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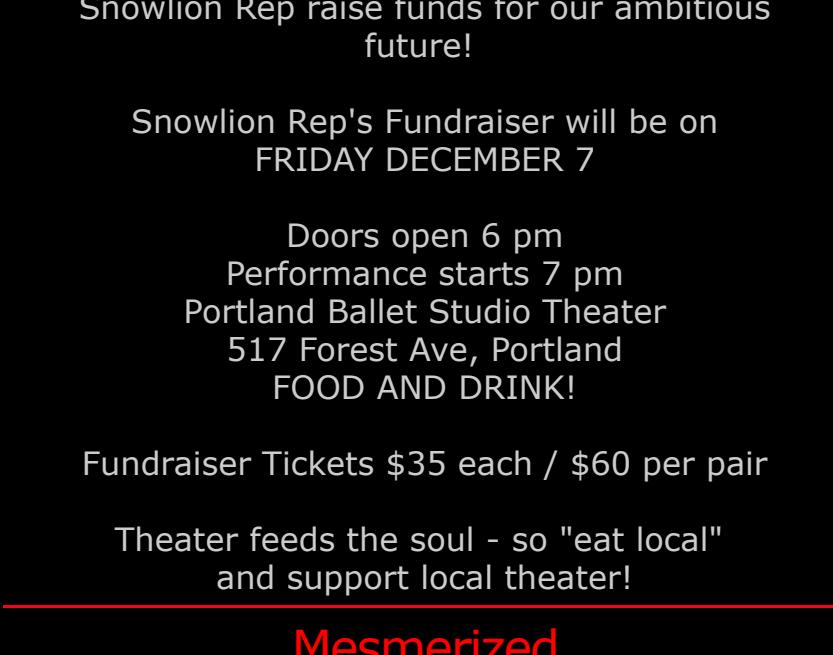
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theater friends and associates and  
help us keep in touch!Catch our fun and tuneful  
PROMO VIDEO  
by clicking the picture below!Or learn all about Snowlion Rep in  
our short INTRO VIDEO  
by clicking the picture below!Maine's Own Margaret Hamilton  
in a New Play!Did you know that Margaret Hamilton (the  
infamous Wicked Witch of the West in *The Wizard  
of Oz*) lived on an island near Boothbay Harbor?Learn all about this iconic character actress and  
her amazing life in a Snowlion Rep fundraiser  
staged reading presentation of*My Witch: The Margaret Hamilton Stories*  
by John Ahlin and starring New York's Jean Tafler.

It's not easy being green...

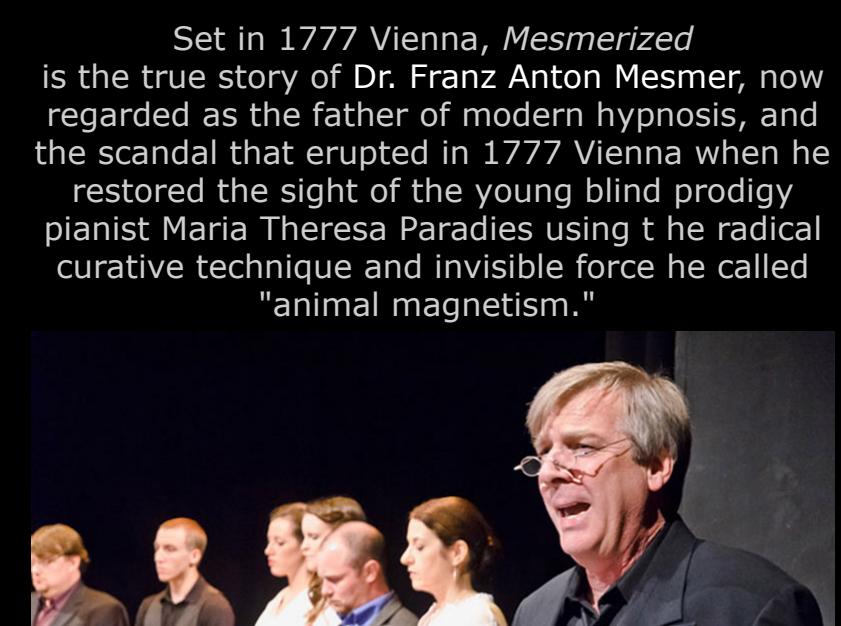
In this staged reading of *My Witch*, we explore the  
amazing story of how a gentle kindergarten  
teacher from Cleveland scared the living daylights  
out of every last one of us...and the brains, heart  
and courage it took to be America's  
character woman.Snowlion Rep  
is  
Theater  
Made in  
MaineCome support this fabulous new play and help  
Snowlion Rep raise funds for our ambitious  
future!

Snowlion Rep's Fundraiser will be on

FRIDAY DECEMBER 7

Doors open 6 pm  
Performance starts 7 pm  
Portland Ballet Studio Theater  
517 Forest Ave, Portland  
FOOD AND DRINK!

Fundraiser Tickets \$35 each / \$60 per pair

Theater feeds the soul - so "eat local"  
and support local theater!Mesmerized  
A World Premiere MusicalSnowlion Rep will be presenting a world premiere musical  
as the feature show of the upcoming season -*Mesmerized*  
(by Al D'Andrea, MK Wolfe, and Darryl Curry).A concert reading of this musical was seen at the first  
PortlandFringe, and the *New Maine Times*  
called it "a triumphant night of theater."Set in 1777 Vienna, *Mesmerized*  
is the true story of Dr. Franz Anton Mesmer, now  
regarded as the father of modern hypnosis, and  
the scandal that erupted in 1777 Vienna when he  
restored the sight of the young blind prodigy  
pianist Maria Theresa Paradies using the radical  
curative technique and invisible force he called  
"animal magnetism."The show plunges the audience into Mesmer's  
world at the dawn of the Age of Reason, populated  
with characters including Mozart, Benjamin  
Franklin, the Queen Empress of the Holy Roman  
Empire, and others - all 100% true encounters  
had by the infamous doctor, presented in dramatic  
musical theater format (with an ample dose of  
humor throughout).The show will be presented at the Portland Ballet  
Studio Theater May 3-12, 2019, starring Alan  
Forrest McLucas as the infamous Dr. Mesmer.From the concert reading of  
*Mesmerized* at  
PortlandFringe 2012Mark your calendars for a musical journey back to  
"the Invisible Century" (which is what Mesmer called the  
universal force he used to effect his cures).Mesmerized  
a new musical  
May 3-12

Portland Ballet Studio Theater

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