

Cinnabar Theater to Present "Bright Star" June 13-29, 2025

Petaluma's acclaimed Cinnabar Theater, under the leadership of Artistic Director Nathan Cummings and Executive Director Diane Dragone, concludes its thrilling 52nd season "On the Road" with Broadway's **Bright Star**. This poignant and inspiring musical will run from June 13–29, 2025, at Warren Theater, located at Sonoma State University.

Inspired by a true story and featuring a Tony-nominated score by Steve Martin and Edie Brickell, *Bright Star* is a sweeping tale of love and redemption set against the rich backdrop of the American South in the 1920s and '40s. At its heart, the musical explores the resilience of the human spirit and the transformative power of love, family, and fate. With its bluegrass-infused melodies and deeply moving narrative, *Bright Star* is a story of hope and discovery that will captivate audiences of all ages. Directed by **Nathan Cummings**, with an exceptional creative team and cast, Cinnabar Theater's production of *Bright Star* promises to be an unforgettable theatrical experience.

The cast includes: **Zanna Wyant** as Alice Murphy Nathanael Fleming as Jimmy Ray Dobbs David Bradbury as Billy Cane Megan Bartlett as Margo Crawford Garet Waterhouse as Mayor Josiah Dobbs Sean O'Brien as Daddy Cane John Griffin as Daddy Murphy Tika Moon as Mama Murphy Laura Odette Sandoval as Lucy Grant Noah Evans as Darryl Ames Katie Veale (Robberecht) as Edna/Spirit/Ensemble Jake Druzgala as Max/Stationmaster/Ensemble Natalie Burton as Florence/Spirit/Ensemble **Angie Faith Palce** as Clerk/Spirit/Ensemble Dwayne Stincelli as Standford/Ensemble Nicole Love as Dancer/Ensemble Jennifer Doll as Dancer/Ensemble Addie Lowe as Dancer/Ensemble

Creative Team: Director: **Nathan Cummings** Assistant Director: **Michelle Pagano** Music Director: **Brett Strader** Stage Manager: **Elise Clark** Assistant Stage Manager: **John Sheridan** Lighting Designer: **April George** Set and Props Designer: **Aissa Simbulan** Costume, Hair, and Makeup Designer: **Donnie Frank**

Performance Dates:

Friday, June 13, 7:30pm

Saturday, June 14, 7:30pm Sunday, June 15, 2:00pm Friday, June 20, 7:30pm Saturday, June 21, 7:30pm Sunday, June 22, 2:00pm Friday, June 27, 7:30pm Saturday, June 28, 7:30pm Sunday, June 29, 2:00pm

Venue: Warren Theater, Sonoma State University, Ives Hall: 1801 East Cotati Ave, Rohnert Park, CA 94928.

Tickets for all performances are available at **www.cinnabartheater.org** or by calling **(707) 763-8920.**

All performances are priced at \$60 (general), \$35 (full-time students and military, with ID), and \$55 (senior).

For Cinnabar Theater: Diane Dragone, Executive Director, and Nathan Cummings, Artistic Director. Performances are taking place at Sonoma State University, Warren Theater, Located in Ives Hall: 1801 East Cotati Ave, Rohnert Park, CA 94928.

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