



Tibbits Booster Newsletter

2006

Volunteers

2016

Celebrating 10 Years



Ice Cream Social

Tuesday, August 2nd

Make your own sundae!

Visit with volunteers!

Mark your calendar now!



2016 PROFESSIONAL *Summer* THEATRE

Driving
MISS DAISY



ADDAMS FAMILY,
the Musical



OKLAHOMA!



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Season Tickets
on Sale Now!

VOLUNTEER

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Booster
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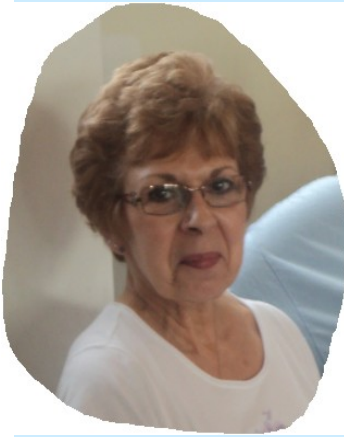
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Diane Riegel

MEET YOUR BOARD MEMBER -- Darene Sargent, Special Events Director



Darene is the Annual Events Coordinator for the Boosters, putting together our special events such as the Volunteer Reception, Ice Cream Social, and the Annual Meeting in September. She has been a member of the Tibbits Boosters for the last 5 years, and has served on the Booster Board for the last 3-4 years. As we all know, she has done a grand job on the Volunteer Reception.

Darene was born in Pennsylvania and moved to Arizona with her parents at the age of 12. Darene and her 2 children moved to Michigan in 1979. She later married Bob Sargent and together they enjoyed a blended family of 4 children, 11 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren.

Darene has done extensive traveling – one of her favorite hobbies. She has been to Hawaii, visited the Cayman Islands, Dominican Republic and taken a 12-day European cruise. Along with traveling, her hobbies include reading, gardening, bicycling, and walking outdoors.

After retiring from CHC as the Administrative Assistant, Darene has been volunteering at the Health Center in Out Patient Services, Drew's place in Hillsdale, and the Tibbits. Aside from serving on the Booster board, she also has helped with Auction solicitation, office work, and ushering. Mighty busy lady!

When asked what she likes about volunteering at the Tibbits, her immediate response was meeting all the people, learning about what goes in to the productions and everyday workings of the Tibbits, and keeping her office skills up to date. Whatever it is that brings her here, we appreciate all she does for the Tibbits. Thank you, Darene.

Volunteer Opportunities await you!



Call Pam at the Tibbits Office
278-6029 or email:
volunteer@tibbits.org



Mark your calendar for the upcoming Tibbits Summer Theatre season:

["Driving Miss Daisy"](#) – June 16-25, Drama by Alfred Uhry

[Heywood Banks](#) - June 18 at 7:00 p.m.—Humorous observations of life and song.

["Oklahoma!"](#) – July 7-16, Much-loved classic musical by Rodgers and Hammerstein

["Addams Family the Musical"](#) – July 28-Aug. 6, Enter the macabre home of Gomez and Morticia Addams as they scrutinize Wednesday's new love interest.

["Boeing-Boeing"](#) – Aug. 11-20, Hilarious farce set in 1960s Paris, introduces swinging bachelor Bernard as he strings along three airline stewardesses.

Do **you** have time on Thursday mornings to help fold programs?

We will need volunteers to help fold programs for the Popcorn Theatre and other events in June, July, and August.

We start at 10:30am at the Tibbits Office:

June 16th July 7th August 4th

June 23rd July 21st August 11th

June 30th

Joan Waterbury will be calling you **or** it would be a big help if any of the above dates work for you, please call Pam at the theatre office, 517-278-6029 or e-mail volunteer@tibbits.org

A **BIG** thank you goes to Bob & Mary Wymer, Judy Custer, Janet Johnson, Jacqui Lyon, and Darene Sargent for helping fold programs the past couple of months.

Also Linda Ives, Vicki Ruthrauff, and Pat Woirol helped with bundling brochures for delivery.

Thanks to everyone.

Thank you for summer theatre brochure distribution

Norbert Strobel	Harry & Vicki Ruthrauff
Sandy Tistle	Candace & Wallace Newkirk
Judy Cook	Marilyn Ostrander
Dean Walrack	Sarah Noblit
Diana Conant	Pat Woirol
Sylvia Johns	Marv & Betty Malovey
Debbie Jersey	Georgann Reppert

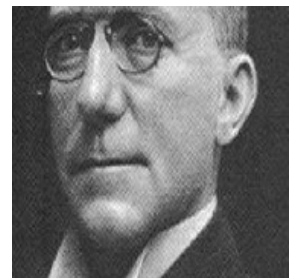


A big thank you goes out to Ralph Kasprzyk, Valerie Mitchell, Betty Malovey, Cheryl Washburn, and Caity Stayner for the terrific job they did making Tibbits shine!

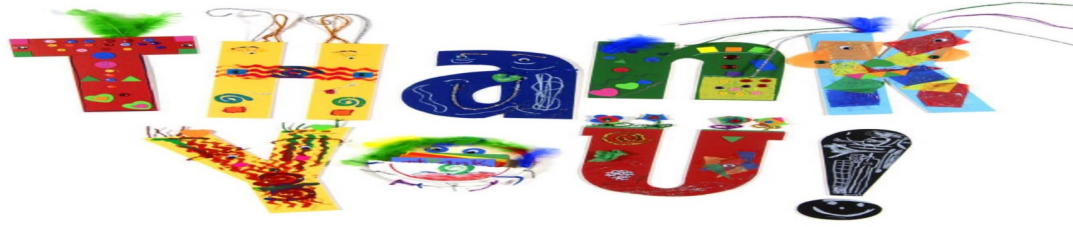
A big thank you also goes to Kerry Hamrick, Pat Woirol, and Pam Kasprzyk for helping to get the costume shop cleaned up and in order. We can't get these jobs done without the support of our volunteers!

Tibbits Tidbits

James Whitcomb Riley is a name in our lobby that many people are familiar with. He was born in 1849 in Greenfield, Indiana, thus he was called the "Hoosier Poet". He was also known for his dialect work and his children's poetry—especially his poem "Little Orphant Annie." He left school at 16 and went with his lawyer father as he traveled the countryside. He then went on to earn a living as a sign and house painter, and as an advance agent for a traveling wagon show. By 1873, he returned home and started his career as a newspaperman and poet.



He eventually found great fame with his books, Little Orphant Annie, The Raggedy Man, and When The Frost Is On The Punkin. He also supported himself financially through his appearances on the lecture circuit. He appeared on Tibbits stage in 1884 and 1885. Annie, the musical, evolved from the comic strip which evolved from his poem. Annie was performed on the Tibbits stage in 1987 and 2003, so you could say that Mr. Riley is still entertaining our audiences.



Volunteer Recognition

Boosters who have over 100 recorded hours of service
and Understudies who have over 50 hours of service as
of September 30, 2015.

Understudy:

Ella Budd
Kaitlyn Colyer
Annie Lehman
Linzy Monks
Sarah Odom
Clarissa Spaulding
Olivia Spaulding
Mary Tate

ACT I:

Virginia Avery
Carol Bavin
Jacki Bilsborrow
Jim Bilsborrow
Jean Blakely
Ann Boltz
Mel Boltz
Barbara Brott
Stephanie Burdick
Judy Bushouse
J.R. Colbeck
Judy Custer
Dusti Donbrock
Cherish Dove
Kayla Dove
Lisa Dove
Elizabeth Grace
Audrey Hostetler
Sylvia Johns
Pam Kasprzyk
Debbie Landis
Vicki Legg
Bethany Lillis
Linda Lintner
JoAnn Lloyd
Peggie Long

Congratulations to you all and
thank you for all your dedicated
hard work!

Caroline Christy
Laurie Ludlow
Marv Malovey
Lynn Marshall
Alex Marshall
Susan Mitoska
Janice Morrison
Jean Morrison
Curtis Odom
Marilyn Ostrander
Cindy Paul
Georgeanna Reed
Georgann Reppert
Grace Reynolds
Lauri Rowe
Ray Sebastian
Dee Smith
Karen Smith
Mary Gail Stevens
Julie Stratos
Larry Todak
Laris Vorce
Vena Wade
Waive Wardwell
Joan Waterbury
Kitty Wilcox
Paul Winbigler
Jennifer Wingard
Monica Wyss

Act II:

Jeanne Asher
Jan Borer
Stan Bushouse
Judy Cook
Janet Cox
Betty Dearing
Nan Donay
Amy Fenner
Suzanne Fillmore
Wava Gano
Keith Gardner
Linda Gardner
Cathy Gordon
Shana Grife
Barb Hantz
Karen Hargreave
Dorla Horkey
Deborah Jersey
Jayne Lillis
Nancy Mahle
Betty Malovey
Carol Malovey
Barbara Mullally
Candace Newkirk
Vera Renshaw
Nancy Sprow

Curtain Call:

Diana Conant
Sharon Duchi-
Bloom
Evelyn Grimes
Kerry Hamrick
Randall Hazelbaker
Kenny Morris
Kay Riegel
Darene Sargent
Molly VanStone
Lois Voss
Cheryl Washburn

Ovation:

Shirley Easterday
Sandy Tistle
Ken Washburn
Connie Winbigler

Encore:

Sabrina
Aughenbaugh
Marianne Hodson
Cindy James
Julia Littley
Connor Michael
Tirsha Odisher
Laura Odom
Diane Riegel
Ruth Scheidler
Joan Spaulding
Jean Swart
Marisue Taylor
Angela Washburn
Erin Washburn