



BEEHIVE

the 60's musical



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Aretha, Janis, Tina. Let's ROCK!

Kicking off the summer in Phoenix is the high-power, all-female, all-fabulous musical revue, ***Beehive: the 60's Musical!*** The production pays tribute to the women who dominated the music industry in that era, from Lesley Gore, Tina Turner and Connie Francis to Janis Joplin, Aretha Franklin and Diana Ross.

Directed by Michael Jenkinson (Director for *All Night Strut* and Dr. Watson in *Baskerville: A Sherlock Holmes Mystery*), this lighthearted song-and-dance showstopper stars six mega-talented women. Back by popular demand, Chanel Bragg and Alyssa Chiarello—last seen together in *In the Heights*, Katie Hart of *Billy Elliot*, Brittney Mack of *All Night Strut*, Ashley Stults of *One Man, Two Guvnors*, and welcoming to the stage Phoenix Theatre newcomer, Teshomech Olenja.

With over 40 wigs, outrageous costumes, endless cans of hairspray, and a scorching hot band, *Beehive: the 60's Musical* is one party you cannot miss!

Beehive: the 60's Musical opens May 10 and runs through June 4. Tickets start at just \$30 and are available for purchase by phone at 602-254-2151 or by visiting phoenixtheatre.com.

ABOUT PHOENIX THEATRE

The largest producing regional theatre company in Arizona, Phoenix Theatre offers more programs and experiences than any other. With over 400 performances on multiple stages and thriving outreach programs, we inspire more than 100,000 citizens every year. Inextricably woven into the fabric of *Your City*, Phoenix Theatre is *Your Theatre*.

As a founding member of the Central Arts District, Phoenix Theatre is committed to advancing the performing arts in the Valley, and is recognized nationally as a professional regional theatre of exceptional quality. In this, our 97th season, we are producing eight remarkable productions on the Walton Stage of the Mainstage Theatre and in the intimate setting of the Hormel Theatre. In May, we will host our 19th Annual Festival of New Plays and Musicals presented by Caleb Reese; two weeks that foster the development of new and original work and contribute to the American theatre canon.

Offstage, we strive to give back to our community. The nationally recognized Pope Professional Apprenticeship program provides valuable on-the-job training to future arts leaders in areas of production. Our Partners That Heal program provides comfort and entertainment to children and families in healthcare and crisis facilities. Our experiential summer programming nurtures the performing artist inside each of us, promoting confidence and providing interactive theatrical and dance experiences for children, teens and adults.

Every show or service we provide is always measured against our mission – to create exceptional theatrical experiences by using the arts to articulate messages that inspire hope and understanding.

Welcome to Phoenix Theatre.

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