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**DOWNTOWN PERFORMING ARTS CENTER ANNOUNCES FULL SUMMER  
SEASON AT HISTORIC WASHINGTON CROSSING OPEN AIR THEATRE**

The Downtown Performing Arts Center (DPAC) of Lambertville, NJ is proud to announce a newly formed partnership with the Washington Crossing State Park of Titusville, NJ. Beginning in May of 2010, the Downtown Performing Arts Center will produce a full season of live theatre for adults and children at the Park's historic Washington Crossing Open Air Theatre.

A series of plays and musicals will be performed from May through September along with a children's theatre series to be presented on Saturday and Sunday. Additionally, other performing arts organizations in the region will use the Open Air Theatre for productions that will supplement the 2010 schedule.

DPAC productions featured on the mainstage include Grease, Moon Over Buffalo, The World Goes Round: The Songs of Kander & Ebb, Into The Woods, Disney's Beauty and the Beast, Annie and more. The children's theatre series includes such popular favorites as The Wizard of Oz, Cinderella, Rapunzel, Aladdin and more.

Virginia Brennan, Director of the Downtown Performing Arts Center, promises the return of continuous professional theatre to the Washington Crossing Open Air Theatre, a long-standing summer tradition That was available to generations of families in the region until recently. Brennan's promise – to keep the

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ticket cost low thereby allowing families an affordable entertainment opportunity all summer long.

Brennan and the Downtown Performing Arts Center have been a continuous presence in the Lambertville arts scene for almost a decade. Her vision, along with her staff of theatre professionals, has provided countless students of all ages with quality performing arts training

Along with the full schedule of mainstage and children's theatre offerings, Downtown Performing Arts Center at the Open Air Theatre will feature a weekly "Screening Under The Stars" series. Taking place each Monday throughout the summer, a different film will be shown in its original full screen splendor. The cost is \$5 per car and a complete listing of movies can be seen at the OAT website at [www.DPACatOAT.com](http://www.DPACatOAT.com).

Mainstage performances will be presented Friday, Saturday and Sunday at 7:30 pm. Ticket prices for mainstage performances are \$10.00 for adults and \$7.00 for children (ages 12 and under) with individual tickets purchased on the day of the event at the OAT Box Office. A discounted subscription package is available in advance. Group rates of \$8.00 per ticket are available in advance for groups of 20 or more. Details about subscriptions and group discounts can be seen at the Open Air Theatre website at [www.DPACatOAT.com](http://www.DPACatOAT.com).

Children's theatre performances are scheduled for Saturday and Sunday throughout the summer at 2 pm. Ticket prices are \$5 for children or adults with discounts available for groups. 20 persons or more are \$4. For groups of 100 or more, additional discounts apply with tickets only \$3 each.

For complete information about the exciting 2010 season at the Washington Crossing Open Air Theatre, visit [www.DPACatOAT.com](http://www.DPACatOAT.com).