

# DANCE & THEATRE

From Shakespeare and musical theater in Forest Park to Broadway touring shows and theater from the African-American perspective in Grand Center, there are a myriad of ways to “get your culture on” in The Gateway City. St. Louis is also home to respected opera and dance companies, along with an eclectic array of independent companies and university theater departments that feature a variety of new works and new twists to old favorites. And don’t miss the Grammy Award-winning Saint Louis Symphony, which performs in the aptly named Powell Symphony Hall, or the growing number of family-friendly performances suitable for groups of all ages at the various civic center theaters and the Center for Contemporary Art.

<p><b>Dance St. Louis</b> 3547 Olive Blvd., Ste. 301 (314) 534-6622 www.dancestlouis.org</p>	<p>Bringing internationally renowned dance companies to St. Louis audiences. Performances at The Fabulous Fox Theatre, Touhill Performing Arts Center and Edison Theatre. Education programs available.</p>
<p><b>Edison Theatre</b> Washington University 6445 Forsyth Blvd. (314) 935-6543 www.edisontheatre.wustl.edu</p>	<p>The highest quality national and international artists in music, dance and theatre perform innovative new works or contemporary interpretations of classical works.</p>
<p><b>Ferrara Theatre at America’s Center®</b> Seventh &amp; Convention Plaza www.ferraratheatre.com</p>	<p>A state-of-the-art, intimate 1,400-seat concert venue inside the America’s Center® convention complex.</p>
<p><b>Florissant Civic Center Theatre</b> One James J. Eagan Dr. (314) 921-5678 www.florissantmo.com</p>	<p>A wide variety of professionally staged productions including the St. Louis Family Theatre Series, Florissant Fine Arts Council events and concerts.</p>
<p><b>The Fabulous Fox Theatre</b> 527 N. Grand Blvd. (314) 534-1111 www.fabulousfox.com</p>	<p>Opened in 1929, The Fox today presents live entertainment with superstars, Broadway shows, family shows and concerts. Behind the scenes tours available.</p>
<p><b>Grand Center</b> 634 N. Grand Blvd., Ste. 10-A (314) 533-1884 www.grandcenter.org</p>	<p>The finest in music, art and theatre and the cultural soul of the city. Home to the Saint Louis Symphony Orchestra, The Fox Theatre, The Black Rep, Grandel Cabaret, The Sheldon, Jazz at the Bistro and more.</p>

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<p><b>The Muny</b> Forest Park (314) 361-1900 www.muny.org</p>	<p>Fabulous Broadway-style entertainment under the stars at America's oldest and largest outdoor musical theatre. From mid-June through mid-Aug. nightly.</p>
<p><b>Opera Theatre of Saint Louis</b> Loretto-Hilton Center at Webster University Big Bend &amp; Edgar Rd. (314) 961-0644 www.experienceopera.org</p>	<p>Known internationally for outstanding productions featuring the best young artists in America. Opera in this style is easy to understand—everything is sung in English.</p>
<p><b>The Pageant Concert Nightclub</b> 6161 Delmar in The Loop (314) 726-6161 www.thepageant.com</p>	<p>Premier concert nightclub located in the heart of the region's most vibrant and diverse neighborhood. Designed for a wide range of music performances and unique special events.</p>
<p><b>Repertory Theatre of St. Louis</b> Loretto-Hilton Center at Webster University Big Bend &amp; Edgar Rd. (314) 968-4925 www.repstl.org</p>	<p>St. Louis' premier live professional theatre. Produces a wide variety of plays on its two stages, Tue. - Sun. The Imaginary Theatre Company tours the region presenting theatre to children and returns home twice a year to present shows on The Rep's main-stage.</p>
<p><b>The Roberts Orpheum Theater</b> 416 N. Ninth St. (314) 588-0388 www.RobertsOrpheum.com</p>	<p>A beautifully restored, intimate and historic theater. Home to concerts, theater and other performing arts. For public events listings, visit <a href="http://www.Ticketmaster.com">www.Ticketmaster.com</a> or call (314) 421-4400.</p>
<p><b>St. Louis Black Repertory Company</b> 1717 Olive St., 4th Floor. (314) 534-3810 www.stlouisblackrep.com</p>	<p>Contemporary works by African-American playwrights. Jan. - June performances, Thu. - Sun., showtimes vary. Touring productions for all ages available.</p>

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<p><b>St. Louis Cathedral Concerts</b>          4431 Lindell Blvd.          (314) 533-7662  <a href="http://www.stlcathedralconcerts.org">www.stlcathedralconcerts.org</a></p>	<p>Experience great music in a great space. Join us for an evening of spectacular music featuring the world's finest musicians in one of the grandest cathedrals on earth.</p>
<p><b>Saint Louis Symphony Orchestra,          Powell Symphony Hall</b>          718 N. Grand Blvd.          (800) 232-1880          (314) 534-1700  <a href="http://www.slsso.org">www.slsso.org</a></p>	<p>Join music director David Robertson and the Saint Louis Symphony, the nation's second-oldest orchestra, from Sept. to May, presenting music for everyone including classical, holiday and chamber orchestra concerts.</p>
<p><b>The Sheldon Concert Hall,          Ballroom &amp; Art Galleries</b>          3648 Washington Blvd.          (314) 533-9900  <a href="http://www.sheldonconcerthall.org">www.sheldonconcerthall.org</a></p>	<p>Built in 1912, The Sheldon hosts a wide variety of concerts. The 702-seat concert hall has been expanded with new art galleries.</p>
<p><b>STAGES St. Louis</b>          Robert G. Reim Theatre          111 S. Geyer.          (314) 821-2407  <a href="http://www.stagesstlouis.org">www.stagesstlouis.org</a></p>	<p>One of the fastest-growing professional theatre companies in the country presents another great season of classic American musicals, June - Oct.</p>
<p><b>Tivoli Theatre</b>          6350 Delmar in The Loop          (314) 995-6270  <a href="http://www.landmarktheatres.com">www.landmarktheatres.com</a></p>	<p>Magnificently restored to its 1924 splendor. Elegant display cases are filled with movie memorabilia, golden-age movie posters and more. Three screens feature the best new independent films plus a classic cinema series.</p>
<p><b>Touhill Performing Arts Center</b>          University of Missouri-St. Louis          8001 Natural Bridge Rd.          (866) 516-4949          (314) 516-4949  <a href="http://www.touhill.org">www.touhill.org</a></p>	<p>St. Louis' premier center for the performing arts offering the best in music, opera, dance, theatre and Broadway.</p>

<p><b>Unity Theatre Ensemble</b> 2240 St. Louis Ave. (314) 355-3586 www.utensemble.org</p>	<p>Presenting plays, musicals and original works that express the African-American experience, examine issues and celebrate achievements.</p>
<p><b>Verizon Wireless Amphitheater St. Louis</b> 14141 Riverport Dr. (314) 298-9944 www.livenation.com</p>	<p>The state-of-the-art sound system and six video screens allow concert-goers to experience a front-row view, May - Oct.</p>