Family Theatre turns into the most romantic room on the Eastside. The evening unfolds in two acts, one performer at a time — each 45-minute set built from the musical theater songbook's most romantic corners: the songs you know by heart, and a few you'll wish you did. Cabaret, done the classic way: two performers, a few instruments, and a room small enough to feel every note.

ABOUT VILLAGE THEATRE

Based in Issaquah, Wash., with operations in Everett, Wash., Village Theatre is a leading producer of musical theater in the Pacific Northwest. Producing entertaining, quality productions since 1979, Village has grown into one of the region's best-attended theatres. Village is nationally recognized for its contribution to the development of new musicals, having supported the creation of more than 180 new works to date; and also takes pride in nurturing tomorrow's audiences through its Youth Education programs, serving thousands of young people and their families annually.

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