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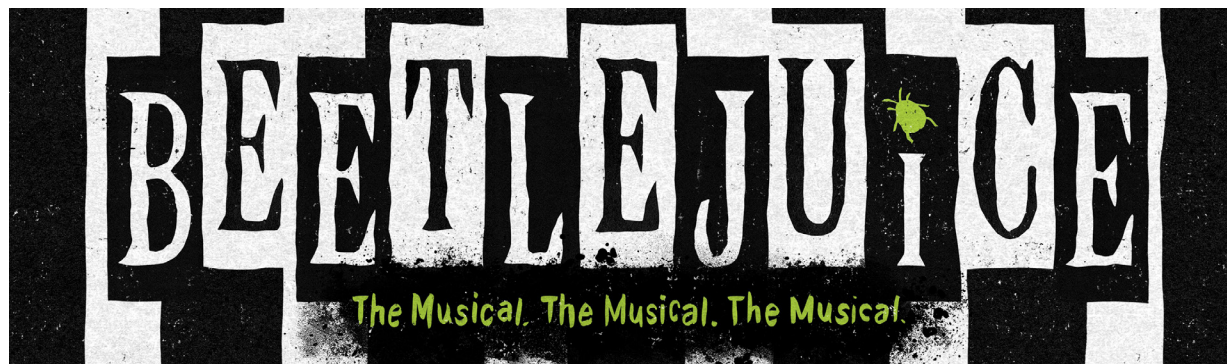


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**Broadway's Dearly Beloved Musical  
*BEETLEJUICE* Coming to Starlight Theatre**



*BEETLEJUICE The Musical will play October 2-4 as part of the 2026 AdventHealth Broadway Series.*

**KANSAS CITY, Mo.** – It’s showtime! The ghost-with-the-most will make his Starlight debut in this edgy and irreverent new Broadway musical comedy. *BEETLEJUICE* will play October 2-4, 2026, as weekend special to the 2026 Advent Health Broadway Series. Tickets are available now to season ticket holders and Starlight donors, and will be available starting tomorrow exclusively via the new KC Starlight app. All tickets go on sale to the public Friday, April 17 and are available online at [kcstarlight.com](http://kcstarlight.com), by calling (816) 363-7827, or by visiting the ticket office at 4600 Starlight Road, Kansas City, Mo., 64132.

Based on Tim Burton’s dearly beloved film, this hilarious musical tells the story of Lydia Deetz, a strange and unusual teenager whose whole life changes when she meets a recently deceased couple and a demon with a thing for stripes. With an irreverent book and a score that’s out of this Netherworld, *BEETLEJUICE* is “SCREAMINGLY GOOD FUN!” (*Variety*). And under its uproarious surface (six feet under, to be exact), it’s a remarkably touching show about family, love, and making the most of every Day-O!

"Beetlejuice is wildly funny, a little unhinged in the best way, and underneath all that irreverence, it has real heart," said Lindsey Rood-Clifford, President + C.E.O. of Starlight. "It’s the kind of show that reminds you live theatre can surprise you—bold, imaginative, mischievous, and genuinely meaningful all at once. It feels like a perfect way to close out summer and lean into spooky season with something this fun."

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## **About *BEETLEJUICE* The Musical:**

The tour is directed by Catie Davis and choreographed by Michael Fatica. *BEETLEJUICE* was originally directed by Tony Award® winner Alex Timbers (*Moulin Rouge!*) with a score by Tony Award nominee Eddie Perfect (*King Kong*); a book by Tony Award nominee Scott Brown (“Castle Rock”) and Tony and Emmy Award® nominee Anthony King (“Broad City”); music supervision, orchestrations and incidental music by Kris Kukul (*Joan of Arc: Into the Fire*); and original choreography by Connor Gallagher (*The Robber Bridegroom*). *BEETLEJUICE* includes scenic design by three-time Tony Award nominee David Korins (*Hamilton*); costume design by six-time Tony Award winner William Ivey Long (*The Producers*); lighting design by Tony Award winner Kenneth Posner (*Kinky Boots*); sound design by Tony Award winner Peter Hylenski (*Moulin Rouge!*); projection design by Tony Award nominee and Drama Desk Award winner Peter Nigrini (*Dear Evan Hansen*); puppet design by Drama Desk Award winner Michael Curry (*The Lion King*); special effects design by Jeremy Chernick (*Harry Potter and the Cursed Child*), illusions by Michael Weber (“Forrest Gump”), hair and wig design by Drama Desk Award nominee Charles G. LaPointe; make-up design by Joe Dulude II; casting by Geoff Josselson Casting; and the line producer is Jenny Gersten. Lauren Guiso serves as the Production Stage Manager, Teagan DeGroen is the Assistant Stage Manager, Sol Rivera is the Company Manager, and Fred Mursch is the Associate Company Manager.

The North American tour of *BEETLEJUICE* is produced by NETworks Presentations. Mimi Intagliata serves as Executive Producer for the production.

*BEETLEJUICE* is based on the 1988 Academy Award®-winning Geffen Company motion picture presented by Warner Bros. and directed by Tim Burton. The smash hit comedy starred Michael Keaton, Alec Baldwin, Geena Davis, Catherine O’Hara and Winona Ryder with story by Michael McDowell and Larry Wilson.

## **How to Purchase Tickets:**

Tickets to *BEETLEJUICE* the Musical are on sale now to season ticket holders and Starlight donors. An exclusive presale will be available via the new KC Starlight app Wednesday, April 15 through Thursday, April 16. All tickets go on sale to the public Friday, April 17 online at [kcstarlight.com](http://kcstarlight.com), by calling (816) 363-7827, or by visiting the ticket office at 4600 Starlight Road, Kansas City Mo., 64132.

Season ticket packages are still available and include the best price on tickets, plus exclusive benefits like free premium parking, a “weatherproof” season, dining discounts, and much more. For more information, including show content advisories, please visit [kcstarlight.com](http://kcstarlight.com).

Discount prices for groups of 10 or more are available by contacting Starlight’s group sales department at 816-997-1137 or [groups@kcstarlight.com](mailto:groups@kcstarlight.com). Please note that [kcstarlight.com](http://kcstarlight.com) is the only official ticket source for all shows in the 2026 AdventHealth Broadway Series. If you

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purchase tickets from another website or ticket broker, we cannot guarantee those tickets are legitimate.

**About Starlight:**

Opened as a theatre in 1950 and a nonprofit organization in 1951, Starlight is the largest and oldest performing arts organization in Kansas City, Missouri, and connects our community through live arts experiences that entertain, inspire, and engage audiences of all ages. Offering diverse programming year-round, Starlight presents Broadway musicals, concert events, and extensive community engagement programming, including arts access initiatives, scholarships, school partnerships, and one of the most well-regarded high school musical theatre award programs in the nation. Located on 16 acres in Swope Park, the historic, city-owned venue is the second-largest outdoor producing theatre in the country with almost 8,000 seats.

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