Ashland Shakespeare Festival March 25-26, 2011

Join us for two days and nights of plays, shopping, time with friends, great meals out and MORE on Friday and Saturday, March 25 and 26, 2011!

Dates: Friday and Saturday, March 25 and 26, 2011 with actors talk date TBD.

Let us know if you want to stay over on Thursday night for an additional charge (the 24th), as well. We have rooms booked at the group rate.

Price: \$225 per person/double occupancy (slightly less if you opt to only see two plays)

Deposit: \$100, due by December 15, 2010

Accommodations: We will be staying at the lovely and centrally located Plaza Inn. Rooms are large and comfortable. The hotel offers great breakfasts, as well as cookies and peanut butter after the plays!

Plays:



"To Kill A Mockingbird" *It's a sin to kill a mockingbird*. Based on the Pulitzer Prize-winning novel that, 50 years later, still prods our national moral conscience. A 1930's Alabaman town's history of racism and the struggle for equality has an indelible effect on a young girl's understanding of right and wrong.

"Measure for Measure" by Shakespeare. Who legislates morality? The Duke's authoritarian deputy, Angelo, is hell-bent on stamping out moral decay. Angelo is sternly incorruptible—until he meets Isabella, a religious novice whose desirability arouses him. Rauch's vigorous, modern production of Shakespeare's tragicomedy is a toxic mix of our timeless obsessions—sex, religion and politics.

"Imaginary Invalid" by Moliere. *Is there a doctor in the house*? The wealthy Argan is a housebound hypochondriac with every disease in the book. Lurking around are quacks only too happy to (mis)treat him. Family troubles, including a money grubbing wife and two headstrong daughters, add to Argan's miseries. Original songs, satirical bite and the requisite bawdiness. Warning: Excessive laughter may be hazardous to your health.

Please return this bottom portion to Crystal Carroll (<u>Ashland@starrking.org</u>) or Diane Meyerson by December 15, 2010 with a deposit of \$100 per attendee.

Number of Attendees	Name(s)
Address	
Phone:	Email:

In previous years, some attendees found that two plays better suited their interest and/or energy level. If you decide (ahead of time) that you will attend only two, your final cost will be adjusted accordingly. Please let us know if you wish to attend only two plays.

Remember, your final payment is due by February 1, 2011. Crystal and/or Diane will give you the amount owed by January 1, 2009.