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ADVENTURE THEATRE MTC SEASON FINISHES DELICIOUSLY WITH *PINKALICIOUS*

GLEN ECHO, MD –[Adventure Theatre MTC](#) concludes its [2013-2014 62nd Season](#) with *Pinkalicious, the Musical*, June 20 –August 31, 2014 based on the starting book of the runaway series, *Pinkalicious* by Victoria Kann & Elizabeth Kann, written by Elizabeth Kann & Victoria Kann, music by John Gregor, and lyrics by John Gregor, Elizabeth Kann & Victoria Kann. *Pinkalicious, the Musical* is directed by Carl Menninger, with Music Direction from Wayne Chadwick and Choreography & Movement by Michael J. Bobbitt. Carolyn Agan, who recently performed as Olive Ostrovsky in The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee at Ford's Theater, plays the titular heroine.

Pinkalicious Pinkerton's favorite color is... PINK! She can't stop eating pink cupcakes despite warnings from her parents. Her pink indulgence lands her at the doctor's office with Pinkitis, an affliction that turns her pink from head to toe - a dream come true for this pink loving enthusiast. But when her hue goes too far, only Pinkalicious can figure out a way to get out of this predicament.

Pinkalicious is Director Carl Menninger's first Adventure Theatre MTC production. He is Associate Professor in the Department of Performing Arts at American University, as well as a writer, director and playwright and co-author of *Minding the Edge: Strategies for a Successful, Fulfilling Career as an Actor*. Says Menninger of *Pinkalicious*, "What's wrong with too much of a good thing? A story about a girl who eats so many pink cupcakes that she turns pink demands an interpretation that underscores her philosophy that enough is never enough. This production of *Pinkalicious* will be a whimsical confection filled with larger than life surprises. "

Pinkalicious, the Musical is sponsored by The JBG Companies.

Adventure Theatre MTC also has two promotional partnerships for *Pinkalicious, the Musical*. [The Happy Tart](#), ATMTC's official birthday bakery, has designed special gluten-free Pinkalicious cupcakes and birthday cakes for sale in their bakery located at 2307A Mount Vernon Ave, Alexandria, Virginia and will donate 20% of those product sales to Adventure Theatre MTC. [Pigtails and Crewcuts](#), at 107B Gibbs Street in Rockville, is offering a free Pinkalicious pigtails styling with the purchase of a Pinkalicious crown at Adventure Theatre MTC in Glen Echo on Saturdays June 21, July 26 and August 30 from 12-2pm. In addition, there will be a special free Pinkalicious Dress Up and Photo Station in both Glen Echo and at Pigtails and Crewcuts throughout the summer.

Tickets to *Pinkalicious, The Musical* are \$19 each, with group and field trip rates available, and can be purchased through the box office by calling 301-634-2270 or online at www.adventuretheatre-mtc.org. Children under the age of 1 are free. **The press performance will be Saturday, June 28 at 2pm.** All performances will take place at Adventure Theatre MTC, 7300 MacArthur Blvd, Glen Echo, MD, 20812 in the historic Glen Echo Park.

Says Producing Artistic Director Michael J. Bobbitt, "It's Pink! It's really, really Pink! And that's fantastic. It'll be an event not to be missed."

ABOUT ADVENTURE THEATRE MTC

Adventure Theatre MTC (ATMTC) is an award-winning children's theater and training academy. With locations in both Glen Echo Park and Rockville, Maryland, ATMTC serves over 100,000 children and adults each year with theatrical productions and the highest quality musical theater training, which help develop the next generation of artists and life-long theatre patrons. In 2012, Adventure Theatre (founded in 1951) and Musical Theater Center (founded in 1986) merged to become Adventure Theatre MTC. Led by Producing Artistic Director Michael J. Bobbitt and Managing Director Janet Butler Berry, ATMTC is a leader in exciting stage adaptations of children's stories, premiering new plays for young audiences, exemplary training in musical theater training.

"Pinkalicious" FACT SHEET

June 20 – August 31, 2014

Based on the book *Pinkalicious* by Victoria Kann & Elizabeth Kann

Written by Elizabeth Kann & Victoria Kann

Music by John Gregor

Lyrics by John Gregor, Elizabeth Kann & Victoria Kann

Directed by Carl Menninger

Recommended for All Ages

CAST

Pinkalicious	Carolyn Agan
Peter.....	John Sygar
Mrs. Pinkerton.....	Ashleigh King
Mr. Pinkerton.....	Jaysen Wright
Allison/Dr. Wink.....	Sarah Frances Williams
Pinkalicious Understudy.....	Jen Bevan
Peter/Mr. Pinkerton Understudy.....	Sean McComas
Mrs. Pinkerton/Allison/Dr.Wink Understudy.....	Maggie Leigh Walker

PRODUCTION CREW

Director.....	Carl Menninger
Asst. Director.....	Nicole Cusick
Music Director	Wayne Chadwick
Choreographer/Movement.....	Michael J. Bobbitt
Set Designer	Collin Ranney
Costume Designer	Katie Touart
Props Designer	Dre Moore
Lighting Designer	Andrew Cissna
Sound Designer	Kenny Neal
Stage Manager.....	Madeleine Evans
Asst. Stage Manager.....	Julia Singer
Scenic Charge.....	Karen Deans
Master Carpenter	Lauren L. Evans
Master Electrician.....	John Rose-Caron

IMPORTANT DATES

Production Run Dates – June 20 – August 31, 2014

Pajama Party– Friday, June 20, 2014 at 7pm

Press Opening – Saturday, June 28, 2014 at 2pm
Sensory/Autism Friendly Performance- Saturday, August 23 at 2pm
American Sign Language Performance – Saturday, July 5 at 2pm

Sunday

June 22..... 11am
June 29..... 11am, 2pm & 4:30pm
July 6, 13, 20, 27..... 11am, 2pm & 4:30pm
August 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 11am, 2pm & 4:30pm

Mondays

June 23, 30 10:30am
July 7, 14, 21, 28..... 10:30am
August 4, 11, 18, 25 10:30am

Fridays

June 20..... 7pm
July 11 7pm
August 11 7pm

Saturdays

June 21..... 11am and 2pm
June 28..... 11am, 2pm & 4:30pm
July 5, 12, 19, 26..... 11am, 2pm & 4:30pm
August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 11am, 2pm & 4:30pm

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