Save the Date! April 22-25, 2015 7:30pm
Workers’ Memorial Theater Project 2015
Putting Workers’ Health and Safety Front Stage

These Shining Lives, by Melanie Marnich
Directed by Karen Wells
Presented by
The Grasse River Players
and
The Occupational Health Clinical Center
with support from our Major Sponsors:
The Canton Community Fund
The Workforce Development Institute
And
The Jefferson, Lewis, and St. Lawrence Counties Central
Trades and Labor Council, AFL-CIO

April 22-25, 2015, 7:30PM
Unitarian Universalist Church of Canton

The Workers’ Memorial Theater Project 2015
In honor of Workers’ Memorial Day — an international day of remembrance of those who lost life and limb in the workplace or from workplace exposures, commemorated on April 28th each year — the Grasse River Players and the Occupational Health Clinical Center present:

• Four performances of These Shining Lives
• 36-page historical and educational booklet
• Displays about workers’ health and safety
• Post-show discussions

A Powerful Tribute
These Shining Lives, by Melanie Marnich tells the story of the “Radium Girls”, young women, in the 1920’s and 30’s, who earned a living by painting watch and clock faces with radium-infused paint, in order to make the time pieces glow in the dark. Nobody questioned the safety of radium in 1922, when the US Radium Corporation started making watches in Ottawa, Illinois, as radium was thought to be a cure-all. Once the connection between the radium in the paint and the debilitating and disfiguring illnesses that took the lives of so many women could not be denied, some of the girls sued the companies responsible. The true story of these young female workers who tried, as they were dying, to have their voices heard over the voices of corporate power is a powerful tribute to their courage. The plight of the Radium Girls became an impetus for tighter occupational health and safety laws nationwide.

For more information on this event or how to become a sponsor
Contact: Relani Prudhomme 315-744-0651 or prudhomr@upstate.edu

Location Details:
Unitarian Universalist Church of Canton
3 1/2 East Main Street, Canton, NY
How Can You Help?  There are many ways that you and/or your agency can help to sponsor this event.  Please let us know how we can count on you to make this event a success by completing the form below:

Please, complete and print and mail/fax or scan and email to: Relani Prudhomme at OHCC, 39 West Main St., Canton, NY 13617 or at fax: (315) 714-2275 or at email: prudhomr@upstate.edu or fill it out online at   http://goo.gl/forms/T6h8XhPqq

Workers’ Memorial Theater Project 2015
Sponsorship Guide:
Help put Workers’ Health and Safety Front Stage!
In honor of Workers’ Memorial Day, the Occupational Health Clinical Center and the Grasse River Players are putting Workers’ Health and Safety front stage with the production of These Shining Lives, by Melanie Marnich on April 22-25, 2015 at 7:30pm at the Canton Unitarian Universalist Church.  Up to 800 Canton-area residents will be able to attend and receive a 36-page show program and resource guide and participate in post-show discussions on the themes raised by the play.

PROGRAM/GUIDE ADS and REMEMBRANCE GIFTS  Organizations, unions, businesses, families and others recognized for support via ‘ad’ in show program - can be done in memory of or to recognize others.  All contributions made by March 6, 2015 will be recognized in the Show Program and Historical Guide.  Major Sponsors also will be recognized in additional ways as described below.

6 OPTIONS

REMEMBRANCE GIFTS ($50)  Up to three-line listing in Show Program and Historical Guide [includes name(s) of contributor(s) along with people, places, things or events being remembered.]

Eighth-Page Ad ($100)  About 1.75 inches high by 2.25 inches wide [includes 1 complimentary ticket to a show]

Quarter-Page Ad ($200)  About 1.75 inches high by 4.75 inches wide [includes 1 complimentary ticket to a show]

Half-Page Ad ($300)  About 3.75 inches high by 4.75 inches wide [includes 1 complimentary ticket to a show]

Full-Page Ad ($400)  About 7.75 inches high by 4.75 inches wide [includes 2 complimentary tickets to a show]

Tax deductible contributions are made to: Grasse River Players (noting “Workers’ Memorial Theater Project 2015” in memo line if paying by check), Send Attn: Relani Prudhomme, OHCC, 39 West Main Street, Suite 2, Canton, NY 13617.

Ad design help OR camera-ready copy (as high resolution PDF) to: Zanne deJanvier at deJanvier deSign zanne@dejanvier.org.

Questions?  Call Relani Prudhomme (315) 744-0651 or email prudhomr@upstate.edu

Tell us how you can support Workers’ Memorial Theater Project 2015!

I would like to support attendance by
- Attending the play
- Bringing a friend or family member
- Recruiting a group of ten or more (at a 20% group discount)

I would like to help promote the event by
- Putting notices on my email signature
- Distributing Flyers (digital or paper)
- Posting posters
- Promoting the event on my website

I would like to contribute to the planning and/or content of the event by sharing:
- Administrative skills
- My time on a planning committee
- Research or health and safety expertise
- A personal story about workplace health and safety

I would like to make a tax deductible donation to sponsor the event by
- Making a remembrance gift of $50 for three lines in the show program
- Taking out an ad in the show program
- Becoming a major sponsor
- Making an anonymous gift

If you would like to purchase tickets in advance, you may include payment with this form.  Please, indicate below how many people and the date you would like to attend.  Checks are made out to ‘Grasse River Players’ with ‘Workers’ Memorial Theater Project’ in the memo line.

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