

PRODUCTION HISTORY

Season 1	
1981 - 1982	
The Exercise	January 1982
Couples & Puppets	July 1982

Season 2

1082 - 1083

1902 1903	
Sea Marks	Spring 1983
Non-Rhyming Couplets	On tour

Season 3

1983 - 1984	
Chekhov & Comedy	October 1983
Pairings from Shakespeare (premiere)	March 1984
Sea Marks	On tour

Season 4

1984 - 1985 Brecht on Brecht

September 1984

Survivors	December 1984
Il Magnifico (world premiere)	March 1985
Survivors	On tour

1985 - 1986

Riverside Revival (premiere)	September 1985 (10th production)
Clarence Darrow	December 1985
Endgame	March 1986
Sea Marks	June 1986 (new production: OCTC)
Survivors	On tour

Season 6

1986 - 1987	
Painting Churches	September 1986
Eleemosynary	December 1986
Outward (world premiere)	March 1987
Clarence Darrow	On tour

Season 7

1987 - 1988	
Scheherazade	September 1987
Hold Me!	November 1987
Driving the Body Back (premiere)	January 1988
Duet For One	April 1988 (20th production)

On tour

Season 8

1988 - 1989

First Lady Lou (premiere)	August 1988
Steel Magnolias	September 1988
Waiting For Godot	November 1988
Talking With	February 1989
Thurber Carnival	April 1989
Nice People Dancing To Good Country Music	July 1989 (UNI Summer Rep)
When the Wind Blows	July 1989 (UNI Summer Rep)
Duet for One	On tour

Season 9

1989 - 1990

When the Wind Blows	September 1989
A Walk in the Woods	September 1989
A My Name Is Alice	January 1990
The Glass Menagerie	March 1990
First Lady Lou	On tour, at UNI, in DC
When the Wind Blows	On tour

Season 10

1990 – 1991 *first season on Gilbert Street

A... My Name Is Alice

September 1990 (30th production)

The Stick Wife	November 1990
First Lady Lou	December 1990
Dear Iowa (world premiere)	January 1991
The Road To Mecca	March 1991
Acts Of Passion	June 1991
First Lady Lou	On tour

1991 - 1992

Of Mice and Men	September 1991
The Gift of The Magi (world premiere)	November 1991
Two Rooms	January 1992
The Misanthrope	April 1992
Dear Mrs. Martin	June 1992
The School For Scandal (YPC)	July 1992 (1st YPC, 40th RT production)
First Lady Lou	On tour
Acts Of Passion	On tour

Season 12

Villains	September 1992
Chief (world premiere)	October 1992
The Gift of the Magi	November 1992
Shirley Valentine	January 1993
Gunplay (Staged Reading)	March 1993

La Bete	April 1993
Jacques Brel	May 1993
Romeo and Juliet (YPC)	July 1993
Chief and Shirley Valentine	On tour

1993 - 1994

Gunplay (world premiere)	September 1993	
Chief/Shirley Valentine	October 1993	
The Gift of the Magi	December 1993	
The Swan	January 1994 (50th production)	
The Wooden O (world premiere)	April 1994	
A My Name Is Still Alice	May 1994	
Wish Me Pretty, Wish Me Strong (world premiere) June 1994		
A Midsummer Night's Dream (YPC)	July 1994	
Shirley Valentine	On tour	

Season 14

Dancing At Lughnasa	September 1994
Gunplay/revival for tour	October 1994
Under Milk Wood	November 1994
A Child's Christmas in Wales	December 1994
A Life in the Theatre	January 1995
Dog Logic	March 1995

The Search for Signs of Intelligent Life	May 1995 (60th production)
The Miser (YPC)	July 1995
Gunplay	On tour

1995 - 1996

Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf	September 1995
The Little Prince	November 1995
Keely and Du	January 1996
All in The Timing	March 1996
Frankie And Johnny in the Clair De Lune	May 1996
Twelfth Night (YPC)	July 1996
The Search for Signs	On tour

Season 16

Tapestry	September 1996
The Cherry Orchard	October 1996 (co-production)
Holiday Memories	November 1996 (70th production)
Harry's Way (world premiere)	January 1997
Fool For Love	April 1997
Sylvia	May 1997
The Comedy of Errors (YPC)	July 1997
The Search for Signs	On tour

1997 - 1998	
Blood Brothers	September 1997
Kindred Hearts (world premiere)	October 1997
The Median Strip	October 1997
Jack and Jill	November 1997
Marry Me (world premiere)	January 1998
Three Tall Women	April 1998 (80th production)
Private Eyes	May 1998
Romeo and Juliet (YPC)	July 1998
Kindred Hearts and The Median Strip	On tour

Season 18

Lady Day at Emerson's Bar & Grill	September 1998
Beyond Therapy	October 1998
Emma's Child	November 1998
Small Miracles (world premiere)	December 1998
Accidental Death of an Anarchist	January 1999
Our Town	April 1999 (co-production)
How I Learned To Drive	May 1999
The Taming of the Shrew (YPC)	July 1999 (90th production)
Riverside Revue	On tour

1999 - 2000

The Elephant Man	September 1999
A My Name Will Always Be Alice	October 1999
The 7 Dwarfs	November 1999
Small Miracles (reprise)	December 1999
Stop Kiss	January 2000
Walking the Wire: Monologues at Riverside	February 2000
The Beauty Queen of Leenane	April 2000
Twelfth Night	June 2000 (in City Park)
Much Ado About Nothing (YPC)	July 2000
Riverside Revue	On tour

Season 20

2000 – 2001 (20th anniversary season)

Sweet & Hot: The Songs of Harold Arlen	September 2000 (100th production)
Walking the Wire: Monologues at Riverside	October 2000
Tartuffe	October 2000 (co-production)
Art	November 2000
Small Miracles (reprise)	December 2000
Wit	January 2001
Equus	March 2001
As You Like It	June 2001

A Midsummer Night's Dream (YPC)	July 2001
Riverside Revue	On tour

2001-2002

I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change	September 2001
Walking the Wire: Monologues at Riverside	October 2001
Spinning Into Butter	November 2001 (110th production)
Small Miracles (reprise)	December 2001
The Memory of Water	January 2002
Emily Dickinson & I (A LynchPin production)	February 2002
Side Man	April 2002
The Comedy of Errors in Rep	June – July 2002
Romeo and Juliet in Rep	June – July 2002
Two Gentlemen of Verona (YPC)	July 2002
Small Miracles	On tour

Season 22

Ruthless, the Musical!	September 2002
Walking the Wire: The 2:10 to Tulsa	October 2002
Fuddy Meers	November – December 2002
Small Miracles (reprise)	December 2002
Proof production)	January – February 2002 (120th
The Laramie Project	March – April 2003 (co-production)

A Midsummer Night's Dream In Rep	June – July 2003
Macbeth In Rep	June – July 2003
Twelfth Night (YPC)	July 2003
Small Miracles	On tour

2003-2004

Private Lives	September – October 2003
Walking the Wire	October 2003
Grocery Stories (world premiere)	October 2003
The Last Five Years	November – December 2003
The Goat	January – February 2004
Emily Dickinson & I	April 2004
Cloning Mary Shelley	April 2004 (130th production)
Much Ado About Nothing In Rep	June – July 2004
Measure for Measure In Rep	June – July 2004
Romeo & Juliet (YPC)	July 2004

Season 24

Boy Gets Girl	September 2004
Walking the Wire: Blue Yonder	October 2004
Still Life with Iris	November 2004
Small Miracles (reprise)	December 2004
The Drawer Boy	January 2005

Big Love	March 2005 (co-production)
The Imaginary Invalid(orig adaptation/premiere)In Rep June-July 2004	
The Taming of the Shrew In Rep	June-July 2004 (140th production)
The Comedy of Errors (YPC)	July 2005

2005-2006

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Prosperity (world premiere)	September 16 -24 (co-production)
Walking the Wire	October 7-9
Grocery Stories (reprise)	October 28-30
CannonballStand-up comedy	Oct. 28-29
The Quiet Moment	November 11-13
Riverside Cabaret	December 2-4 at the Englert
Death of a Salesman	January 27 – February 19
I Will Make You Orphans	March 2-4
I Am My Own Wife	March 23 – April 9
Twelfth Night In rep	June 16 – July 9
The Tempest In rep	June 23 – July 9 (150th production)
Much Ado about Nothing (YPC)	July 20-23

Season 26

Kinnick (world premiere)	September 1-3
Walking the Wire: Monologues at Riverside	September 22-24
The Lonesome West	October 27-November 19

Small Miracles (reprise)	December 9-10
Guys on Ice: An Ice Fishing Musical Comedy	January 26-February 18
A Number	March 2-4
Collected Stories	March 23-April 15
The Merry Wives of Windsor In rep	June 14 - July 8
King Lear In rep	June 22- July 8
As You Like It (YPC)	July 21-24 (160th production)

2007-08

I LoveYou, You're Perfect, Now Change	September 7-30	
The Long Christmas Ride Home	October 18-November 4 (co-production)	
goat show	November 23-December 2	
Doubt: A Parable	January 25 – February 17	
Walking the Wire: The Midwest/Beyond the Corn February 29-March 2		
Apartment 3A	March 27-April 13	
The Comedy of Errors In rep	June 13 – July 13	
The Winter's Tale In rep	June 20 – July 13	
A Midsummer Night's Dream (YPC)	July 24-27	

Season 28

Stones in His Pockets	September 5-28 (170th production)
Coffee and Hope (world premiere)	October 24-November 9
Megan Gogerty Loves You Very Much (w. premiere) November 21-30	

Guys on Ice: An Ice Fishing Musical	January 23-February 22
Walking the Wire: Food!	March 5-8
Raising Medusa (world premiere)	April 2-19
A Midsummer Night's Dream In rep	June 12-July 12
Richard III In rep	June 19-July 12
Two Gentlemen of Verona (YPC)	July 23-26

2009-10

A Dog's Life	Sept. 11-October 4
The Diary of Anne Frank (co-production) production)	October 22-November 8 (180th
Militant Language (reading)	November 4
Walking the Wire: Holiday Tales	November 19-22
The Tag Sale Project	December 12-13
End Days	January 29-February 21
Killadelphia: Mixtape of a City	March 5-14
Mary's Wedding	April 1-18
Love's Labour's Lost In rep	June 11-July 11
Romeo and Juliet In rep	June 18-July 10
Twelfth Night (YPC)	July 23-25

Season 30

2010-11

[title of show] production) September 10-October 3 (190th

Boom	October 29-November 21
The Tag Sale Project	November 26-28
All My Sons	January 28-February 20
Walking the Wire: OMG!	March 4-13
The Syringa Tree	April 1-17
Ah, Wilderness! In rep	June 17-July 10
The Two Gentlemen of Verona In rep	June 24-July 9

2011-12

Feet First in the Water with a Baby in My Teeth (WP) Sept 9-October 2		
The Cripple of Inishmaan (co-production)	October 28-November 13	
Small Miracles	November 25-27 (200th production)	
Guys on Ice: An Ice Fishing Musical Comedy	January 20-February 19	
Walking the Wire: This Will Never Work	March 2-11	
A Steady Rain	March 30-April 15	
As You Like It In rep	June 15-July 8	
The Merchant of Venice In rep	June 22-July 8	

Season 32

True West	September 7-30
Manning Up (rolling world premiere)	October 12-28
"8" (special reading)	November 15
The Santaland Diaries	December 7-9

The Exit Interview (rolling world premiere/#25) January 25-February 17

Walking the Wire" TMI	March 1-10 (210th production)
Blackbird	April 5-21
Permanent Collection (special reading)	April 22
Hamlet In rep	June 14-July 7
The School for Scandal In rep	June 21-July 8

Season 33

2013-14

Venus in Fur	September 6-29
Birth Witches (premiere; co-production)	October 18-November 3
Coming of Age in Chore Boots	November 29-December 8
Good People	January 24-February 16
Walking the Wire:	February 28-March 9
Marion Bridge	March 28-April 13
The Complete Works of William Shakespeare	
(abridged) [revised] In rep	June 20-July 13(220th production)
Othello In rep	June 27-July 2

Season 34

Red	September 5-28
Kimberly Akimbo	October 17-November 2
A Grateful Nation	November 15 & 16
A Christmas Carol (solo show)	November 28-December 14

Lucky Me (NNPN rolling world premiere)	January 30-February 22
Walking the Wire: Classified	March 6-15
Housebroken (world premiere)	April 10-26

2015-16

Shipwrecked	September 25-October 18
The Glass Menagerie (co-production)	November 6-22
Coming of Age in Chore Boots	December 4-19
Line of Descent	January 29-Febraury 21
Roar!	March 4-13
Dancing Lessons	April 1-17
Riverside Theatre in the Park:	
Fair Maid of the West	June 24-July 10
Pericles June	17-July 7

Season 36

2016-17	
Black and Blue (world premier)	September 9–25
The Taming	October 28–November 13
Every Brilliant Thing	November 26–December 11
A View from the Bridge	January 20–Febraury 12
Lady Macbeth and her Pal, Megan	February 24–March 12
Relativity	April 14–30
Riverside Theatre Summer Season:	

Macbeth	June 9–18
The Bomb-itty of Errors	June 23–July 2
(Performed at Gilbert St. theatre)	

2017-18

Bakersfield Mist	September 8–October 1
Circle Mirror Transformation	October 20–November 5
Lungs	December 1–17
Detroit	January 19–Febraury 11
Apples in Winter	March 2–18
Ears on a Beatle	April 13–29

Riverside Theatre Summer Season:

Much Ado About Nothing	June 15–24
The 39 Steps	June 29–July 22
(Performed at Gilbert St. theatre)	

Season 38

The Cake	September 7–October 1	
The Price	October 26–November 18	
Rotten Eggnog	November 30–December 16	
The Gospel According to Thomas Jefferson, Charles Dickens		
and Count Leo Tolstoy: Discord	January 25–Febraury 10	
How I Learned What I Learned	February 22–March 10	

Apple Season

March 29–April 20

Riverside Theatre Summer Season:

Henry 4, Part 1	June 14–23
Men on Boats	July 5–28

Season 39 *last season on Gilbert St.

2019-20

Uncle Vanya	September 13–October 8
Feast. (world premiere)	October 25–November 10
Straight White Men	November 29–December 15
The Agitators	January 24–February 16
Stages	February 28–March 15

Season 40 *virtual season

2020-21

Buyer and Cellar	September 11–20
No Child	October 8–18
Grounded	October 16–26
Midnight Your Time	November 13–22
A Christmas Carol	November 27–December 13
Stages	March 5–21
Sonnets for an Old Century	April 16–May 2
The Sonnet Project	April 2021
The Kreutzer Sonata	Released on IPR on August 8, 2021

Riverside Theatre Summer Season:

The Winter's Tale	July 15–25
Comedy of Errors	August 13–22

Season 41 *first season on 119 College St. theatre

2021-22

The Grand Inquisitor (performed at the University of Iowa

Main Library Gallery)	October 21-31
Eden Prairie, 1971 (world premiere)	February 4- 20
	(January 27 – February 3, preview performances)
The Niceties	March 11-27
Natasha, Pierre and	
The Great Comet of 1812	April 22-May 8
The Complete Works of	
Jane Austen, Abridged	May 12-29
Riverside Theatre Summer Season:	
Henry V	June 17-July 3
Season 42	
2022-23	
Chipmunk'd (world premiere)	September 9 – October 2
The Weir	October 14 – 30
The Flick	November 25 – 11
A Walk in the Woods	January 26 – February 12
Fefu and Her Friends	March 10 – April 2
The Roommate	April 28 – May 14
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Riverside Theatre Summer Season:

Twelfth Night	June 16 – July 2
Everybody (performed on College St. stage)	July 21 – August 6