



## NEWS RELEASE

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### ***Single Tickets to ASF's Fall and Winter Shows on Sale Now!***

#### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

Montgomery, AL (Friday, August 15, 2008) Single tickets to *A Christmas Carol: The Musical* and *Charlotte's Web* went on sale today at the Alabama Shakespeare Festival box office and on the theatre's web site. Tickets to *Three Mo' Divas*, the first show of ASF's 2008-2009 season, are also available.

***Three Mo' Divas***, a new hit musical from Marion J. Caffey (*Three Mo' Tenors*), will run September 26 – October 12, 2008. *Divas* features three classically trained dynamos who can sing the notes out of everything from Puccini to Pop to Broadway to R&B. Backed by a band of master musicians the Divas sing hit after hit including "Let the Good Times Roll," "Proud Mary," "It's in His Kiss," "Lady Sings the Blues," "It's Raining Men," "Respect" and more.

In the tradition of *Winnie the Pooh* and *James and the Giant Peach*, ASF continues great family programming with a delightful staging of E.B. White's classic tale ***Charlotte's Web*** adapted by Joseph Robinette. This story of a spider who becomes the best friend a little pig ever had—and whose good deeds are returned in the most inspiring ways will run on the Octagon Stage October 8 – November 16, 2008.

***A Christmas Carol: The Musical*** wowed audiences at New York's Madison Square Garden for over a decade—don't miss it in Montgomery November 7 – December 28, 2008 on the Festival Theatre! This spectacular adaptation of Charles Dickens' tale about of miserly old man who finds the meaning of Christmas with the help of a crippled little boy and a few other-worldly experiences features a score by composing giants Lynn Ahrens (*Ragtime: The Musical*, *Seussical*) and Alan Menken (*Little Mermaid*, Disney's *Beauty and the Beast*).

Tickets are available now by calling the ASF Box Office toll free at (800) 841-4273 or online to [www.asf.net](http://www.asf.net).

The Alabama Shakespeare Festival is among the largest Shakespeare theatres in the world. Designated as The State Theatre of Alabama, ASF has been located in Montgomery since 1985 when it moved from Anniston as a result of Mr. and Mrs. Wynton M. Blount's gift of a performing arts complex set in the 250-acre Wynton M. Blount Cultural Park.

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