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Believing in the power of theatre to startle the soul, stir debate and embrace the wide diversity of the community it serves, Cygnet Theatre Company is fearlessly committed to the dissection, examination and celebration of the human story through the medium of live theatre.

Cygnet Theatre is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization.

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Become an Artist Advocate

Cygnnet Theatre is a grand collaboration of artists, working together to bring magic to the stage for all to see.

Artist Advocates are a grand collaboration of donors, coming together to support the artists that make it all happen.

Artist Advocates are invited to designer forums, opening night for their 'sponsored' artist(s) and special events with opportunities to meet the artists.



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ripples from walden pond - AN EVENING WITH HENRY DAVID THOREAU
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- **COMPANION PLAYREADING SERIES**
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- **STORYTELLING ON THE GREEN**
- **CYGNETURE BOOK CLUB**

SEASON 2011-12

MUSIC BY
ALAN MENKEN
BOOK AND LYRICS BY
HOWARD ASHMAN

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JOE LANDRY

IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE: A LIVE RADIO PLAY

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WRITTEN BY
**WILLIAM
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WRITTEN BY
TENNESSEE WILLIAMS

THE EVENING

6:00 - Courtyard Reception Silent Auction

Appetizers, Wine, Cygneture Cocktail
Tiffany Jane - Vocals
Ann Seidler - Keyboard

7:15 - Prado Ballroom Welcome

Sean Murray, Cygnet Theatre Artistic Director

7:25 - Silent Auction Section 1 Closes

7:30 pm - Dinner

Prepared by Executive Chef Jonathan Hale

7:45 - Silent Auction Section 2 Closes

8:00 - Silent Auction Section 3 Closes

8:15 - Entertainment

David McBean
Heather Paton
Cashae Monya
Rhea de Armas

Artist & Live Auction

Auctioneer - Jack Berkman

Dessert & More Entertainment Raffle

Auction Check Out

**CYGNET
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LIVE AUCTION ITEMS

One-week stay for two at Rancho La Puerta

One Villa Studio Double room including all food, beverages, snacks, access to over 50 different fitness classes a day and evening programs.
Value - \$7,500



Endless Dinner for 8 at "Burlap"



Top Chef Finalist Brian Malarkey will serve dinner with libation in the kitchen of his soon to open restaurant *Burlap*.
Good after July 5, 2011.
Value - \$5,000

Three Night Stay in Midtown Manhattan

Urban adventure, daredevil design, and true affordability meet in the Hudson, the ultimate lifestyle hotel for the 21st century. Just steps from Central Park, Columbus Circle and the theater district, the Hudson Hotel is a brilliant reflection of the boldness and diversity of the city. Includes airfare for two on jetBlue Airways. Value - \$2,000



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Luxurious Seven-Day Caribbean or Mexico Cruise in Ocean View Stateroom. Includes extraordinary dining, elegant surroundings and pampering by an award-winning crew. No expiration date. Value - \$2,000+

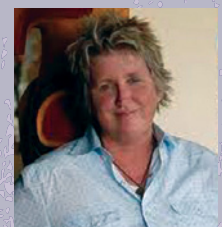


Dinner with Sean and Bill

Eight people join Cygnet Executive Director Bill Schmidt and Artistic Director Sean Murray for a 5-course meal, planned and prepared by them and served by Cygnet Artists. This event will be held in a lovely home in Del Mar. Must be scheduled 2 months in advance.
Value - Priceless

Deborah's Culinary Adventure

A Sunday afternoon dinner for 8 prepared by Cohn Restaurant Group Chef Deborah Scott in her new backyard kitchen with wood-fired oven. Includes cocktails. Value - Priceless



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