



Acoustical Society
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GREATER BOSTON CHAPTER

DECEMBER 14, 2008

MEETING NOTICE

HOLIDAY MEETING AT THE HANOVER THEATRE

A DISCUSSION, TOUR AND SHOW

FEATURED SPEAKERS:

Matthew Moore, Principal Consultant

Mike Maynard, CTS

Cavanaugh Tocci Associates

DESCRIPTION

Please join us for our annual Holiday Get-Together at the newly refurbished Hanover Theatre in Worcester, MA (<http://www.thehanovertheatre.org>).

Matt Moore and Mike Maynard,, who worked as lead designers on the project, will present a brief talk about the acoustical and sound system recommendations involved with the WCPA and architect's efforts with renovating this historic 3000 seat Thomas Lamb theater back to it's original glory. The state-of-the art sound systems complement the Hall's acoustics and provide the primary sound reinforcement for most events, which is unusual for a venue that books national touring shows regularly.

Following the talk, we will get a complete tour of the facility from the designers and house staff.

To conclude the evening, we have tickets available for a live performance by singing ventriloquist Terry Fator (<http://www.terryfator.com>). The performance will provide a unique opportunity to hear the room and sound system in the house's best seats!

We have reserved the Mezzanine for this event, and will be providing a cash bar. Dinner will not be provided, though we encourage people to patronize the local establishments. A suggested list will be available on the website.

DATE:

Sunday, December 14, 2008

TIME:

5:00 PM – Reception

6:00 PM – Tour of the hall

5:30 PM – Presentation

7:00 PM – Terry Fator show

PLACE:

The Hanover Theatre
2 Southbridge Street
Worcester, MA 01608

DIRECTIONS AND PARKING:

Please see the Theatre's website for travel directions:
<http://www.thehanovertheatre.org/visiting/directions.php>

Primary parking is available at the Federal Parking Garage, located at 570 Main Street, across the street.

COST:

The discussion and tours portions of the meeting are free, and GBCASA members are encouraged to invite interested colleagues and friends of the chapter to attend.

Reduced-cost (\$30) tickets to the Terry Fator show are available on a first-come first served basis, though we will do our best to accommodate additional requests. Normal ticket prices for these prime seats are \$48 to \$60. Tickets are available directly from the theatre if these deeply discounted tickets do not last.

RSVP:

Please RSVP to acarballeira@cavtocchi.com by December 12, 2008, and indicate whether you would like to attend the performance as well as the talk/tour.

CARPOOLING:

When sending your RSVP please let us know if you need a ride or have some extra room in your car, as well as your location.

