

Howard Community College's 2009-2010
STUDENT ARTS COLLECTIVE'S 15th Season

A Season About Miracles, Dreams... Come True!



Howard Community College's STUDENT ARTS COLLECTIVE is proud to announce its 15th Season!

Moving from a one-evening event 15 years ago... the Student Arts Collective has become a celebrated organization for its artistic bravery and unique learning environment, the Student Arts Collective, supported by Howard Community College, is a well-respected and professionally run artistic organization, enjoyed year after year... by folks just like you! The Student Arts Collective is entirely committed to offering inspiring, diverse, rousing, thought-provoking literature and projects each and every season, which promises a myriad of eclectic,

collaborative, artistic events, showcases, workshops, as well as on/off stage training opportunities -- proudly showcasing the stellar work of HCC Students, Alumni, Faculty, Staff, and Professional Guest Artists. This season, the Student Arts Collective is honored to join forces, collaborating with HCC's Instructional Theatre Program!

We're ALWAYS looking to get folks INVOLVED & EXCITED about the ARTS @HCC! A theatre-goer? Welcome and enjoy! You will be so happy you did!!!

FALL INFO SESSIONS:

The Student Arts Collective INVITES YOU to GET INVOLVED IN THE ARTS @HCC! Weds, Sept 2 & Thurs, Sept 3, 12:30-2pm, in the Horowitz Center's Studio Theatre.

These INFO SESSIONS are open to all interested in exploring Acting, Singing, Dancing and Backstage opportunities... as well as performance events on campus this season!

INCLUDES AMAZING OPPORTUNITIES to ASK QUESTIONS ABOUT WHAT'S AVAILABLE/ HAPPENING THIS SEASON! Meet a few of HCC's fabulous Artistic Entities during these open-to-all, free, TALK-BACK SESSIONS!!! Hear from HCC's Student Arts Collective, Theatre, Dance, Musical Theatre, Tech Theatre Departments, Rep Stage & More... We'll ALL be there... *(so will "What Improv Group?!?!")* to answer all questions and provide a ton of really good- to- know INFO ABOUT...

- **AUDITIONS & PERFORMANCES:** Productions, Showcases, Dance Company, Musical Theatre, Improv Group & more!
- **TECH JOB OPS:** Volunteer and Paid Technical Theatre Opportunities are available for committed folks with or without experience in the areas of: Stage Management, Run Crew, Design, Carpentry, Electrics, Wardrobe & More!

YOU REALLY DON'T WANT TO MISS THIS OP TO GET INVOLVED THIS SEASON!

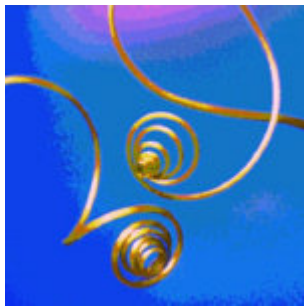
AUDITIONS:

An unprecedented number of AUDITIONS scheduled THIS FALL & SPRING for...

- Fall Production of **A CHORUS LINE** (Details posted online NOW)!
- Spring One Act Play (Title, theme TBA)
- Spring Improv Group, (W.I.G.) *"What Improv Group?!?!"*
- Spring Dance Company (Title, theme TBA)
- Spring Production of **ANGELS IN AMERICA**

Auditions are open to all current and past Howard Community College students (exceptions will be listed on our website in the next few weeks)!

CHECK our website & FB soon FOR DETAILS!!! IN THE MEANTIME... if you're interested? Get your hands on the text/s! Learn it, do your homework! Have fun inside prepping FOR YOUR AUDITION!



"What Improv Group?!"

8 SHOWS THIS SEASON: 9/25, 10/9, 10/23, 11/6, and 2/5, 2/19, 3/12, 3/16... Friday Nights at 8:00pm, Smith Theatre

Directed by Susan G. Kramer

With 8 shows this season, W.I.G. is seriously funny business. Bravely funny, always honest, thought provoking, moving, and yes hilarious. Uncovering the unexpected and a FUN mix of ideas inside props, wigs, costumes, music, and the truth. Each improv show takes audiences on an unexpected journey. *(Performances may include mature content and language. PG-13: Folks 10 and under not admitted).*

Tickets: \$8 - \$10 (discounts offered to Seniors, Military, any student, HCC faculty/staff)



A Chorus Line

3 WEEKENDS: November 27 – December 13, 2009

Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays at 8:00pm, Sundays at 3:00pm in the Horowitz Center's Studio Theatre

Book by James Kirkwood, Jr and Nicholas Dante, Lyrics by Edward Kleban, Music by Marvin Hamlisch

Directed by Susan G. Kramer and Jenny Male

A CHORUS LINE is all about absolute desire... and the wish to truly make it... on Broadway! This Tony Award winning musical is about seventeen Broadway gypsies giving everything they've got for the chance of a lifetime - to be chosen for the chorus line in a new Broadway musical. A powerful metaphor for all human aspiration! Re-live or experience for the first time this brilliantly passionate, complex fusion of dance and music, alive with compelling confessions, true joy, heart-break and love. Memorable musical numbers include I Can Do That, At the Ballet, Dance: Ten; Looks: Three, The Music and the Mirror, What I Did for Love, One (Singular Sensation) and I Hope I Get It. In 1976, "A Chorus Line" won nine Tony awards and the Pulitzer Prize for Drama. *(Contains moderately intense themes and images; recommended for ages 13 and up. No one under 12 years of age admitted).*

Tickets: \$10 - \$15 (discounts offered to Seniors, Military, any student, HCC faculty/staff)



Actors Studio One-Act Play

**February 4, 5, and 6 at 7:30pm and February 7 at 2:30pm
Performance Space: TBA**

Directed by Kasi Campbell

An intimate evening in the tradition of last year's acclaimed performance of Last Train to Nibroc. This season's one-act production, co-presented by HCC's Student Arts Collective and the Instructional Theatre Programs, will feature the work of HCC's most stellar acting and technical theatre students and majors on and off the stage... Details/ Show announcement COMING SOON!

Ticket Prices TBA (discounts offered to Seniors, Military, any student, HCC faculty/staff)



Dance Company Performances

**February 25 – 28, Thurs, Fri, Sat at 8:00pm, Sun at 3:00pm
Smith Theatre**

Choreographed by Renée Brozic Barger

The Student Arts Collective Dance Company presents its 4th annual performance this season! Audiences may remember previously celebrated dance performances such as "Voodoo Child" and "Sunshine in Blue." The theme for this stellar performance featuring HCC's most outstanding dancers: COMING SOON!

Tickets: \$10 - \$15(discounts offered to Seniors, Military, any student, HCC faculty/staff)



Annual Shakespeare Birthday Celebration

April 21 at 2 pm, on HCC's lovely, outdoor Dreier Stage

A very special, free afternoon birthday celebration featuring the works of William Shakespeare's, co-presented by HCC's Student Arts Collective and Instructional Theatre Department on the Horowitz Center's magical outdoor venue, The Dreier Stage! Stage combat, Shakespearean insults, sonnets, soliloquies; scenes will be performed by HCC students, faculty, staff and surprise guests! This afternoon's celebration, co-presented by HCC's Student Arts Collective and Instructional Theatre Programs, includes cake; join us! **Free and open to the public!**



Angels in America

3 WEEKENDS: April 29 – May 6

Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays at 8:00pm, Sundays at 3:00pm
in the Horowitz Center's Studio Theatre

Written by Tony Kushner

Directed by Keith Gray and Susan G. Kramer

ANGELS IN AMERICA is a Tony award-winning, Pulitzer Prize Broadway play with a stunning grip on the ideas around politics, sex and religion. Kushner subtitled his play "A Gay Fantasia on National Themes." Like a "fantasia," these characters lyrically move in and out of conversations, sometimes overlapping onstage at the same time, the environment magically changing from offices to bedrooms, from hospital wards to the imaginary South Pole. For all its intricacies, the plot is pure... simple. Kushner holds no prisoners as he takes us to a tumultuous 1985: the Reagan's are in the White House and Death swings the scythe of AIDS. It is the story of two couples whose relationships are disintegrating. Set apart from other love stories, the plot is largely driven by a kaleidoscope unfolding while living in the million places between the tragedy of AIDS to the camp comedy of drag queens, to the death or at least the absconding of God. *(Contains intense themes and images; recommended for ages 13 and up. No one under 12 years of age admitted).*

Tickets: \$10 - \$15 (discounts offered to Seniors, Military, any student, HCC faculty/staff)

Interested in performing or working with The STUDENT ARTS COLLECTIVE???

GET INVOLVED... (We need ya)!!! For more info:

- Write to us: studentarts@howardcc.edu
- Call us: 410-772-4252
- Website: WWW.HOWARDCC.EDU/STUDENTARTS
- FAN OUR "FACEBOOK FAN PAGE: TODAY...
Show your support... DO IT!
Link to our FB Fan Page: posted on our website or...
do a FB Search for "The Student Arts Collective"! ☺
- The Student Arts Collective HEADQUARTERS:
HVPA, ROOM 126 (backstage, Studio Theatre, off of "Loading Dock C"
– visit anytime between 10am – 6pm, MON THRU FRIDAY!

The Student Arts Collective... where anything is possible!