## Our Story

We are so passionate and truly love what we do!!

For 24 years, the Bluewater Summer Playhouse has been bringing live theatre to Kincardine and it remains the only professional theatre in Bruce County.

Over that time, we have shared thousands of performances with you – our loyal and supportive audiences. We attract audiences of more than 3000 people per year. More than half come from out of town and many come to shop and dine in Kincardine before attending our performances.

We have employed over 60 local students helping them gain experience from theatre professionals and earn money for school. We have operated a summer drama camp inspiring up to 50 youth per year aged 6-12 years.

As a non-profit, arts organization, it is always a balancing act between budgets and affordable ticket prices. We could use your help!



## Membership Drive

Following a few lean years, a combination of declining arts funding and a short-term dip in attendance, we fell into rent arrears with our Municipality.

We have since adapted our programming and taken several other steps to raise attendance in our 24<sup>th</sup> year. These actions are setting the stage (pun intended) for a fantastic celebration of live professional theatre in Kincardine in 2018 – our 25<sup>th</sup> year!

Our rent arrears, however, jeopardize our bright future.

We are asking for 150 supporters – in Canada's 150<sup>th</sup> year – to purchase a \$100 Membership for which we will provide 2 free performance tickets and a \$50 tax receipt.

(or a \$100 tax receipt if you prefer)

Members will also be the first ones notified when we announce our 2018 Season of Plays.

Contact the Box Office at 519-396-5722 or purchase your membership online at www.helpbsp.com



