The Mountaineer Players Present

Our 65th Annual Production

Anne of Green Gables

The Musical

Adaptation by Donald Harron
Music by Norman Campbell
Lyrics by Donald Herron and Norman Campbell
Additional Lyrics by Elaine Campbell
Based On The Book by L.M. Montgomery

At The Beautiful Outdoor Forest Theatre

May 26th and 27th
June 1st, 2nd, 8th, 9th, 15th and 16th, 1991.

Diane Englert—*Director*
Bryan K. Stratton—*Musical Director*

Kristie Dale Sanders—*Choreographer*

Additional Choreography By **Diane Englert**

Toni Kaye—*Accompanist*

Daniel Heinrich—*Stage Manager*

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The Play

Matthew and Marilla Cuthbert of Green Gables decide to adopt an orphan boy to help Matthew with the farm chores. The orphanage sends a girl instead. Anne Shirley is talkative, red-headed and has an overactive imagination. She would have to go back, but the longer Anne is at the Green Gables, the more no one can imagine the place without her.

Anne is a girl with a lot of love to give who has never been given any herself. To me, this play is about how unconditional love breeds more love. **Anne of Green Gables** traces Anne's journey as she strives for love and acceptance.

Author Lucy Maud Montgomery wrote from her own experience. Her mother died when she was only three years old and she was raised by her grandparents in a farmhouse on Prince Edward Island. Many of Anne's misadventures were her own. (Maud actually did substitute liniment for vanilla in a cake she served to the minister!) When it first appeared in 1908, the book was an instant best-seller becoming required reading in many Canadian grammar schools. The series, ten in all, were hailed as an excellent depiction of life on the island. The house of Green Gables and the surrounding land are now a national park.

I'm sure you will all be as captivated as I was at age twelve when I first encountered **Anne of Green Gables**. Mark Twain said Anne, "was the sweetest creation of child life yet written."

Diane Englert—Director

The Setting

Avonlea—Prince Edward Island, off the east coast of Canada. Late 1800's.

Musical Numbers

Act One

"Great Workers for the Cause" ..... Rachel Lynde and Ladies
"Where is Matthew Going?" ..... The Townspeople
"Gee, I'm Glad I'm No One Else But Me" ..... Anne
"We Clearly Requested A Boy" ..... Marilla, Anne, Matthew
"The Facts" ..... Anne, Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Blewett, Marilla
"Where'd Marilla Come From" (Reprise) ..... The Townspeople
"Humble Pie" ..... Matthew, Anne
"Oh, Mrs. Lynde" ..... Anne
"Back To School Dance" ..... The Students
"Wondrin'" ..... Gilbert
"Did You Hear?" ..... Josie, Gertie, The Townspeople
"Ice Cream" ..... Diana, Company
"The Picnic" ..... Company

Act Two

"Where Did The Summer Go To?" ..... The Students
"Kindred Spirits" ..... Anne, Diana
"Open The Window!" ..... Miss Stacy and The Students
"The Words" ..... Matthew
"Open The Window" (Reprise) ..... Miss Stacy and The Students
"Nature Hunt Dance" ..... The Students
"I'll Show Him" ..... Anne, Gilbert
"General Store" ..... Lucilla, Matthew, The Townspeople
"Pageant Song" ..... The Students
"If It Hadn't Been For Me" ..... Company
"Where Did The Summer Go To?" ..... Company
"Anne Of Green Gables" ..... Matthew
"The Words" (Reprise) ..... Marilla
"Wondrin'" ..... Anne, Gilbert

The Players

Cast (In Order Of Appearance)

Mrs. Rachel Lynde ..... Lynne Glatz
Mrs. Barry ..... Rosalyn Bellows
Mrs. Sloane ..... Colleen McManus
Mrs. MacPherson ..... Torie Stratton
Mrs. Pye ..... Teri Howard
Mrs. Boulter ..... Theresa Binger
Mrs. Andrews ..... Marion Allred
Minister ..... Brian James
Cecil, a farmer ..... Doug Winder
Earl, the mailman ..... John Francis Burns
Stationmaster ..... Douglas Thomson
Anne Shirley ..... Gail Wamba
Matthew Cuthbert ..... Doug Reade
Marilla Cuthbert ..... Tracy Maher
Mrs. Spencer ..... Beth Sherdell
Mrs. Blewett ..... Toni La Ree Bennett
Blewett Child ..... Jodi Renee Wog
Diana Barry ..... Meg Marie Frodel
Mr. Phillips, the schoolmaster ..... Walt Foster
Lucilla, clerk in Blair's store ..... Susan Griffith
Miss Stacy, the schoolmistress ..... Gail Johnson
Mrs. Bell ..... Toni La Ree Bennett

Young Ladies at Avonlea School

Gertie Pye ..... Brenda Mehl
Tillie Boulter ..... Sandra Dahlhauser
Jane Andrews ..... Katie Weiss
Josie Pye ..... Gina L. Wolf
Julia Bell ..... Jo Ellen McNeal
Mattie Andrews ..... Jennie Weiss
Ruby Gillis ..... Jennifer Christine Mehl
Prissy Andrews ..... Heidi Wog
Minnie Mae Barry ..... Jodi Renee Wog

Young Men at Avonlea School

Gilbert Blythe ..... James Bacher
Tommy Sloane ..... Brett N. Bennett
Moody Spurgeon MacPherson ..... Dan Reade
Malcolm Andrews ..... Eric J.M. Lindvall
Sam Boulter ..... Miriam Benson
Gerry Buote ..... Richard Reade

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Make-Up

Mavis Dahlhauser, Linda Helzer, Crystal Martin, Martha Weiss, Jacqueline Rosin

Properties

Evie MacDonald, Ken Michels, Rhea Natoli, Royce Natoli, Doug Reade, Susan White, Wilbur Wertz

Set Construction

James Bacher, John Burns, Carlos Ringstad, Doug Cottrill, Scott Eby, Walt Foster, Phil Giesy, Jamie Gordon, Christy Gordon, Brian James, David Jensen, Gail Johnson, Meg Kelly, Alan Lincoln, Tracy Maher, Ken Michels, Katha Miller-Winder, Doug Winder

Concessions

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Food Preparation—Kitsap Lodge

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