

# FUTURE BROADWAY PLANS

November 26th, 2024

## **Good Night, and Good Luck**

In a landmark theatrical event, two-time Academy Award® winner George Clooney makes his Broadway debut in Good Night, and Good Luck, an electrifying stage adaptation of the critically acclaimed film.

Tune in to the golden age of broadcast journalism and Edward R. Murrow's (Clooney) legendary, history-altering, on-air showdown with Senator Joseph McCarthy. As McCarthyism casts a shadow over America, Murrow and his team at CBS choose to confront the growing tide of paranoia and propaganda, even if it means turning the federal government and a worried nation against them.

Good Night, and Good Luck chronicles a time in American history when truth and journalistic integrity stood up to fearmongering and disinformation - and won.

First performance: 03/12/2025

# **The Picture of Dorian Gray**

Emmy Award® winner Sarah Snook, star of HBO's smash-hit Succession, reprises her Olivier Award-winning performance in The Picture of Dorian Gray on Broadway. In an acting coup for the ages, Snook takes on all 26 roles in this gripping, witty and vibrantly contemporary production that breathes new life into Oscar Wilde's classic tale.

First performance: TBA

#### The Last Five Years

The Last Five Years follows two New Yorkers, rising author Jamie (Grammy Award® and Golden Globe nominee Nick Jonas) and aspiring actress Cathy (Tony Award® winner Adrienne Warren), as they fall in and out of love over the course of five years.

With an acclaimed score by Tony Award winner Jason Robert Brown, the musical explores whether a couple, once united by their dreams, can remain connected as their paths diverge.

First performance: 03/18/2025

## **BOOP! The Betty Boop Musical**

Please welcome to the stage, live for the first time ever...Betty Boop! That sassy-sweet champion of empowerment, that spit-curled icon of joy, that songstress of strength comes alive in BOOP!, the new Broadwaybound musical-comedy extravaganza that's fun for the whole family.

For almost a century, Betty Boop has won hearts and inspired fans around the world with her trademark looks, voice, and style. Now, in *BOOP!*, Betty's dream of an ordinary day off from the super-celebrity in her black-and-white world leads to an extraordinary adventure of color, music, and love in New York City—one that reminds her and the world, "You are capable of amazing things." Boop-oop-a-doop!

First performance: 03/11/2025

## **SMASH**

SMASH, inspired by the hit TV show, is finally coming to Broadway! A hilarious behind-the-scenes rollercoaster ride about the making of a Marilyn Monroe musical called *Bombshell*, it's got all the iconic songs, kick-ass choreography, and backstage pandemonium that make Broadway the beloved institution it is today.

Our cast is stacked, because who better to play a bunch of wannabe Broadway big shots than actual Broadway big shots? Among them: Robyn Hurder, Brooks Ashmanskas, Krysta Rodriguez, John Behlmann, Kristine Nielsen, Caroline Bowman, Jacqueline B. Arnold, Bella Coppola, and Casey Garvin to name just a few.

First performance: TBA

#### Redwood

Tony Award® winner Idina Menzel returns to Broadway in *Redwood*.

Redwood is a transportive new musical about one woman's journey into the precious and precarious world of the redwood forest. Jesse (Menzel) is a successful businesswoman, mother and wife who seems to have it all, but inside, her heart is broken. Finding herself at a turning point, Jesse leaves everyone and everything behind, gets in her car and drives... Thousands of miles later, she hits the majestic forests of Northern California, where a chance meeting and a leap of faith change her life forever. With its deeply personal story, refreshingly contemporary sound, and awe-inspiring design, Redwood explores the lengths –and heights– one travels to find strength, resilience and healing.

First performance: 01/24/2025

## **Stranger Things: The First Shadow**

Before the world turned upside down... Hawkins, 1959: a regular town with regular worries. Young Jim Hopper's car won't start, Bob Newby's sister won't take his radio show seriously and Joyce Maldonado just wants to graduate and get the hell out of town. When new student Henry Creel arrives, his family finds that a fresh start isn't so easy...and the shadows of the past have a very long reach.

This landmark production is brought to life by an award-winning creative team including director Stephen Daldry (The Crown, Billy Elliot, The Inheritance, The Hours, The Reader) and co-director Justin Martin (Prima Facie, The Inheritance). With stunning special effects, extraordinary performances, and a storyline that will keep you on the edge of your seat, this gripping, stand-alone adventure will take you right back to the beginnings of the Stranger Things story.

First performance: 03/28/2025

# Stephen Sondheim's Old Friends

Celebrate one of Broadway's true icons with this legendary theatrical event!

Stephen Sondheim's Old Friends is an irresistible celebration of the master himself, with a company headlined by none other than Tony Award® winners Bernadette Peters and Lea Salonga. Stephen Sondheim's Old Friends comes to Broadway from London's West End, where it earned a bevy of 5-star raves and was hailed by The Times as "unmissable musical theatre."

First performance: 03/25/2025

#### **Buena Vista Social Club**

"The full-of-riches new musical brings a classic record to life." - Jesse Green, *The New York Times* 

Step into the heart of Cuba, beyond the glitz of the Tropicana, to a place where blazing trumpets, and sizzling guitars set the dance floor on fire. Here the sound of Havana is born – and one woman's remarkable journey begins.

Inspired by true events, the new Broadway musical *Buena Vista Social Club* brings the Grammy® Awardwinning album to thrilling life —and tells the story of the legends who lived it. A world-class Afro-Cuban band is joined by a sensational cast in this unforgettable tale of survival, second chances, and the extraordinary power of music.

First performance: 02/21/2025

### **Real Women Have Curves: The Musical**

Real Women Have Curves: The Musical is the new Broadway show that's bursting with love, ambition, and possibility.

Summer 1987, Boyle Heights, Los Angeles. After eighteen years under her parents' roof, Ana is ready to spread her wings. Her dreams of college and a career in New York City are bursting at the seams, but her mother's expectations would keep her home, working at their garment factory. Should Ana pursue her own dreams at the expense of her family's? Based on the play by Josefina López that inspired the iconic hit film, Real Women Have Curves: The Musical is an empowering new show that explores life's unexpected curves.

Real Women Have Curves: The Musical features songs by Grammy Award®–winning songwriter Joy Huerta (Jesse & Joy) and Benjamin Velez (Kiss My Aztec), a book by Lisa Loomer (*Girl, Interrupted*) with Nell Benjamin (*Mean Girls*), and choreography and direction by Tony® winner Sergio Trujillo (*Ain't Too Proud*).

First performance: 04/01/2025