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The Rocky Horror Concert Gets Up Close & Personal!

Venue change for the Halloween hit; same great show in a smaller, more intimate space!

SAINT JOHN - The cast & crew of ***The Rocky Horror Concert*** are ready to rock the stage this Halloween. After a smash hit run last Fall, the cast of last season's *The Rocky Horror Show* are re-uniting on Wednesday, October 31st at 7:30pm to treat audiences to an encore concert style re-cap of all the amazing Rocky Horror music audiences have been raving about.



A fundraiser for the Saint John Theatre Company, ***The Rocky Horror Concert*** venue has moved to the BMO Rehearsal Hall at 112 Princess Street rather than the Imperial Theatre stage. Due to lower than anticipated advanced ticket sales a decision was made to move the performance to the smaller venue. The rehearsal/performance space at 112 Princess will provide a more intimate and up close atmosphere for the audience.

“We rely on our audience to buy tickets in advance so we can plan accordingly. Based on pre-show sales we felt the Imperial venue was too large for the concert,” adds Director Stephen Tobias. *“The Rocky Concert is best suited in a full-house setting - the audience can interact with the performers and be part of the show. Based on the number of seats sold we have decided that hosting in our intimate rehearsal hall will create a better experience for the audience.”*

One of the most renowned musicals in history, *The Rocky Horror Show*, has entertained audiences for close to forty years. Generations have come to know the timeless music from the show including *The Time Warp* and *Damn It Janet*. *“The music is always the defining element of any musical for me and Rocky Horror is full of funky, revved up numbers and some smooth ballads too,”* adds Bertis Sutton who will be returning to play the leading role of Frank N Furter; a flamboyant scientist from Transsexual Transylvania.

A limited number of tickets remain and can still be purchased at Imperial Theatre box office (674-4100). Tickets are \$37.50 or \$20.00 for students.

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