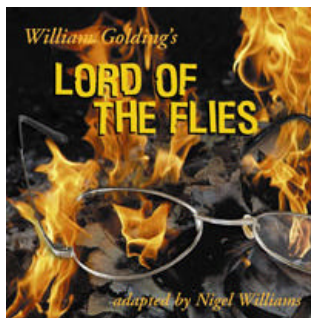


# THE LORD OF THE FLIES

**October 14, 2009**  
**Keystone Theatre**  
**12:00 Noon**  
**The National Players**

At its heart, *The Lord of the Flies* is about the struggle between good and evil. Golding's gripping tale about a group of English schoolboys who are plane-wrecked on a deserted island explores the boundary between human reason and animal instinct, all on the brutal playing field of adolescent competition. *Lord of the Flies* continues to ignite passionate debate with its startling portrait of human nature.



Curriculum Connections: Literature, Drama, Government, Language Arts  
**Grades 7-12**

**October 14, 2009**  
**Keystone Theatre**  
**A Day at the Theatre**

Extend the experience for your students and make it a day at the theatre with the National Players on October 14th. Begin the day with a historical tour of the theatre, revisit its rich history and learn about its place in the formation of Bradford County.



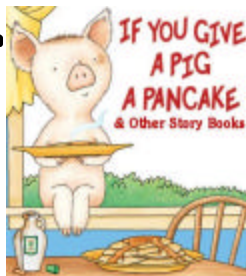
Attend a pre-show workshop, **PowerPlay**, which will provide students with an introduction to the actors, get them excited about the show and put them in touch with their creativity. This interactive playwriting workshop introduces the basics of dramatic structure in which students write monologues and short scenes that are then brought to life by the National Players actors.

Curriculum Connections: Language Arts, Drama, Literature, Local History, Architecture  
**Grades 7-12**

# MAKE IT A DAY

# If You Give a Pig a Pancake

**December 3, 2009**  
**Keystone Theatre**  
**9:30 AM & 12:30 PM**  
**December 4, 2009**  
**Sayre Theatre**  
**9:30 AM & 12:30 PM**



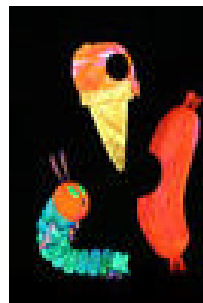
If you liked Theatreworks USA's *If You Give a Mouse a Cookie & Other Story Books*, you'll love its latest production of mini-musicals based on your students' favorite books including *Diary of a Worm*, *Fluffy the Classroom Guinea Pig*, *Horace & Morris but Mostly Dolores*, *How I Became a Pirate*, *If You Give a Pig a Pancake*, *Lilly's Big Day*, and *The Paper Bag Princess*.

Curriculum Connections: Literature Based Communication & Language Arts, Music, Relationships & Family  
**Grades: Pre K - 4th**

# Eric Carle Stories

**March 11, 2010**  
**Keystone Theatre**  
**9:30 AM and 12:30 PM**  
**Mermaid Theatre of Nova Scotia**

This delightful celebration of legendary illustrator/storyteller Eric Carle features *The Very Hungry Caterpillar*, a little hero's metamorphosis into a beautiful butterfly, the stories of *Little Cloud's* travels through the sky, and the *Mixed-up Chameleon's* adventures as he discovers his own unique nature. Staged with eye-popping black light puppetry and an original music score, this fanciful look at three venerable classics has awed audiences around the world.

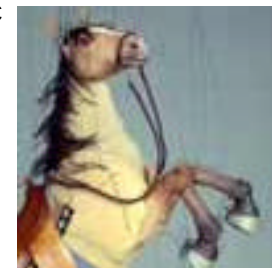


Curriculum Connections: Language Arts, Literature, Science, Geography, Storytelling  
**Grades Pre-K—4**

# Simple Gifts

**April 23, 2010**  
**Sayre Theatre**  
**9:30 AM**  
**LIMITED SEATING**

*Simple Gifts* is a collection of marionette masterworks that are stunning in their intensity and simple beauty--a series of comic and poignant scenes taken from everyday life and set to music by composers such as Beethoven, Vivaldi, and Copland. Through a combination of virtuoso manipulation, humor, pathos, classic music, and poetic insight, the Cashore Marionettes take the audience on a journey that celebrates the richness of life.



Curriculum Connections: Music, Relationships & Family, Art, Mechanical Engineering.  
**Grades: 4-12 LIMITED OPPORTUNITY**

# PASSAGE TO AMERICA

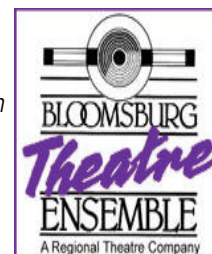
**May 11, 2010**  
**Keystone Theatre**  
**9:30 AM & 12:30 PM**  
**May 12, 2010**  
**Sayre Theatre**  
**9:30 AM & 12:30 PM**



*"The word, 'America' in those days was the wish, the dream, and the hope of every person. We called it the Golden Land. It was the desire of every human being to reach the gates of the Golden Land."*

*- Gertrude Yellin, emigrated from Russia, 1921* For all those who arrived here in the "Golden Land" with little more than the clothes on their back and a heart full of hope, Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble has created *PASSAGE TO AMERICA: The American Experience*.

Curriculum Connections: History, Geography, Social Studies  
**Grades: 2-6**



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**September 21-26**

**Troy, PA**

***King Arthur's Quest***

**October 5-10**

**Sayre, PA**

***King Arthur's Quest***

**February 8-13**

**Towanda, PA**

***Sleeping Beauty***

**February 22-27**

**Canton, PA**

***Sleeping Beauty***

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