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“Deer Camp, the Musical” Coming to High Point Theatre

***Laughter and song-filled hunting spoof scheduled for matinee showing on Sunday,
January 29***

High Point, North Carolina, Tuesday, January 3, 2012 – Ever wonder what really happens when the guys go off hunting on a chilly day? Deer Camp, an uproarious musical comedy, follows four fearless hunters on their annual trek to the woods. This year, though, the fellows are faced with a sticky problem: after decades of striking out in search of the prize, they’ve yet bag a deer, so their wives are getting suspicious. Not wanting to break their usual, unproductive routine, they hatch a clever scheme to preserve their seasonal ritual without having spend the day freezing in a deer stand – and without firing a shot.

Fans of the wonderful 1980s sitcom, *The Bob Newhart Show*, will quickly recognize and surely enjoy two of Deer Camp’s main characters, Darryl and his other brother, Darryl. And everyone is sure to be left laughing by songs such as, *Mighty Hunters*, *Coupon Clippin’ Ladies* and *If I Were a Male Dancer*. Written by Gene Jurek, who has sharpened his wit to a fine point over a 50-year career in advertising and entertainment, with songs composed by Americana Artist of the Year Doug Spartz, Deer Camp has been delighting audiences across the country. Echoing numerous positive reviews, Patrick Spalding of Central Lakes College noted, “This show is so enjoyable, we brought it back two years running – and that is really rare!”

“There’s nothing like a good laugh to take the chill off a winter afternoon,” says High Point Theatre Director David Briggs. “So, we were just ecstatic when we got the opportunity to bring Deer Camp to town for one show only, on Sunday, January 29. For folks around here, where deer hunting is such a great part of our culture, it’s sure to deliver a direct hit to the funny bone.” The curtain goes up at 3:00 PM. Tickets are \$25 prime orchestra, \$20 orchestra, \$15 balcony, available through www.highpointtheatre.com or at the box office.

About High Point Theatre

Owned and operated by the City of High Point, the High Point Theatre is conveniently located within the International Home Furnishings Center at the corner of Commerce and Hamilton Streets in High Point. The Theatre features an elegant 965-seat auditorium with continental style seating and three exhibition galleries for meetings, display, or receptions.

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