

Ruddigore

Directed by Joe Andrews
Music Director: Dr. Randal A. Buikema

Evening Performances

Thursday, 7:30 p.m. March 10 (preview)
Fridays, 7:30 p.m. March 11, 18, 25, April 1
Saturdays, 7:30 p.m. March 12, 19, 26, April 2

Matinees

Saturday, 2:00 p.m. March 26
Sundays, 2:00 p.m. March 13, 20, 27, April 3

LOCATION:

Howard Conn Fine Arts Center
1900 Nicollet Avenue South
Minneapolis, Minnesota

TICKETS BY MAIL (reserved seats):

Adults \$26.00
Children (under 12) \$16.00
Preview tickets (general admission)
for adults or children are \$16.00.

Allow at least 10 days for processing your order.
Please use the attached form.

ADDRESS FOR TICKETS:

GSVLOC Tickets
1854 Walsh Lane
Mendota Heights, Minnesota 55118

Starting January 26, order tickets online:

gsvloc.org

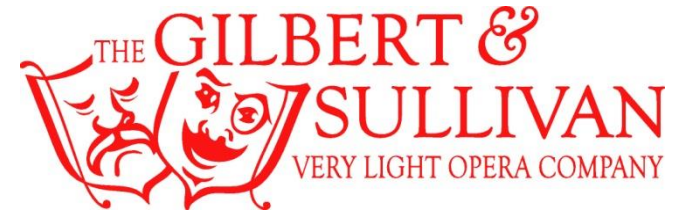
Starting Monday, February 28,
Information and Ticket Reservations:

651-255-6947 (Mon-Fri, 11-1)

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A re-mounting of our COVID-cancelled 2020 production

Ruddigore Ticket Order Form

1. Select the performance you wish to attend.
2. Indicate the number of tickets in each category (Adult, Child, Preview).
NOTE: If your selected performance is sold out, we will contact you to ask if you would like to attend an alternate performance.
3. Mail order form, check (payable to **GSVLOC**) and a self-addressed, stamped envelope to:

GSVLOC Tickets
1854 Walsh Lane
Mendota Heights, Minnesota 55118

Performances:

Thu, Mar. 10, 7:30 pm Preview _____
 Fri, March 11, 7:30 pm _____
 Sat, March 12, 7:30 pm _____
 Sun, March 13, 2:00 pm _____

 Fri, March 18, 7:30 pm _____
 Sat, March 19, 7:30 pm _____
 Sun, March 20, 2:00 pm _____

 Fri, March 25, 7:30 pm _____
 Sat, March 26, 2:00 pm _____
 Sat, March 26, 7:30 pm _____
 Sun, March 27, 2:00 pm _____

 Fri, April 1, 7:30 pm _____
 Sat, April 2, 7:30 pm _____
 Sun, April 3, 2:00 pm _____

Number of tickets:

Adult: _____ X \$26.00 = _____
 Child (under 12): _____ X \$16.00 = _____
 March 10 Preview: _____ X \$16.00 = _____
 Contribution? (See levels at right): _____

Total enclosed: _____

Fill in address, if not already on other side of form:

Name: _____
 Street Address: _____
 City, State, Zip: _____
 Phone: _____
 email: _____

Contributor name(s) to acknowledge in program: _____



Ruddigore, or The Witch's Curse, Gilbert and Sullivan's parody of Victorian melodrama, is traditionally set in the Regency Period, decades before Gilbert and Sullivan's time. In our production, Director Joe Andrews takes us decades before our time with his vision of **Ruddigore** set as a 1940s film of the golden age of cinema, with elements of classic MGM musicals, film noir, and screwball comedies.

Evening shows start at 7:30, and matinees start at 2:00. Tickets are \$26.00 for adults and \$16.00 for children under 12. All tickets for the preview performance on Thursday, March 10, are \$16.00. If you use the attached order form, please allow 10 days for processing. We can also take orders online—see below for more details. Seats are reserved (except for the preview), so the earlier you order, the better your seats. If you have special seating requirements, include a note. Please enclose a stamped self-addressed envelope to speed our processing.

Starting January 26, 2022, you may order tickets online, by credit card, with a \$2.00 fee per order. We will email a confirmation, and tickets will be held at the door. Our web address is gsvloc.org.

Starting February 28, 2022, we will accept reservations by telephone for any remaining seats. Mail and online orders will still be processed, of course. The GSVLOC telephone number is **651-255-6947**, which will forward automatically to a ticket volunteer during our limited ticketing hours: Monday through Friday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. (These hours are subject to change; the phone message will give the hours.) At other times, the phone line will offer a menu of information about ticket availability and performance details. Check for updates on our website, gsvloc.org.

COVID-19 Requirements for Audience Members

Vaccinations Required: All audience members must be **fully vaccinated** before attending a performance, **including a booster** if one's initial series of vaccinations were completed before August 1, 2021. There will be no exceptions to this requirement.

Proof of Identity and Vaccinations: All audience members must show the House Manager, stationed in the lobby, proof of vaccine by showing their vaccination card, a photo of their vaccination card, or the Docket app, **AND a national or state issued ID card or driver's license to confirm their identity.** Vaccinated children may use a school ID or the accompanying adult may vouch for their identity.

Masking Required: All audience members must **mask at all times.**

Social Distancing Encouraged: All audience members are encouraged to **social distance, as much as possible**, in the building and lobby. **Social distancing will not be an option in the theater.**

Audience Members with Symptoms: **Audience members with COVID-19 symptoms must not attend a performance.** Audience members who report that they are experiencing COVID-19 symptoms and will not be attending a performance will be offered tickets to another performance, or their tickets will be refunded.

We Invite You to Support the Gilbert & Sullivan Very Light Opera Company

Contributions to the company are tax-deductible and help us keep our ticket prices low. This year we will have the following contributor levels designated in the program: **"Prettness Rural and Sons of the Tillage"** (up to \$100), **"Bucks, Blades, and Professional Bridesmaids"** (\$100 to \$249), **"Virtuous Persons"** (\$250 to \$499), **"Noble Ancestors"** (\$500 to \$999), and **"Good Baronets of Ruddigore"** (\$1,000 and over).