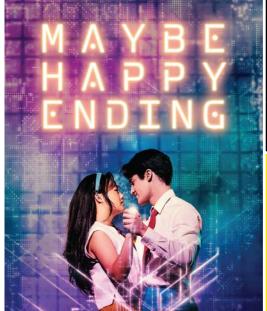


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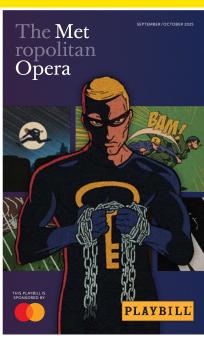




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2026 Editorial Profile

PLAYBILL Theatre

As the most-trusted magazine in the theatre industry for 140 years (this fall), PLAYBILL's coverage and access to the most exciting events and personalities on the stage is unparalleled.

Inside a PLAYBILL, theatregoers find a wealth of stories dedicated to productions around the world, as well as pieces that advise theatregoers on travel, dining and nightlife. Playbill magazine features these beloved staples:

- "PROGRAM" SECTION: An essential guide to the show you are about to see, including: Who's Who bios of the actors, creative team, producers etc.; a list of the musical numbers or play scenes and acts; and other theatre particulars.
- THEATRE QUIZ: A magazine staple for decades that is a conversation generator before curtain and during intermission.
- ON THE TOWN: PLAYBILL's invaluable tool for navigating the culinary and bar scenes in and around the theatre district and city at large, wthis section includes "Celebrity Choice," featuring stage stars' picks for their favorite dining experiences.

- HOW MANY HAVE YOU SEEN?: The go-to listing for current productions.
- PLAYBILL INTERVIEWS: Conversations with the industry's most respected talents, stars in the making and individuals working behind the scenes.
- SCREEN STEALERS: A monthly look at TV, film, and streaming releases that align with Broadway and its talent.
- SPRING/FALL PREVIEWS: Kicking-off the new Spring/ Fall Broadway seasons, PLAYBILL's Spring/Fall Previews take place in February and September profiling new show openings and compelling stories from the artists and innovators behind these exciting shows. The program features a national print editorial and digital campaign.
- MY LIFE IN THE THEATRE: A monthly editorial, print & video Series that showcases theatre legends as they reflect back on their Broadway career while flipping through a collection of their production's PLAYBILLS.



2026 Editorial Profile



PLAYBILL Classic Arts

PLAYBILL's Classic Arts editions connect the world's most discerning, culturally engaged audiences with the finest performances in opera, ballet, symphony, and beyond, celebrating excellence, artistry, and the enduring power of live performance.







2026 National Market List



Markets	Avg. Monthly Circulation*
NEW YORK, NY	1,768,408
MIDWEST (Chicago, Detroit, Minneapolis, St. Louis)	378,748
MID-ATLANTIC (Philadelphia, Washington D.C.)	132,670
WESTERN (San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego)	201,868
SOUTHEAST (West Palm Beach)	28,095
SOUTH CENTRAL (Dallas, Houston)	94,932
TOTAL	2,604,721

*In season distribution

2026 National Broadway Market List



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NEW YORK, NY	1,368,808
MIDWEST (Chicago, Detroit, St. Louis)	334,848
MID-ATLANTIC (Philadelphia, Washington D.C.)	87,570
WESTERN (Los Angeles, San Francisco, San Diego)	201,868
SOUTHEAST (West Palm Beach)	15,595
SOUTH CENTRAL (Dallas, Houston,)	94,932
TOTAL	2,103,621

*In season distribution

2026 National Classic Arts Market List



Markets	Avg. Monthly Circulation*
NEW YORK, NY (Lincoln Center, Metropolitan Opera, Carnegie Hall)	399,600
ST. LOUIS, MO (St. Louis Symphony)	30,000
MINNEAPOLIS, MN (Minnesota Orchestra)	13,900
PHILADELPHIA, PA (The Philadelphia Orchestra)	45,100
SOUTH FLORIDA (Kravis Center)	12,500
TOTAL	501,100

*In season distribution

2026 New York City Distribution

NEW YORK CITY THEATRES

BROADWAY THEATRES

Al Hirschfeld Lyceum Ambassador Lyric August Wilson Majestic Belasco Marquis Bernard B. Jacobs Minskoff Music Box Booth Broadhurst Nederlander Broadway **Neil Simon** Circle in the Square New Amsterdam

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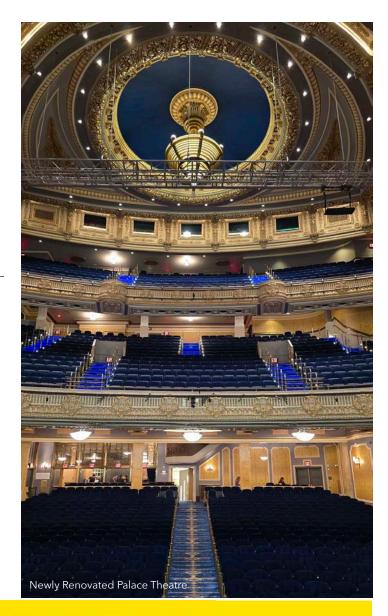
Hudson Stephen Sondheim

ImperialStudio 54James Earl JonesTodd HaimesJohn GoldenVivian BeaumontLena HorneWalter KerrLongacreWinter Garden

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NEW YORK CITY CLASSIC ARTS

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OFF-BROADWAY THEATRES (Subject to change)

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Lucille Lortel

Manhattan Theatre Club

The Atlantic Theatre
The Public Theatre
Theatre at St. Clement's

Minetta Lane Theatre Row
New World Stages Westside Up
Roundabout Theatre

2025 National Distribution

NEW YORK CITY Market

See page 7, New York City Distribution

SOUTHEAST Market

WEST PALM BEACH: Kravis Center For The Performing Arts

MID-ATI ANTIC Market

PHILADELPHIA: The Philadelphia Orchestra (Kimmel), Walnut Street Theatre, Ensemble Arts including Broadway Series, and Ensemble Arts Presents (Academy of Music, Merriam Theater and Forrest Theatre)

WASHINGTON D.C: Broadway at The National Theatre

SOUTH CENTRAL Market

DALLAS: Dallas Summer Musicals at Music Hall at Fair Park

HOUSTON: Theatre Under The Stars, The Alley Theatre

MIDWEST Market

CHICAGO: CIBC Theatre, Cadillac Palace Theatre, Goodman Theatre: Albert Theatre, Owen Theatre, Broadway Playhouse, Drury Lane Theatre, Marriott Theatre, Paramount Theatre, James M. Nederlander Theatre

DETROIT: Fisher Theatre, Detroit Opera House

MINNEAPOLIS: The Minnesota Orchestra

ST. LOUIS: St. Louis Symphony at Powell Hall, St. Louis Broadway Series at The Fox Theatre,

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WESTERN MARKET

LOS ANGELES: Hollywood Pantages Theatre, Geffen Playhouse, Dolby Theatre

SAN DIEGO: Broadway San Diego Series at Civic Theatre

SAN FRANCISCO: Curran Theatre, Golden Gate Theatre,

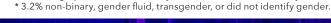
Orpheum Theatre



The Demographics of the Broadway Audience 2023-24

Residence		Gender*	
New York DMA	33.3%	Female	64.8%
Tourists	66.7%	Male	32.0%
New York City Residents	20.5%	Age	
Manhattan	11.9%	Average	42.1
Other Boroughs	8.6%	Under 18 years	10.1%
New York City Suburbs	12.8%	18-34 years	31.1%
Other New York	2.6%	25-49 years	41.6%
Other New Jersey	5.9%	50-64 years	22.1%
Domestic U.S.	45.4%	65+ years	14.7%
International	21.3%		
Frequency of Attendance		Annual Household Income	
• •	Г	Average	\$276,375
Average Per Year	5	Under \$50,000	14.0%
1 Show	40.7%	\$50,000-\$99,000	19.6%
2-4 Shows	34.3%	\$100,000-149,999	16.5%
5-9 Shows	13.6%	\$150,000+	50.0%
10-14 Shows	4.9%		
15-24 Shows	3.1%	Education	
25+ Shows	3.3%		40.10/
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Avg. Reported Ticket Price	\$154.70	Completed College+	91.4%

Source: The Demographics of the Broadway Audience 2023-2024. Survey conducted by The Broadway League.





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2026 TONY® Awards Playbill



On June 7, 2026, theatre lovers across the globe will gather to celebrate the 2025-26 Broadway season at the 79th Annual TONY Awards[®] broadcast live from Radio City Music Hall.

As the exclusive and trusted magazine of the theatre community, PLAYBILL's coverage of Broadway is unparalleled. For the past 140 years, PLAYBILL has served as the magazine of record for the theatre community and has served as the preeminent destination for all things related to live performance. With both print and extensive digital capabilities, PLAYBILL engages theatregoers in-venue, online and across all social media platforms, in partnership with Broadway.





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CELEBRATING LGBTQIA+ PRIDE AND THE THEATRE'S DIVERSE COMMUNITY.

As a fierce supporter and ally to the LGBTQIA+ community, Playbill is proud to celebrate Pride Month with an array of multi-media coverage beginning with our annual June Pride-dedicated Issue and culminating with NYC Pride Weekend-come celebrate with us!

Whether it's brand specific or a corporate "good-citizenship" message, opportunities for Pride Month include print and digital advertising, native content, video and live event sponsorships.

PLAYBILL JUNE ISSUE NY Theatre edition (Circulation 1.4 million) Dedicated to Pride featuring compelling stories and Pride perspectives from our community of artists. Advertisers can show their support and align with the Pride movement with targeted or custom messages such as "Proud Playbill Pride Partner."

PLAYBILL DIGITAL NETWORK (reaching an additional 3 million+ Broadway fans and entertainment influencers) The PRIDE 2026 section of Playbill Digital Properties will aggregate original, unique and exclusive editorial, photographic and video content.

PRIDE IN TIMES SQUARE Playbill is thrilled to partner with NYC Pride and Times Square Alliance to deliver PRIDE IN TIMES SQUARE-a three-day event dedicated to celebrating the diversity of the LGBTQIA+ community featuring stage and screen celebrities, interactive panels and performances and sponsor activations with potential inclusion in NYC's Pride March. Past PRIDE IN TIMES SQUARE events attracted nearly 800,000 participants with an estimated attendance at the NYC Pride March of 2.4 million people not including TV viewership.

Watch 2024 Pride In Times Square highlights here!

*Program elements are subject to change. Participation in the Pride March is subject to approval and may include additional fees.













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2026 Calendar of Events/Sponsorship Opportunities

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In celebration of the 79th TONY Awards, Playbill is working with The Broadway League and Times Square on a special celebration supporting the ceremony. If you are interested in having a national footprint around this event through sponsorship opportunities, and in partnership with Playbill, please let us know!



Pride in Times Square

Playbill is thrilled and honored to be producing Playbill Pride 2026-a series of articles, events and a one-of-a-kind celebration in Times Square dedicated to celebrating the diversity of the LGBTQIA+ community. This inclusionary weekend features concerts, activations, and opportunities for consumer engagement



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To commemorate World AIDS Day and to honor those affected by HIV and AIDS, Playbill is honored to present the 4th annual Remember The Ribbon: A Tribute to World AIDS Day, thanks to our premier sponsor Gilead Sciences. This special event filled with storytellers and songs will take place in November at Sony Hall in NYC. From December 1–3, Playbill will stream the event with a donation button benefitting a non-profit.

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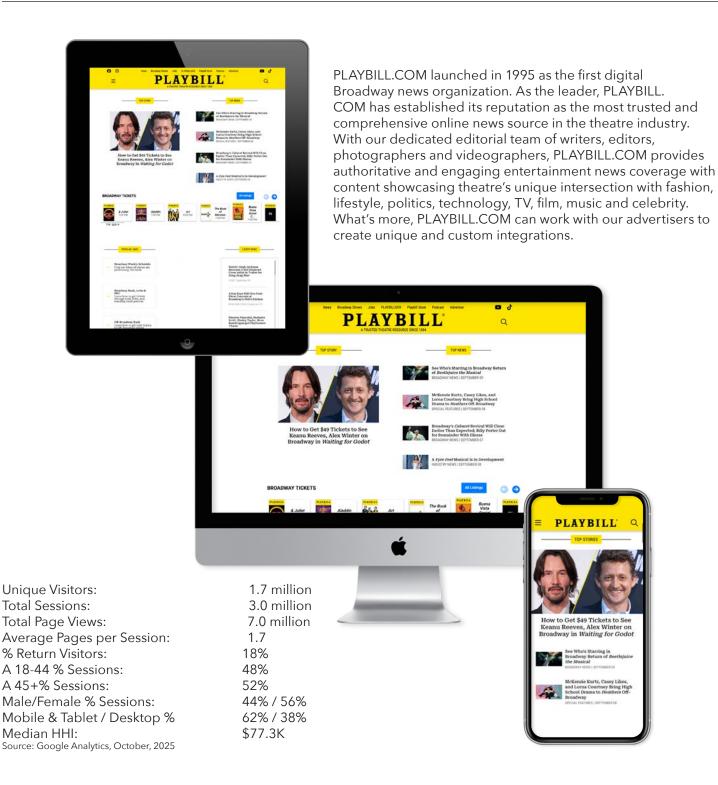
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Sandra Serling, Theatre Director The Shool of Performing Arts, Naperville, IL



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PLAYBILL social media has broadcast live from the red carpet at Broadway opening nights, has captured the enthusiastic reactions of winners like Alex Newell and J. Harrison Ghee immediately after receiving their Tony Award®, and has taken our followers behind the scenes during the creation of Broadway shows.





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March	Monday, January 26, 2026	Monday, February 2, 2026
April	Monday, February 23, 2026	Monday, March 2, 2026
May	Friday, March 20, 2026	Friday, March 27, 2026
June	Friday, April 24, 2026	Friday, May 1, 2026
July	Tuesday, May 26, 2026	Monday, June 1, 2026
August	Thursday, June 25, 2026	Thursday, July 2, 2026
September	Monday, July 27, 2026	Monday, August 3, 2026
October	Monday, August 17, 2026	Monday, August 24, 2026
November	Thursday, September 24, 2026	Thursday, October 1, 2026
December	Monday, October 26, 2026	Monday, November 2, 2026

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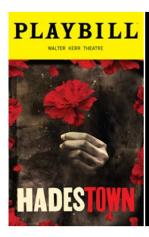
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