

2011 ANNUAL REPORT



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Meet Me At the A!

Greetings Friends of The Historic Athenaeum,

2011 – Another year under our belt with 2012 and the Super Bowl directly before us! It was a good year as we had many commemorative events in the theatre showcasing this beautiful venue including a very well appointed crowd at the APA Jazz Finals where Dee Dee Bridgewater sang next to Aaron Diehl – the talented prize winner! The Indianapolis Chamber Orchestra brought to our theatre two local icons for a first time performance between Jenny Devoe and Cathy Morris. What an amazing treat! We hosted a Spirit and Place Event which found an Earth Harp stretching its 50-foot strings across the theatre while yogis practiced below and the audience sat in rapt attention. These are but a few of the diverse events that were hosted in our theatre in 2011, with many more planned for 2012.

Our main focus in 2012 will be conducting planning sessions in order to develop a strategy to determine how we will propel the Athenaeum into its next 20 years and how it will face the future. We are excited about this next phase and will look forward to sharing our collective vision with you upon its completion.

And 2012 is the 20th anniversary of the roof sitter. David Willkie sat on the roof in 1992 for 60 consecutive days, propelling the public awareness to the plight of this historic icon. 20 years later we are planning a commemorative event thanking David and his team of dedicated volunteers which resulted in over \$1 million dollars being raised and a new slate roof installed, thereby ensuring the integrity of the roof shell. Thank you David, Bill, Ruth, Eb, Rick and many others for your creativity and selfless service on behalf of this old haus!

2012 will bring the Super Bowl and the public to Mass Ave and the Athenaeum – and we hope you too! We are grateful for your continued support and patronage.

Cassie Stockamp
President

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APA JAZZ FINALS





YOUNG
ACTORS
THEATRE

3rd ANNUAL
GERMANFEST



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indianapolis
chamber orchestra
Kirk Trevor, Music Director

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intimate classic original
2010 | 2011 season

www.icomusic.org

A promotional poster for the Indianapolis Chamber Orchestra. It features a photograph of three young musicians: a girl with a violin, a girl with a flute, and a boy with a cello. The text includes the orchestra's name, music director, and website.

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Wilhelm Bilgram

Giles Hoyt

Rosalind "Buddy" McCart

Henry C. Ryder

Karl R. Zimmer, Jr.

ASSETS

Cash & Equivalents	\$100,430
Building & Improvements	8,897,016
Land	1,175,278
Equipment	701,207
Other	69,690
Total	\$10,943,621
Less Depreciation	6,947,668
Total	\$3,995,953

LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable	\$159,713
Other Current Liabilities	326,642
Long Term Liabilities	484,962
Total	\$971,317

Net Assets \$3,024,636
(excludes depreciation estimate of \$393,143)

Total \$3,995,953
(with depreciation estimate is \$349,193)

INCOME

Rent from Tenants	\$532,755
Contributions, Grants & Gifts	108,520
Beverage Income	24,149
Events, Parking, Misc. Inc	136,803
Total	\$802,227

EXPENSES

Salaries & Wages	\$220,941
Utilities	214,682
Insurance	32,957
Repairs & Maintenance	89,316
Interest	51,746
Other	148,635
Total	\$748,277

EXCESS REVENUE \$43,950

** All finance numbers are pre-audit*

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VISITORS TO THE ATHENAEUM

2008	157,952
2009	137,541
2010	149,445
2011	176,394

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October 6, 2012





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Thank you to all our patrons, donors and volunteers for your generous support of the Athenaeum in 2011. Your support allows the Athenaeum to continue serving the community as a gathering place for conversation, culture and conviviality. Thank you.

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The Athenaeum preserves and enhances its historic German-American landmark to advance the “Sound Mind in a Sound body” values of its founders through programming that lifts spirits and engages in diverse communities.



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