



# Shoestring Players

Most cordially invites you and your Community Theatre Group to the  
41<sup>st</sup> Annual ACTFest

Date: May 1, 2, 3, 2020

Location: University of Manitoba

**THEME: "Where There's a Will, There's a Play"**

Here are a few details for your information:

**Venues:** University of Manitoba – Tache Hall (Registration & Friday Welcome Reception)  
John J. Conklin Theatre  
Marshall McLuhan Hall (Banquet and Dance)

**Theatre:** John J. Conklin Theatre is a state-of-the-art facility. Built in 2016 it has 2 large, well-lit dressing rooms, a green room as well as other smaller rooms that would be suitable for workshops. The stage dimensions are roughly 40' wide x 20' deep. Grid height is 22'.

**Parking:** Parking is available free of charge after 4:30 on Friday, May 1/20 and all-day Saturday and Sunday (May 2 & 3/20). Venue addresses and a map of the University with the location of recommended parking lots will be provided to you once your registration is received.

**Accommodations:** We have secured a block of rooms nearby at the Canad Inn (1824 Pembina Highway, Ph: 204-261-7450, email: fortgarry@canadinns.com). They have offered a reduced rate of \$135.00/night (regular rate is \$170.00). Refer to Group # 304204.

**Planned Events:**

May 1	Friday (after 4:30)	Registration
	Friday (evening)	Wine and Cheese Welcome. This event is complimentary for registered attendees. \$15.00 if non-registered. Opening ceremonies beginning at 7:15pm, performance at 7:45pm, Adjudication at 8:45pm and Reception starting at 9:00pm.
May 2	Saturday Lunch	Attendees may choose to pre-purchase their lunch. The catered box lunch will include a selection of sandwich choices (on a first come first served basis), fruit, a sweet or savory snack and a beverage. See the Individual Registration Form for cost. Additionally, a list of local eateries will be provided.





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Yours truly,  
ACTFest Organizing Committee, Shoestring Players