


## THE GALA REOPENING WEEKEND: MARCH 2-4, 1990

- 2 THE GRAND ILLUMINATION:  
THE RELIGHTING OF HISTORIC THALIAN HALL**  
Peter Nero and Members of the North Carolina Symphony in Concert. After Theatre Buffet. Black Tie Benefit. Thalian Hall Center for the Performing Arts, 8 p.m., \$100 per person (\$50 tax deductible).

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- 3 THE GALA PERFORMANCE: KISMET, THE MUSICAL**  
The New York Touring Production by Opera Northeast. Receptions before Performance and at Intermission. Black Tie Optional. Thalian Hall Center for the Performing Arts, 8 p.m., \$35, \$25 and \$15 per person.

- 4 PUBLIC REDEDICATION AND OPEN HOUSE  
CITY HALL/THALIAN HALL CENTER**  
The City of Wilmington/Thalian Hall Center for the Performing Arts, 3 p.m. Free.

## CURTAIN'S UP! MARCH 5-18, 1990

A Community Arts Celebration of the Reopening of Thalian Hall Center

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| <p><b>5 BRIGHT STAR</b> (Profile, 3 woman show). Celebration Theatre. The Studio Theatre, 8 p.m. \$ 5.</p> <p><b>6 HATS TO SPATS</b> (Victorian Fashion Show). Lower Cape Fear Historical Society, Main Stage. 8 p.m. \$15.</p> <p><b>7 DEAR WILMINGTON</b> (Living History Presentation). Wilmington 250th Anniversary Commission. Main Stage, 8 p.m. \$25, \$15, \$10, \$5.</p> <p><b>8 CLYDE EDGERTON, N.C. NATIVE AND AUTHOR</b>, (Literary Reading). Friends of the New Hanover County Public Library. City Hall Ballroom, 8 p.m. \$5.</p> <p><b>8 TALKING WITH...</b> (Comedy/Drama). Tapestry Theatre in conjunction with Art Quest Gallery (Exhibition). The Studio Theatre, 8 p.m. \$8; student, senior citizen discounts.</p> <p><b>9 A BROADWAY MEDLEY</b> (Musical Revue). Thalian Association. Main Stage, 8 p.m. Free to Association members; \$5 general public.</p> <p><b>9 BLUES IN MARCH TIME</b> (Concert). Blues Society of the Lower Cape Fear. Studio Theatre, 8 p.m. Admission TBA.</p> | <p><b>10 RIP VAN WINKLE</b> (Grey Seal Puppets). Thalian Hall Center for the Performing Arts, Inc., the Junior League of Wilmington, Cooperative Savings and Loan and Sutton-Council Furniture. Main Stage, 10 a.m. \$4.</p> <p><b>10 A GRAND NIGHT FOR THE IRISH: FIONA RITCHIE HOSTS DE DANNAN</b> (Concert). WHQR Public Radio. Main Stage, 8 p.m. Admission TBA.</p> <p><b>10 ENCORE! A PRESENTATION OF OUR BEST</b> (2 One-Act Plays). Playwrights Producing Company, Inc. Studio Theatre, 8 p.m. \$5, student, senior citizen discounts.</p> <p><b>11 MUSIC ON WHEELS</b> (Concert). Cape Fear Musicians Association. City Hall Ballroom, 3 p.m. Free.</p> <p><b>11 MUSIC AMERICANA</b> (Choral Concert). Williston Alumini Choral Ensemble. Main Stage, 6 p.m. \$5.</p> <p><b>12 ALEXANDER MARKOV, VIOLINIST</b> (Concert). Wilmington Concert Association. Main Stage, 8 p.m. Admission TBA.</p> <p><b>13 HOMETOWN HARMONY HIGH</b> (Barbershop Concert). Cape Fear Chordsmen. Main Stage, 8 p.m. Admission TBA.</p> | <p><b>14 GRAND RALLY OF THE PEOPLE: THE CIVIL WAR IS OVER IN WILMINGTON</b> (Drama and Lecture). New Hanover County Museum of the Lower Cape Fear. Main Stage, 8 p.m. Free.</p> <p><b>15 TULSA BALLET</b> (Dance). Arts Council of the Lower Cape Fear. Main Stage, 8 p.m. \$50, \$15, \$13, \$11; student, senior citizen discounts.</p> <p><b>16 AS YOU LIKE IT</b> (Charlotte Shakespeare Company). Thalian Hall Concert Series and the Wilmington Hilton. Main Stage, 8 p.m. \$10, \$8, or by season ticket.</p> <p><b>16 AN EVENING TO REMEMBER: LARRY PRICE AND HIS JAZZ COMBO</b> (Concert). Willis Richardson Players, Studio Theatre, 8 p.m. \$5, \$3; students, senior citizen discounts.</p> <p><b>17 THEATRE PERFORMANCE TO BE ANNOUNCED</b>. Opera House Theatre Company. Main Stage, 8 p.m. Admission TBA.</p> <p><b>17 WILMINGTON SYMPHONY SERENADE: AN EVENING OF CHAMBER MUSIC</b>. Wilmington Symphony Orchestra. City Hall Ballroom, 8 p.m. Free to season subscribers, \$5 general public; student, senior citizen discounts.</p> <p><b>18 A MUSICAL TRIBUTE TO WILMINGTON</b> (Concert), Wilmington Choral Society. Main Stage, 8 p.m. \$10; student, senior citizen discounts.</p> |
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Information and tickets available at the Thalian Hall Center Box Office, Wilmington, N.C., or call (919) 763-3398 or 763-9328, 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m., Mon.-Sat, Visa, Mastercard