



What is WSCTA?

The Washington State Community Theatre Association (WSCTA) has been representing theatres in the state since 1972!

The overall goal of WSCTA is to assist, communicate and coordinate activities and resource programs and services that aid and foster the development, quality, education and growth of community theatres in Washington State.

To this end, WSCTA meets three times a year around the state at community theatres to allow members to get acquainted with the host theatres and their members. WSCTA usually arranges for a workshop during the meeting and attempts to schedule during a play production of the host theatre.

WSCTA is a member of the American Association of Community Theatres (AACT) and, along with the states of Alaska, Oregon and Idaho, comprise AACT Region 9.

WSCTA sponsors the biennial state community theatre competition (Kaleidoscope) to select a Region 9 representative to the AACT National Play Festival.

Both individuals and theatres may hold membership in WSCTA.

Why join WSCTA?

Membership in WSCTA can provide you or your theatre with assistance in basic administration to props! Some of the benefits of membership include:

Newsletter - Published quarterly with important updates, information and topical articles!

Website - New this year! The WSCTA website is available for theatre members to link to their homepages PLUS a listing of important dates, events, activities of general interest and the *Annual Production Calendar*, listing the production schedule for all member theatres. Visit us at: www.wscta.org

Networking!

- Need a special prop, costume or scenery piece? Another WSCTA member may have one you can borrow or rent.
- Scheduling Updates - Avoid overlaps on productions by networking with members.
- Resource Library - Workshop and lecture videos for use by member theatres.

Tips and Tricks of the Trade! Learn from the successes and “problems” of other theatres.

Kaleidoscope - An opportunity to showcase your local talent to our Region and possibly, AACT National.

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