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**KIMMEL CULTURAL CAMPUS BRINGS BACK  
*RAIN – A TRIBUTE TO THE BEATLES:*  
*THE BEST OF ABBEY ROAD LIVE!*  
OCTOBER 29 – 31**

**CELEBRATE THE *ABBEY ROAD* ALBUM WITH THE  
GREATEST HITS BROUGHT TO LIFE,  
ALONG WITH ALL OF YOUR OTHER BEATLES FAVORITES!**



**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE (Philadelphia, PA, September 2, 2021)** – The Kimmel Cultural Campus presents *RAIN - A TRIBUTE TO THE BEATLES* with *The Best of Abbey Road Live!* from October 29 – 31 at the Merriam Theater. In celebration of *Abbey Road*, this show brings the album's greatest hits to life, in addition to all your early favorites.

"After an 18-month closure, what better way to celebrate the return of live Broadway productions in Philadelphia than to celebrate with one of our city's all-time favorite shows?" said Ed Cambron, Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer on the Kimmel Cultural Campus. "Our Campus is home to so many art forms – classical and jazz, rock and dance. We hope this return, with the familiarity of *Abbey Road*, brings lovers of *Rain* back to the theater once again."

This mind-blowing performance takes you back in time with the legendary foursome, delivering a note-for-note theatrical event that is "the next best thing to seeing The Beatles!" (*Associated Press*). In addition to the updated sets that include state of the art LED, high-definition screens

and multimedia content, *RAIN* will bring the *Abbey Road* album to life with the launch of the 2021 Tour.

Together longer than The Beatles, *RAIN* has mastered every song, gesture, and nuance of the legendary foursome, delivering a totally live performance that's as infectious as it is transporting. Let *RAIN* take you back with all of the greatest hits along with all of your other Beatles favorites! This adoring tribute will take you back to a time when all you needed was love, and a little help from your friends!

Like The Beatles, the onstage members of *RAIN* are not only supreme musicians, but electrifying performers in their own right!

**RAIN – A TRIBUTE TO THE BEATLES**  
**Kimmel Cultural Campus' Merriam Theater**

Friday, October 29, 2021 at 7:30 pm

Saturday, October 30, 2021 at 2:00 pm and 7:30 pm

Sunday, October 31, 2021 at 1:00 pm

**Tickets**

Tickets are on sale now and start at \$39. Tickets can be purchased by calling 215-893-1999 or online at [www.kimmelculturalcampus.org](http://www.kimmelculturalcampus.org). The Kimmel Box Office is currently closed, as the Kimmel Cultural Campus prepares to reopen to the public after 18 months on September 18, 2021. In-person ticket sales can be conducted at the Academy of Music Box Office, located at 240 S. Broad Street. Group sales are available for groups of 10 or more and can be purchased by calling 215-790-5883. See [www.kimmelculturalcampus.org](http://www.kimmelculturalcampus.org) for more information.

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**Safe & Clean Commitment**

We will always put the safety of our guests, artists, and staff first, and we have worked closely with partners, producers, artists, guests and other performing arts centers around the nation to develop the most comprehensive plan to safely reopen our doors. We are committing to a healthy and clean environment with increased disinfection, enhanced ventilation, and will enforce recommended health authority guidelines, including masks and vaccinations upon reopening.

For more information on our [Safe & Clean Commitment](http://www.kimmelculturalcampus.org), please visit [kimmelculturalcampus.org](http://www.kimmelculturalcampus.org).

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In response to the City of Philadelphia's mask mandate, masks will be required when inside our buildings. Masks are required to be worn at all times when on the Kimmel Cultural Campus, except when actively consuming food or beverage in designated locations. Prolonged periods of mask removal are not permitted.

Effective September 18, all attendees for public events must show proof of full vaccination at the time of entry. Proof of negative COVID-19 tests will not be accepted, with the exception of children under the age of 12; children under 12 will be required to show a negative PCR test result taken within 72 hours of the event. This policy is subject to change based upon guidance

from the CDC and local health authorities. Details and procedures are in development and will be rolled out to the public and ticket holders ahead of the September 18 reopening event.

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**For more information on tour dates, and tickets, please visit:**

<http://www.raintribute.com/shows/>

JOIN the conversation with **RAIN** on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/RainTribute>, follow **RAIN** on Twitter @raintribute, Instagram: @RainTribute and YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/RainTribute>

## **THE SHUBERT ORGANIZATION**

The Shubert Organization is America's oldest professional theatre company and the largest theatre owner on Broadway. Since the dawn of the 20th century, Shubert has operated hundreds of theatres and produced hundreds of plays and musicals both in New York City and throughout the United States. Shubert currently owns and operates 17 Broadway theatres, six off-Broadway venues, and the Forrest Theatre in Philadelphia. Under the leadership of Robert E. Wankel, Chairman and CEO, The Shubert Organization continues to be a leader in the theatre industry. Notable productions and co-productions include *Cats*, *Sunday in the Park with George*, *Dreamgirls*, *The Heidi Chronicles*, *Jerome Robbins' Broadway*, *Amadeus*, *Children of a Lesser God*, *The Grapes of Wrath*, *Ain't Misbehavin'*, *Hedwig and the Angry Inch*, *Spamalot*, *The Elephant Man*, *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time*, *School of Rock*, *Dear Evan Hansen*, *Come From Away*, and more. Shubert delivers innovative ticketing solutions via its Telecharge interface, API distribution, and private-label technology, offering unparalleled distribution and marketing to the theatre industry and beyond. Its consumer-facing brands – Telecharge for retail ticket sales and Broadway Inbound for group buyers, tour operators, and the travel industry – sell millions of tickets each year. The Shubert Foundation, sole shareholder of The Shubert Organization, Inc., is dedicated to sustaining and advancing live performing arts in the United States. The Foundation provides general operating support to not-for-profit theatres and dance companies. Foundation grants in 2019 totaled \$32-million.

## **KIMMEL CULTURAL CAMPUS**

Located in the heart of Center City, Philadelphia, our mission is to engage the region's diverse communities with art through performance and education. Our Cultural Campus serves more than 1-million guests per year and includes Kimmel Center for the Performing Arts, the Academy of Music, and the Merriam Theater – representing more than 160 years of rich history for the performing arts along Philadelphia's Avenue of the Arts. We are home to eight esteemed Resident Companies: The Philadelphia Orchestra, Opera Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Ballet, The Philly POPS, PHILADANCO, The Chamber Orchestra of Philadelphia, The Philadelphia Chamber Music Society, and Curtis Institute of Music. With nearly 9,000 seats per night, we are the region's most impactful performing arts center, and the second largest in the country. Our Cultural Campus serves as a preeminent and inclusive place to enjoy exceptional experiences that reflect the spirit of our region by cultivating a creative and socially responsible environment where our community shares experiences that are delivered with pride, integrity, and respect. As a 501 c 3 nonprofit organization, we collaborate on, present, and produce a broad range of relevant and meaningful events, we serve as an active gathering space for social and community events, we educate the region's young people through access to quality arts experiences, and we provide support to artists in the creation of new work. TD Bank, America's

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