



My Fair Lady

Enjoy The Brandywiners at the Longwood Gardens Open-Air Theater Saturday, July 29, 2006

Join your MIT friends at one of the area's premier summer events, The Brandywiners' annual production at Longwood Gardens. This year they are performing Lerner & Loewe's My Fair Lady. The Club has its own permanent block of seats (we chose the best in the house!). They will sell out quickly (a number are already reserved as a result of the Newsletter announcement), so send your reservation now! Your tickets will be mailed in late July.

As a bonus, your ticket also gives you a full day admission to Longwood Gardens on Saturday (itself a \$14 value).

Although the buffet dinner is not available this year, if you would like to eat with other MIT alums please meet outside the Longwood Gardens Terrace Restaurant at 6:00 and we will informally go as unreserved clusters into their fine Cafeteria for a pay-on-your-own meal. We will meet in the large walkway at the base of the ramp leading up to the restaurant. The staff will try to reserve a section of the cafeteria for us, so please let me know your intent on the form.

On July 29: Informal Cafeteria dining: 6:00 p.m. My Fair Lady: 8:30 p.m.

Please see the other side of this announcement for important information on the schedule in the event of rain.

Please mail your reservation, to be received by July 15 (earlier, to be assured a seat), to:

John Wilkens, 138 Round Hill Road, Kennett Square, PA 19348-2608.

Alternatively you may sign up on-line on MIT's Infinite Connection via a convenient link on www.MITDV.org.

If you have questions, please call John Wilkens at 610-444-3242 (evenings), or 302-695-3143 (days).

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MIT Club My Fair Lady, reservation for Saturday, July 29, 2006

MIT Club Member \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_ Course \_\_\_\_\_

Guest(s) name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone \_\_\_\_\_

If MIT theater block is sold out, get best seats available (if not checked, will assume "yes"): Yes No

Do you intend to eat with the group at Longwood's cafeteria (if not checked, will assume "no"): Yes No

No. of tickets to My Fair Lady for dues-paying Club Members and their guests..... @ \$25 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

No. of tickets to My Fair Lady for Non-members and their guests..... @ \$30 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please make your check payable to "MIT Club of the Delaware Valley"

## In The Event of Rain

The **Brandywiners'** ticket policy in the event of rain is given below. More information may be found at [www.brandywiners.org](http://www.brandywiners.org).

Your ticket will let you into the gardens all day Saturday (there is an indoor conservatory).

If you enter on Saturday, **save your ticket stub** – it is your admission to the gardens for the play on the rain date!



For additional directions: [www.longwoodgardens.org](http://www.longwoodgardens.org)

## Questions and Answers on Performance Cancellations and Ticket Refunds

### *Under what conditions do you cancel a performance?*

We cancel performances based only on the weather at Longwood Gardens or safety concerns there. **Because the weather is bad where you are or because you have heard an unfavorable forecast, do not assume that a performance has been cancelled!**

### *When do you decide to cancel a performance?*

We make every effort to put on the show as scheduled and we rarely cancel performances before our curtain time of 8:30 pm. If you feel a performance may be cancelled listen to radio stations WDEL (1150 AM), WILM (1450 AM), WJBR (1290 AM and 99.5 FM), WNRK (1260 AM), or WPEN (950 AM) or call our Ticket Office at 302 478-3355. Do not call Longwood.

### *What happens if you cancel a performance after the show begins?*

If we cancel a performance before intermission we will reschedule it for the next available rain date. If we cancel a performance during or after intermission we will consider it a complete performance; we will not reschedule the performance even if rain dates are available and we will not offer refunds.

### *How do you determine the "next available rain date"?*

We reserve as rain dates the Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday following the regular performances. If we cancel only one regular

performance, its rain date would be Monday; if we cancel another, its rain date would be Tuesday, and so on. For example, if we complete the Thursday performance but cancel the Friday and Saturday performances, we would reschedule the Friday performance for Monday and the Saturday performance for Tuesday.

### *What happens if a rain-date performance is cancelled?*

We would reschedule it for the next available rain date. If, for instance, in the example above we had to cancel the Monday rain-date performance, we would reschedule it for Wednesday.

### *What can I do if I cannot attend a rain-date performance?*

We will exchange your tickets for another performance on a stand-by basis if seats are available; call our Ticket Office to verify availability of seats. If you are unable to use or exchange your tickets, you may want to consult with your tax preparer about the possibility of declaring the full ticket price as a charitable deduction; we are recognized by the IRS as a 501(c)(3) corporation.

### *What happens if a rain-date performance is cancelled before intermission and no more rain dates are available?*

This is the only condition under which we offer refunds. You must request a refund within 30 days of the cancellation by returning your tickets along with a self-addressed, stamped envelope to The Brandywiners, Ltd., P.O. Box 248, Montchanin, DE 19710.

Mail To:

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