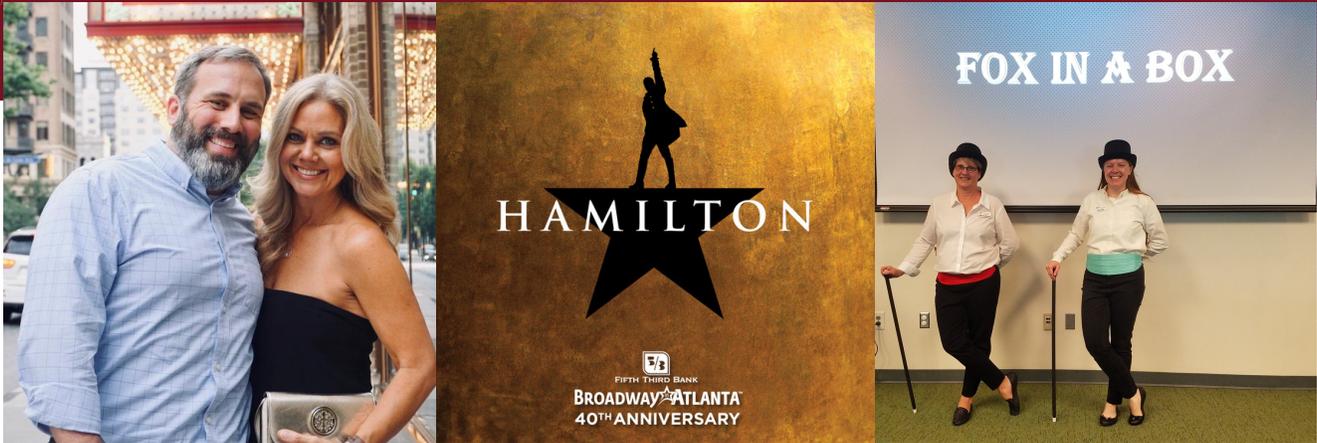




# FRIENDS OF THE FOX

## FALL NEWSLETTER - OCTOBER 2021



## MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Fall is finally here!

We are thankful and excited to share that we recently completed our five-week engagement of Hamilton. We safely welcomed back more than 170,000 patrons during August and September for 39 performances. Thanks to each of you for your support of the Fox and your trust in our team members as you returned for the 2021/2022 Broadway season and in the future for all other performances.

It is also difficult to believe that 2021 is beginning to wind down and we will soon be celebrating the holidays. Here at the Fox we have some festive plans for our Friends of the Fox, as well as some broader entertaining holiday programming offerings. We are additionally looking forward to awarding \$250,000 in FTI Preservation Grant awards to historic theatres in Georgia. To date, FTI has awarded \$2.1 million to over sixty historic theatre projects in more than 38 Georgia counties and four states beyond. We know this year's funding will be impactful to theatres and their communities. To further assist with financial readiness, we made the decision not to require matching funds for FTI grants and we also streamlined the application process. In our next newsletter, we look forward to highlighting some of these exciting projects for you.

Finally, we want to announce that during your fall events, please plan to add a tour of the Fox Theatre.

Our haunting Ghost tours will be on October 21, 22, 23, 25, and 26, running every 15 minutes starting at 6:00 pm with the last tour starting at 9:45 pm. Tickets are \$40 per person or \$80 for VIP tickets (VIP admission gets you two drinks in the Marquee Club after your tour). Regular venue tours will resume starting on November 1st and dates and times will be released soon. Our Friends of the Fox receive complimentary regular tour vouchers as part of their membership – \$100 Friend Level receives two, \$500 Insider Level receives four, \$1,000 Entourage Level receives six, and \$2,500 Encore Levels and higher receive eight complimentary regular tour vouchers. I hope you can join a tour later this fall! To redeem your tour vouchers, please call Lucy Raheja at 404.881.2052. We look forward to welcoming back our dedicated tour guides to share almost 100 years of Fox History with you. To learn more about those tours, please visit [foxtheatre.org/tours](http://foxtheatre.org/tours).

Again, thank you for your ongoing support!

Warmly,

Leigh Burns, FTI Director



# FULTON COUNTY arts & culture

On behalf of the Fox Theatre's Board of Directors and staff, the Fox Theatre Institute would like to express our thanks to the Fulton County Board of Commissioners, the Fulton County Arts Council, and the Fulton County Department of Arts & Culture for supporting Fox in a Box. Through a Contract for Arts Services, FTI received a grant to provide the virtual version of Fox in a Box throughout 2021. These funds will help us share the program with not only our local Fulton County residents, but also elementary students, homeschool groups, and other learning pods across Georgia.

Thanks again to our Fulton County partners for their incredible support of Fox in a Box this year.





**We are truly grateful for the outstanding support from our Friends of the Fox over the past year. After many months of closure due to the pandemic, it has been wonderful to see many of you in person at the Fox Theatre since we have reopened!**

As of July 1st, we have some new and exciting benefits as part of your Friends of the Fox membership. For members at the \$1,000 Entourage, \$2,500 Encore, \$5,000 Marquee, and \$10,000 Legend Levels, you will be invited later this year to a special VIP holiday tour of the Fox Theatre and details will be shared in the upcoming weeks. We are also looking forward to a special members-only event in January 2022 at the Earl and Rachel Smith Strand Theatre located on Marietta Square. More information will follow soon!

If you are not yet a Friend of the Fox and would like to receive members-only benefits, please [foxtheatre.org/FOF](https://foxtheatre.org/FOF) or contact Maggie Fuller at [Maggie.Fuller@foxtheatre.org](mailto:Maggie.Fuller@foxtheatre.org) or 404.881.2023 for more information.

