

Director Fact Sheet

The Aztec Theatre Company presents
Faith County
by Mark Landon Smith

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

Dates:

November 6, 7, 13, 14, 15 @ 7:00 PM

Admission:

\$10.00

\$8.00 w/ ASB

Location:

Esperanza Little Theatre
1830 N. Kellogg Drive
Anaheim, CA 92807

Author's name must be carried in all publicity, advertising and programs. *Rule: The author's name will be no less than 50% font size of the play title.*

Must appear on all printed publicity no less than 12-point type:

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Synopsis:

Somewhere in the middle of nowhere in the south, there's a place where the bee-hive hairdo is still the rage and Saturday nights are reserved for the tractor pull in nearby Pickler. A colorful collection of good ole' country folk gather 'round for this year's county fair, and there's stiff competition in the arts and crafts category.

Concept:

Present day COUNTY FAIR stuck in a time warp of a simpler life. This is their once a year special day!

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| • haystacks | • apple pie | • prize | • wood |
| • lemonade | • peach | ribbons | benches |
| • balloons | cobbler | • baskets | • sunflowers |

~Songbirds who sing notes as sour as the lemonade

Comedic Themes:

- Celebrating hard work and quick wit is best when exercised frequently
- Patience through struggle will lead to an ulcer
- The higher the hair, the closer to salvation

Symbolism:

- A smorgasbord of fruit, vegetables, fair games, fried foods, and dated arts and crafts are representative of the inhabitant's abundant and plentiful personalities, which make this seemingly small town claustrophobic.

Colors:

At this time, colors are still being discussed, but we are looking into a hometown country feeling. The tan found in sweet tea, bright lemon yellow, prize ribbon blue, red and white gingham, various paisley patterns, and mismatched quilted patterns.