



THE PLAY'S THE THING

WE'RE LEARNING NEW THINGS AND PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE



We had a wonderful day of interactive learning earlier this month with our *Behind the Scenes* workshops! The group learned how some of our members approach directing and choregraphing, acting a new role, stage management, and auditioning. We built out some characters, learned great techniques for marking cues in a script, and even took on a few dance steps! Thank you to everyone who was able to join us - and if anyone has ideas for future sessions, please let us know.

Key Upcoming Dates:

Mar 1 - "Write with Me" - TK Writes

Mar 2 - Show proposal deadline

Apr 12 - The Perils of Persephone (tickets on sale now!)



In this newsletter you will find:

Perils Ticket and cast info, Show submission guidelines, TK Writes, and more.

Tickets on sale now!

The Perils of Persephone

a comedy by
Dan Needles

theatre
KENT



**Saturday, April 12, 2025
1:30 & 7:30 PM**

St. Andrews United Church
Fellowship Hall
85 William St S, Chatham, ON

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directed by
Keith Burnett

Tickets have just gone on sale

for this hilarious (and relatable) Canadian comedy coming to St. Andrews Fellowship Hall this April.

Perils of Persephone is a story about what happens when city sensibilities clash with country sense. Taking place in the Township of Persephone, the area is threatened when a truck that is possibly carrying toxic waste crashes into a swamp. With a town evacuation imminent, politicians are brought in to fix the situation. Instead they end up creating a cover up, which leads to a cover up of the cover up.

If you'd like to get involved, please email JC Wright at tkperils2025@gmail.com.

We'll see you at the shows!

Get tickets now >

Cast Announcement!

Eldon Currie - Josh Reaume

Marj Currie - Samantha Kelly

Wendy Currie - Ilda Lobo

Orval Currie - John Lundy

The Hon. Henry Burford, MPP - Mark Stacey

Skip Fuller - Rebecca Woods

Francis Hinkley - Crystal Horst

CB Radio - Bill Tye

Radio Announcer - Tracey Eccleston

Director - Keith Burnett

Producer - JC Wright

Stage Manager - Gina Paradis

Assistant Producer - Alyssa Burnett

Assistant Stage Manager - JoAnn McKay



Help shape the upcoming season

Theatre Kent is in our rebuilding phase, and we need your help to shape the future, starting with the 2025-2026 season!

We are looking for play submissions for this year's lineup. If you have a play you'd love to direct or see on stage, now is the time to submit your proposal. Given our rebuilding year, we are looking for productions that are manageable in scope, engaging for our community, and feasible to produce within our resources.

To submit a play please fill out the form linked below. **The deadline is March 2nd.** Let's make this season one to remember!

[Submit a show >](#)

Write together this Saturday!

It's time for our next "Write With Me" session Saturday March 1st from 10am - 12pm at Turns and Tales in downtown Chatham. Anyone is welcome to stop by on the first Saturday of every month and give writing a try. Writing prompts will be available!

There's also still time to sign up for the writing group and join in our Table Read sessions. We'll be having our first meeting in March...

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"EVERYONE HAS LITERATURE INSIDE OF THEM." - ANNA DEAVERE SMITH

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