



Bruno (Lucien Cratteri) intimidates Boy (Peter Elgee) outside the Hotel Magnificent in *The Witches*.

NWCT PRESENTS THE WITCHES

The Boy and his grandmother retreat to a sleepy coastal hotel only to find themselves smack in the middle of a witches convention and a plot to turn all of the children of the world into mice! Face to face with the Grand High Witch, the Boy engages in a battle of wits that keeps audiences magically bewitched. This pleurably scary and poignantly sweet tale uses a mixture of puppetry, illusion and magic to create a world that is unmistakably Roald Dahl. *The Witches* plays Oct. 6-29. [Click here](#) for tickets.

Join us for dinner and a show with NWCT's **Family Date Night** on Friday the 13 (!) at 6 p.m. with culinary delights catered by Elephant's Delicatessen. [Click here](#) for tickets and menu.

Bring your grandkids for NWCT's **Grandparent's Day!** Saturday, Oct. 7, offers grandparents \$2 off admission and a special reception during intermission. Call 503-222-4480 for tickets.

Enjoy discounts, early notification, free ticket exchanges and the best seats in the house by becoming a subscriber. [Click here](#) for more information.

NEW FACES ARE 'ACES'!

We're delighted to introduce two new members of the NWCT team! Erica Cafazzo, recently of A.R.T., is our new administrative assistant and house manager. Mary Rochon, a talented costumer, seamstress and graduate of the Illinois Institute of Art-Chicago is NWCT's new costume shop manager. For information about costumes for rent, pricing and availability, email Mary at costumeshop@nwcts.org. Welcome, Erica and Mary!

A RENAISSANCE AFFAIR

Lords and ladies will revel with poets and players at NWCT's renaissance-themed gala on Friday, March 2nd at The Governor Hotel. Feast on food fit for a king by Jake's Grill, enjoy courtly entertainment by NWCT's talented interns and Kid's Company NW, and "make lighter your purse" at the silent and live auctions!

Tickets go on sale in December. All proceeds to benefit Northwest Children's Theater. For more information, to donate an auction item, or to join the committee, contact Melody Bridges: 503-222-2190, or melody@nwcts.org.

OCTOBER CALENDAR

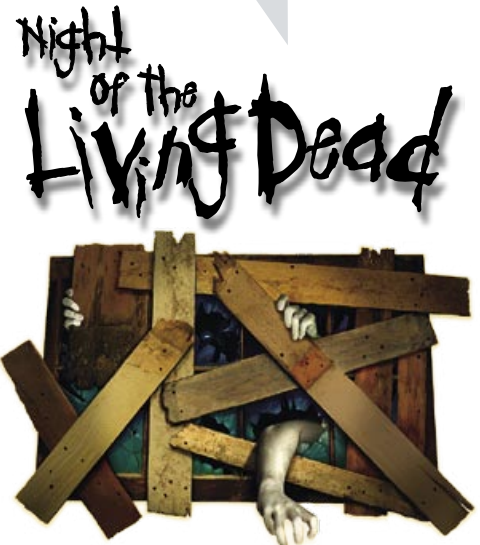
- 6-29 *The Witches* performances
- 7 Grandparents' Day at *The Witches*
- 10 Members-Only reception
- 13 Family Date Night for *The Witches*
- 20-28 *Night of the Living Dead* performances

OUR MEMBERS MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Membership dollars go a long way to fund important NWCT programs, like scholarships and low-cost student matinees. And at NWCT, membership has its privileges! As special thanks to these generous donors, NWCT will host the second annual Members-Only reception at 7 p.m. on Oct. 10. Enjoy a wine and hors d'oeuvres reception, and be treated to a special behind-the-scenes tour of *The Witches*' magical set. Members, [click here](#) to RSVP. (Not a member yet? [Click here](#) to join the fun!)

"YEAH, THEY'RE DEAD. THEY'RE ALL MESSED UP."

Portland's favorite late-night Halloween camp hit, *Night of the Living Dead* returns with all the scares (and laughs!) intact. Tom Moorman directs the undead from NWCT's Teens NW in this live stage version of the 60s B-movie horror classic. Oct. 20, 21, 27 and 28 at 10:30 p.m. [Click here](#) for tickets, if you dare! (Recommended for audiences 12 and up.).



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