

OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY 2009-10

Theatre & Dance

Night Watch

by Lucille Fletcher

OCTOBER 2, 3, 9, & 10 @ 8:00 PM

OCTOBER 11 @ 2:00 PM

In a New York City brownstone, a murder is about to happen...but who will it be...and where? This classic murder mystery will tingle your spine with suspense as the clues to the mystery unravel. "An outstanding Broadway success, this ingeniously devised thriller builds steadily in menace and suspense until the final breath stopping moment." — The NY Times.

Main Stage. Directed by Elane Denny-Todd

Orchestr 2010

NOVEMBER 13 & 14 @ 8:00 PM

The rich history of dance at OWU continues as Artistic Director Jill Becker and talented students present our annual contemporary dance concert on the Main Stage. Lively, energetic, thought-provoking, and always entertaining! Main Stage.

Radium Girls

By D. W. Gregory

FEBRUARY 5, 6, 12, & 13 @ 8:00 PM

FEBRUARY 14 @ 2:00 PM

Inspired by a true story, this compelling drama tells the story of young Grace and her friends, who work in a watch factory painting luminous faces, until they fall ill from a mysterious disease. They fight to reveal the truth and campaign for justice. The play offers an unflinching look at obsessions with wealth, health, and the commercialization of science. Studio Theatre. Directed & designed by D. Glen Vanderbilt Jr. *This production is presented in support of the Sagan National Colloquium.*

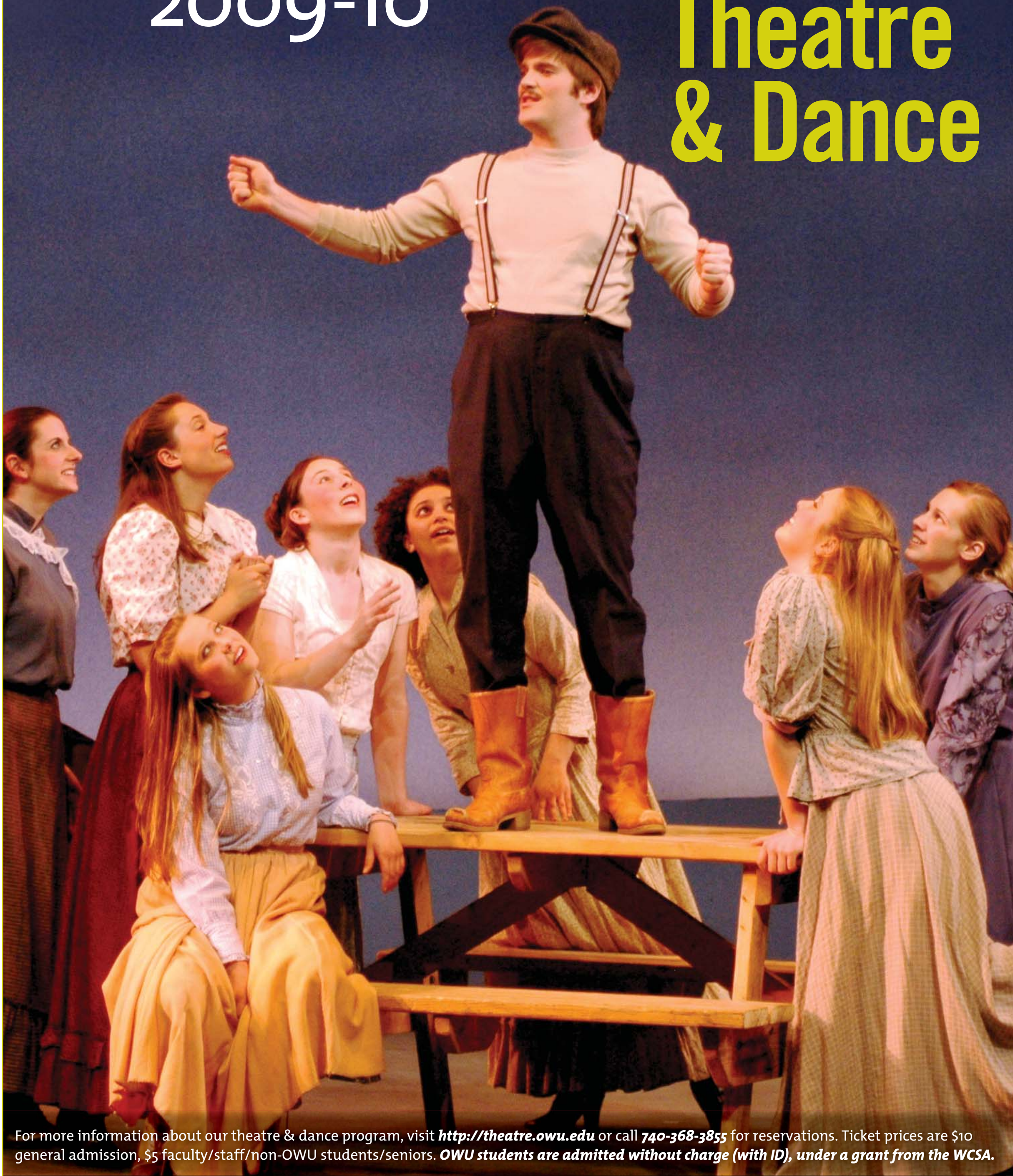
THE LOVE OF THE NIGHTINGALE

by Timberlake Wertenbaker

APRIL 16, 17, 23, & 24 @ 8:00 PM

APRIL 25 @ 2:00 PM

Classical myth and contemporary attitudes collide in this reworking of the story of Philomele, her sister Procne, and Procne's husband, Tereus. This provocative, theatrical play weaves and juxtaposes themes of love, violence, and the cost of silence. Contains mature content not suitable for children. Main Stage. Directed by Edward Kahn.



For more information about our theatre & dance program, visit <http://theatre.owu.edu> or call 740-368-3855 for reservations. Ticket prices are \$10 general admission, \$5 faculty/staff/non-OWU students/seniors. **OWU students are admitted without charge (with ID), under a grant from the WCSA.**



PERFORMING ARTS SERIES & STUDENT EVENTS

New Student Scenes

Thursday, September 24 @ 8:00 PM

Promising newcomers in scenes staged by this year's directing class. Studio Theatre. Limited seating!

Fall Senior Project Production

October 23, 24 @ 8:00 PM

Check Please, a one-act comedy by Jonathan Rand, will be presented in the Studio Theatre, directed by Joanna Van Sickle.

Other senior projects during the year will include production work on main stage productions, making an original film/video, researching exercise kinesiology, and participating in the New York Arts Program.

The Red & Black Review

October 24 at 10:30 PM

The OWU chapter of Theta Alpha Phi, the national theatre honorary, sponsors this campus talent show annually. Auditions are open and everyone looks forward to the fall premiere of the Babbling Bishops improv comedy troupe. Main Stage.

Archy and Mehitabel Performing Arts Series Theatre Event

October 25 @ 7:00 PM

By performance artist Gale McNeeley. Archy, the literate little cockroach, and Mehitabel, the morally careless cat, came to life in the editorial column of the great Don Marquis. Their wit and wisdom have been entertaining audiences ever since. Poems, stories, and comic sketches are brought magically to life. Main Stage.

Directing Class/Playwriting Class One-Act Plays

December 4, 5 @ 8:00 PM

This annual event with student directors and playwrights is often surprising, always rich and varied, and full of student talent and energy. Studio Theatre. Limited seating!

The Columbus Dance Theatre Performing Arts Series Dance Event

January 16 @ 8:00 PM

Bringing their special brand of contemporary ballet, dance, and music to the CDC stage for the first time. Artistic Director Tim Veach and a talented company of dancers are accompanied live by the Carpe Diem String Quartet. Main Stage.

Spring Senior Project Productions

February 26, 27 @ 8:00 PM

Impromptu, by Tad Mosel, and The Lottery, by Shirley Jackson, will be performed in the Studio Theatre. Directed by Michelle Lesco and Andrew Houlihan, respectively.

Spring Cabaret

April TBA

The OWU chapter of Theta Alpha Phi, produces its annual spring talent show. Sometimes an "open mic" night, sometimes a "coffee haus," the results are unpredictable. Location TBA.

