

ACT Contemporary Theatre Announces

THE DINA MARTINA CHRISTMAS SHOW

A beloved Seattle holiday tradition for over 25 years, playing in the Falls Theatre December 8–24. Presale tickets available today; public on-sale September 8.



Dina Martina (Photo credit: David Belisle)

WHAT:

THE DINA MARTINA CHRISTMAS SHOW



Musical Direction by Chris Jeffries

Join us this holiday season as Dina Martina returns to ACT Contemporary Theatre with her annual Christmas show, a beloved Seattle tradition for over 25 years. Bring your friends and family to the most ferocious holiday show in Seattle. This hysterically funny show is not to be missed!

"We at ACT are beyond thrilled to welcome back Dina Martina to our theatre for their incredibly unique and one-of-a-kind holiday spectacular," says **ACT Contemporary Theatre Artistic Director John Langs**. "It's a tradition that all of Seattle enjoys and we are so proud that Dina has made her holiday home with us!"

SYNOPSIS:

Accompanied by award-winning composer/musician/adult prodigy Chris Jeffries, Dina Martina brings a mix of traditional and contemporary holiday tunes, treated with her undeniably surreal comic sensibility.

ABOUT DINA MARTINA:

"Dina sings like nobody's listening, acts like nobody's watching and dances like she already hurts." - The Seattle Times

Since 1989, Miss Martina has been packing houses throughout the U.S., Canada and the U.K. and has shared the bill with Margaret Cho, Alan Cumming, Justin Vivian Bond and Bridget Everett. She has received The Stranger Genius Award for Theater, two Seattle Times Footlight Awards, a nomination for The Alpert Award for Theater, and two nominations for GLAAD Media Awards for Outstanding Off-Off Broadway Show.

"Dina Martina goes way beyond drag into some new kind of twisted art." – John Waters

"Comic genius. I've never seen anything as brilliant or as funny as Dina." - The Atlantic

WHEN:

December 8-24, 2023

Evening shows at 8pm and weekend matinees at 3pm or 4pm. For a full schedule, visit acttheatre.org.

Run time is approximately 1 hour and 45 minutes, including a 20-minute intermission.

WHERE:

ACT Contemporary Theatre's Falls Theatre, located at 700 Union Street in Downtown Seattle.



TICKETS:

Tickets start at \$20. We are proud to offer a range of ticket prices for all our plays, including pay what you choose tickets for select performances making theatre affordable for everyone.

Pre-sale tickets are available now to ACT Contemporary Theatre email subscribers. Tickets go on sale Friday, September 8 at noon. To purchase tickets, visit https://acttheatre.org

PHOTOS:

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ABOUT ACT - A CONTEMPORARY THEATRE

Steadfast in its dedication to producing work that sparks an authentic curiosity about the human condition, ACT produces bold, audacious works of contemporary theatre from its home in Seattle. Over the last 55 years, ACT has been the voice of contemporary theatre in the Pacific Northwest, presenting necessary and relevant works on current themes and producing more than 300 plays and musicals, including 47 world premieres. Led by Artistic Director John Langs and Managing Director Anita Shah, ACT nurtures theatre-makers of the next generation, with a mission to be a contemporary theatre where artistic ambition and civic engagement unite.

ACT is here to challenge how stories are told. For more information on ACT Contemporary Theatre please visit <u>ACTTheatre.org</u>.

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