



Ann Arbor Civic Theatre Second Stage Productions

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Anton Chekhov's

Three Sisters

directed by Susan Morris

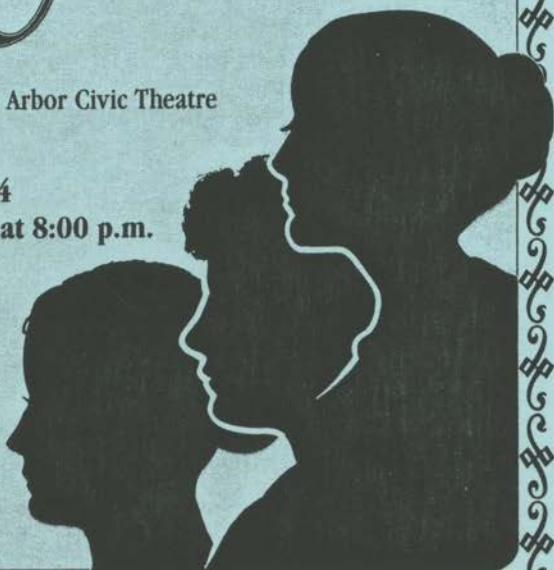
Performances at Ann Arbor Civic Theatre
2275 Platt Road

March 10-26, 1994

Thurs., Fri. & Sat. at 8:00 p.m.

All Tickets: \$8.00

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THREE SISTERS

by Anton Chekhov

translation by Lanford Wilson

directed by Susan Morris

Cast

Prozorov, Andrei Sergeyevich.....David Burkam
Olga Sergeyevna.....Mary Anne Nemeth
 (his sister)
Maria Sergeyevna (Masha).....Kathleen Davies
 (his sister)
Irina Sergeyevna.....Leigh-ann Danner
 (his sister)
Natalya Ivanovna.....Adrianna Buonarroti
 (his fiance, later his wife)
Kulygin, Fyodor Ilyich.....Martin Smith
 (Masha's husband)
Vershinin, Aleksandr Ignatiyevich.....David Keosaian
 (battery commander)
Tuzenbach, Nikolai Lvovich.....Jeffrey Magee
 (baron, lieutenant)
Solyony, Vasily Vasilievich.....Erik Schark
 (captain)
Chebutykin, Ivan Romanovich.....Leo McNamara
 (army doctor)
Fedotik, Aleksei Petrovich.....Paul Taylor
 (second lieutenant)
Rodez, Vladimir Karlovich.....Steve Harrison
 (second lieutenant)
Ferapont (courier for the city council).....Ed Leshner
Anfisa (the nanny).....Margie Cohen
The Maid/Singing Nanny.....Lenore Ferber
Musicians:Cheryl Rosenberg & Kathe Johnson (Th)
 Kay Brown & Anne Jackson (Fri/Sat)

Time: about 1900

Place: a provincial city in Russia

Act I

Scene 1: Drawing room of the Prozorov home, May

Scene 2: The same, February, two years later (Mardi Gras)

Intermission

Act II

Scene 1: Olga & Irina's bedroom, June, two years later

Scene 2: The Prozorov's garden, the following September

Production Staff

Director.....Susan Morris
Assistant Director/Stage Manager.....Robin Dall
Set Design.....Barbara Wells
Set Builder.....Jim Barnes
Costume Design.....Chris Reising
Lighting Design.....Paul Taylor
Properties Design.....Carolyn Norton
Set Decorator.....Julia Broxholm
Makeup Design.....Diane Branczeiz
Sound Technician.....Jeff Zupan
Poster Design.....Jim Donnelly
Lobby Display.....Deborah Hinderer

Crews

Set Construction.....Jim Barnes, head
Teri Booth, David Keosaian, Bob Seeman, Barbara Wells
Costume Construction.....Chris Reising, head
Adrianna Buonarroti, Leigh-ann Danner, Mary Anne Nemeth
Props/Set Decoration...Julia Broxholm, Carolyn Norton, heads
Margie Cohen, Lenore Ferber, Ed Leshner, Susan Morris,
Betty Wamback, Barbara Wells
Running Crew.....Robin Dall, head
Tracy Boyle, Charles Derr, Michael Hendricks, Jess Lundin,
Carolyn Norton

Go Ahead and Laugh...

Yes, we mean it! Chekhov has long had an undeserved reputation as a gloomy playwright. But he called his plays comedies, and there is ample opportunity for laughter in Three Sisters. In this play, as in life, not everything goes smoothly. People meet with disappointment, even tragedy, but go on! They don't take themselves too seriously, they find many things to laugh about, and they find reasons to live! These sisters are people we would all like to know. They are kind, intelligent and witty, and they find fun in their lives despite the numerous obstacles they encounter. So, yes, go ahead and laugh. and enjoy the play!

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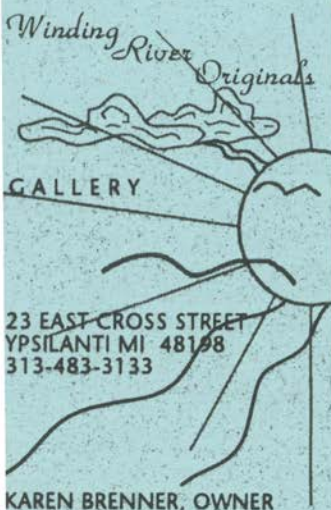
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July 7-23, 1994 at 8PM

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