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Broadway hits play Pikes Peak Center this Holiday Season and the New Year A Magical Cirque Christmas – December 27 Rock of Ages – January 22 The Illusionists – March 26-27 Rain – April 9

Tickets go on sale Friday, September 14

Colorado Springs (September 10, 2018) - The Pikes Peak Center for the Performing Arts ("PPC") is set to host some of Broadway's most enjoyable shows for the entire family when **A Magical Cirque Christmas**, **Rock of Ages**, **The Illusionists** and **Rain - A Tribute to the Beatles** come to Colorado Springs starting this December and into the new year.

Tickets for these shows **will go on sale Friday, September 14 at 10 a.m. M**T and will be available at the Pikes Peak Center box office, <u>PikesPeakCenter.com</u>, <u>AXS.com</u> or via phone at (719) 520 SHOW. Fans can also purchase tickets at The Broadmoor World Arena box office and <u>BroadmoorWorldArena.com</u>.

A MAGICIAL CIRQUE CHRISTMAS

Extending the joy of the holiday season, **A Magical Cirque Christmas** will play at PPC on Thursday, December 27 at 7 p.m.

A holiday entertainment blockbuster, **A Magical Cirque Christmas** is designed to dazzle audiences of all ages. The show features the best talent from around the globe and has it all – jaw-dropping magic, breathtaking circus acts, and the most angelic voices singing everyone's favorite Christmas carols with incredible live musicians on stage. Be transported to the golden age of entertainment by the mind-blowing talents, stunning costumes, comedy and more.

Tickets for **A Magical Cirque Christmas** range in price from \$45 to \$125, plus applicable fees.

ROCK OF AGES – 10TH ANNIVERSARY TOUR "Impossible to resist!" – *The New York Times* "Rock and comedy in perfect proportion!" – *Time Out New York* "The real deal! A cranked-up crowd-pleaser." – *Daily News*

An audience favorite, **Rock of Ages** is one of Broadway's most successful musicals of all time, offering mind-blowing, face melting, nothin' but a good time entertainment. It will return to PPC on January 22 at 8 p.m.

The show is set in 1987 on Hollywood's Sunset Strip when a small-town girl meets a big city rocker. As they fall in love in L.A.'s most famous rock club, **Rock of Ages** allows fans to rock out once again to their favorite '80s hits. Featuring the music of iconic bands such as Styx, Poison, Twisted Sister, and Whitesnake among many others, this 10th anniversary production features a dynamic new cast revisiting the larger than life characters and exhilarating story that turned **Rock of Ages** into a global phenomenon.

ROCK OF AGES opened on Broadway in April 2009 and played more than 2,300 performances, earning five Tony Award® nominations including Best Musical. The show also enjoyed successful national and international tours and, in 2012, was turned into a major motion picture by **New Line Cinema** and **Warner Bros. Pictures** starring "Dancing with the Stars'" judge and dancer, **Julianne Hough**.

Tickets for **Rock of Ages** at Pikes Peak Center range from \$50-\$75, plus applicable fees.

For a sneak peek of this 10th Anniversary Tour, click here.

THE ILLUSIONISTS

The world's best-selling touring magic show, **The Illusionists – Live From Broadway™** will stop at PPC for two nights, March 26-27, at 7:30 p.m. each night, bringing a show full of hilarious magic tricks, death-defying stunts and acts of breathtaking wonder. **The Illusionists** has shattered box office records worldwide and thrilled audiences of all ages with a mind-blowing spectacular, showcasing the jaw-dropping talents of five of the most incredible illusionists on earth.

Creative Producer Simon Painter said, "We can't wait to bring this electrifying show to Colorado Springs for a truly entertaining experience for the whole family. *The Illusionists* is the most non-stop and powerful mix of outrageous and astonishing acts ever to be seen on the live stage."

Tickets for **The Illusionists** range in price from \$45 to \$65, plus applicable fees.

Click <u>here</u> to experience The Illusionists mind-blowing spectacular.

RAIN – A TRIBUTE TO THE BEATLES

In celebration of the anniversary of the release of Abbey Road, Rain – A Tribute to the Beatles will bring the greatest hits, in addition to all of your early favorites, to PPC in Colorado Springs on Tuesday, April 9 at 7:30 p.m.

This mind-blowing performance takes you back in time with the legendary foursome delivering a note-for-note theatrical performance that is as infectious as it is transporting. This show is "the next best thing to seeing The Beatles!" (Associated Press). Experience the world's most iconic band and celebrate *The Best of Abbey Road Live* with **Rain**. In addition to the updated

sets that include state of the art LED, high-definition screens and multimedia content, **Rain** will bring the *Abbey Road* album to life with the launch of the 2019 Tour. **Rain** promises to take fans back to a time when all "you needed was love, and a little help from your friends."

Tickets for the one-night only show range in price from \$45 to \$55, plus applicable fees.

For more information on A Magical Cirque Christmas, Rock of Ages, The Illusionists, and Rain – A Tribute to the Beatles, visit <u>PikesPeakCenter.com</u>.

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