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# MEDIA ALERT FOR THEATRE EDITORS, REVIEWERS AND CALENDAR LISTINGS

# San Diego Musical Theatre Presents Sweeney Todd Sept 20 - Oct 20, 2024 SDMT Stage

(San Diego, CA August 13, 2024). San Diego Musical Theatre announces the third production of their 2024 season, **SWEENEY TODD**, Sept 20 - Oct 20, 2024 (press opening on Saturday, Sept 21) at the SDMT Stage in Kearny Mesa.

An infamous tale, Sweeney Todd, an unjustly exiled barber, returns to nineteenth century London, seeking vengeance against the lecherous judge who framed him and ravaged his young wife. The road to revenge leads Todd to Mrs. Lovett, a resourceful proprietress of a failing pie shop, above which, he opens a new barber practice. Mrs. Lovett's luck sharply shifts when Todd's thirst for blood inspires the integration of an ingredient into her meat pies that has the people of London lining up... and the carnage has only just begun!

Book by Hugh Wheeler, Music and Lyrics by Stephen Sondheim

**PRODUCTION TEAM**: Director: Jason Blitman; Choreographer: Katie Banville; Musical Director: Richard Dueñez Morrison; Set Design: Mathys Herbert; Lighting Design: Michelle Miles; Sound Design: Jordan Gray; Costume Design: Chong Mi Land; Property Master: Jennifer Jones Glor; Wig/Hair/Makeup Design: Monique Hanson; Production Manager: Ron Christopher Jones; Technical Director: Rogelio Rosales; Stage Manager: Shirley Johnston

#### **SWEENEY TODD CAST - FEATURING:**

DeAndre Simmons (Sweeney Todd); Meghan O'Brien Lowery (Mrs. Lovett); Sam Castillo (Anthony); Matthew Javier (Tobias); Salima Gangani (Johanna); Kimberly Moller (Beggar Woman); Tanner Vydos (Judge Turpin); Ryan Burtanog (Beadle); Luis Sherlinee (Adolfo Pirelli)

#### **ADDITIONAL CAST:**

Boston Antunez; Xavier J. Bush; Rachel Dovsky; Joseph Grienenberger; Victoria Patton

# **TICKET INFORMATION:**

Single tickets for SDMT's production of **SWEENEY TODD** are \$60.00 and \$70.00 and children 13 and under are half price. There are discounts for Seniors, Active Military, Under 30 Club, Equity, Actors Alliance, Student Rush and Groups of 10 or more. For Group discount please call the SDMT Box Office. Tickets are available online at www.sdmt.org or by calling the Box Office at 858-560-5740.

**SCHEDULE**: **SWEENEY TODD** show times are Thursdays and Fridays at 7:00 p.m., Saturdays at 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m., and Sundays at 2 p.m.

**LOCATION:** The SDMT Stage, 4650 Mercury Street, San Diego, CA 92111.

For more information and tickets call San Diego Musical Theatre's Administrative Office at 858-560-5740. The San Diego Musical Theatre Administrative Office is located at 4650 Mercury Street, San Diego, CA 92111. The SDMT Stage Box office is open 45 minutes prior to each performance.

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The Winter Wonderettes - November 29 - December 29, 2024

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