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San Diego Musical Theatre Announces the 2025 Season to be Performed on the SDMT Stage

San Diego Musical Theatre announces the 2025 season of Broadway musicals to be performed on the SDMT Stage in Kearny Mesa, San Diego. Their 18th season will bring stories of love, justice, imagination, and just a bit of duality. Through breathtaking musical and dance performances, the 2025 season is guaranteed to bring viewers copious joy and memories to take with them forever from the theatre.

Opening their 2025 season will be the classic musical: *Hello, Dolly!* In this golden age blockbuster hit, a meddlesome matchmaker arrives in Yonkers set on finding a match for the miserly Horace Vandergelder. Bursting with humor, romance, high-energy dancing and some of the greatest songs in musical theatre history, this show is boisterous and charming from start to finish. Winning ten Tony Awards and with four Broadway revivals, *Hello, Dolly!* remains one of the most enduring musical theatre hits.

San Diego's professional premiere of *The Prom* will follow as SDMT's second show of the 2025 season! Telling the story of a young Indiana highschooler just trying to bring her girlfriend to the prom, the musical takes an unexpected turn when four eccentric Broadway performers descend on the town in an earnest, yet misguided, attempt to fight the injustice and share a bit of the spotlight again. With an incredible score and the enduring message that love can bring everyone together, *The Prom* captures the humor and heart of a classic musical comedy and resonates with audiences now more than ever.

Over the summer, as SDMT's third show for 2025, is *Matilda*. Inspired by the twisted genius of Roald Dahl, this Tony Award-winning musical tells the story of an extraordinary girl who dares to take a stand and change her own destiny. Using her astonishing wit, intelligence, and abilities, Matilda dreams of a better life, and isn't afraid to turn things upside-down to get it with the help of her friends. Captivating the hearts of young and old alike, this musical revels in the anarchy of childhood and the power of imagination. Packed with high-energy dance numbers, catchy songs, and an unforgettable star turn for a young actress, *Matilda* is a joyous girl-power romp you won't want to miss.

Jekyll & Hyde, SDMT's fourth show of 2025, will bring us all a bit of spooky thrill just in time for the Halloween season! In this musical adaptation of the Robert Louis Stevenson novel, a London doctor accidently unleashes his evil alternate personality in his quest to cure his father's mental illness. With an incredible pop-rock score and enthralling characters, this evocative tale of one man's battle against himself brings the age old struggle between good and evil to life on the stage. Ultimately, murder and chaos are pitted against love and virtue in this sweeping gothic musical.

In addition to these four incredible productions, San Diego Musical Theatre will also have a fantastic holiday show which is yet to be announced.