



## *Thomasville Music & Drama Troupe, Inc.*

Post Office Box 284

Thomasville, Georgia 31799

Dear Thomasville Music and Drama Troupe Supporter:

We here at Troupe are busy at rehearsal this time of year, preparing for our 45th Holiday Show! We are excited to see you, your family and friends at Troupe's much-anticipated evening of song and dance on December 1st. It's a true Thomasville tradition!

And now we need your help.

For almost half a century, the Thomasville Music and Drama Troupe has brought together local middle and high school students from every walk of life to unite in performance as they gain an appreciation of music and theatre. Their productions have become an essential and unique part of our community, astonishing audiences with every show.

But being a member of Troupe is about so much more than the magic that happens on stage. Troupe is a place where kids learn confidence through public expression. Where they can practice self-control, discipline and composure — all life skills, on or off the stage.

Troupe is also a safe haven, where young people gather to learn about and connect with others, oftentimes new friends they may not have met otherwise. Troupe is a place that transcends superficial barriers like race, class, or gender — and at a crucial stage of life, when adolescents are discovering who they are and what they stand for.

For almost five decades, Troupe has drawn together young people from Thomas County and the surrounding areas in a tradition that unifies our community. But today, the future of Troupe is uncertain. Student tuition brings in only a fraction of the cost that it takes to put on a show. Every year, building, operating and performance expenses exceed income.

Now more than ever, Troupe needs your help. Your donation will play a role in keeping the Troupe tradition alive — allowing our children to work together toward a positive common goal, in a world that today begs cooperation and consensus.

Support the Troupe Unites Thomasville Campaign by becoming a 2018-2019 Friend of Troupe. Use the enclosed envelope to mail your donation, or give online at [www.thomasvillemusicanddramatroupe.com](http://www.thomasvillemusicanddramatroupe.com). All Friends of Troupe will be recognized in our show programs.

Thank you for your loyalty and continued support of the Thomasville Music and Drama Troupe!

Sincerely,

April Mathis  
President

Nadia R. Watts  
Campaign Chair

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*All donations will be partially tax-exempt*

**STAGEHAND: Donors of \$100**

Donate before November 1, and you'll receive two complimentary tickets with priority seating for the Christmas Show. You'll also receive a listing in the Spring Show program.

**THEATREGOER: Donors of \$250**

Donate before November 1, and you'll receive up to four complimentary tickets with priority seating for the Christmas Show. You'll also receive a listing in the Christmas Show and the Spring Show programs.

**CHOREOGRAPHER: Donors of \$500**

Donate before November 1, and you'll receive up to six complimentary tickets with priority seating for the Christmas Show. You'll also receive a listing in both programs and a half-page ad in the Spring program.

**DIRECTOR: Donors of \$1000**

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**EXECUTIVE PRODUCER: Donors of \$2,500**

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**SHOW SPONSOR: Donor of \$5,000 and above**

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# 2018 THOMASVILLE MUSIC AND DRAMA TROUPE

## *Christmas Show*

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1ST AT 8:00 P.M. • THOMASVILLE MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM

I SUPPORT THE THOMASVILLE MUSIC & DRAMA TROUPE!

NAME (AS IT WILL APPEAR IN PROGRAM): \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

\*EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF COMPLIMENTARY TICKETS REQUESTED FOR PRIORITY SEATING:

\_\_\_\_\_ (SEE CORRESPONDING GIVING LEVELS.)

I WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE \_\_\_\_\_ ADDITIONAL TICKETS TO BE SEATED WITH THE SAME GROUP AT THE COST OF \$50 EACH.

FRIENDS OF THE TROUPE TICKET ORDERS ARE DUE BY NOVEMBER 1ST. \*YOUR TICKETS WILL BE **EMAILED** TO YOU.

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