

Neptune Theatre, Savoy Theatre announce the Julie Martell Scholarship Fund

June 28, 2018 (Halifax, NS) – Last night during a performance of MAMMA MIA! at the Savoy Theatre in Glace Bay, Neptune Theatre along with The Savoy Theatre, announced the Julie Martell Scholarship Fund. The fund gives Cape Breton young performers, 15-22 years old, the opportunity to apply for financial assistance to participate in arts activities either on or off the island.

Julie Martell plays “Donna” in Neptune’s smash hit production. A native of Cape Breton, Martell is back home performing for the first time in 20 years. This week, the Savoy audiences of Neptune’s MAMMA MIA! are being asked to contribute to the fund, in honour of Martell’s return.



“Thanks to the generosity of The Savoy and other local businesses that are supporting the fund, we are able to assist the young, bright talent on the island,” says Jeremy Webb, Artistic Director, Neptune Theatre. “This initiative is in line with our Chrysalis Project, Neptune’s renewed and re-imagined efforts to support and nurture emerging artists.”

Find out more about Neptune Theatre on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and YouTube channel NeptuneHFX.

Neptune Theatre is kicking off its 56th season with the summer productions *The Argyle Street Kitchen Party* and *Five Guys Named Moe*. The remainder of the new season has been announced and subscriptions available for purchase. Located at 1593 Argyle Street, Neptune boasts two newly renovated stages: Fountain Hall and the Scotiabank Stage, plus a year-round Theatre School and a province-wide Young Neptune Company Tour.

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