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Mamma Mia!

Sunday matinee performance added to
SJTC May run of Mamma Mia due to popular demand.



SAINT JOHN – The final production of the SJTC Main Stage season at Imperial Theatre is the larger than life, feel good hit musical *Mamma Mia* which will run at Imperial Theatre May 23-27.

Mamma Mia is a smash hit jukebox musical written by British playwright Catherine Johnson. The award winning story is magnified by the songs of ABBA, composed by Benny Andersson and Björn Ulvaeus, former members of the band.

The story tells the tale of a young bride-to-be who dreams of being given away by her father at her wedding. After reading her mother's diary she secretly invites three men who could have been her father to her wedding without telling her mother.

The show will be directed by SJTC veteran Jennifer Mabey who has directed past SJTC productions including *The Wizard of Oz* and *The Sound of Music*. A strong team of cast and crew has been selected for this mammoth production and rehearsals are in full swing.

An additional matinee performance has been added on Sunday, May 27 to meet audience demand. Limited tickets are still available for other performance dates.

Mamma Mia! will run at Imperial Theatre from May 23-27. Tickets are on sale at Imperial Theatre box office: www.imperialonline.nb.ca / 506-674-4100 / 1-800-323-SHOW

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