



## The Cultural Organizations of Jacksonville and the Unions Representing Stagehands and Musicians in Northeast Florida Announce they will Maintain their COVID-19 Protocols

**Jacksonville, Fla. (March 29, 2021)** – The cultural organizations of Jacksonville, joined by the unions representing stagehands and musicians in Northeast Florida, announce that they will maintain their COVID-19 protocols for the time being.

We thank Mayor Curry and the City of Jacksonville for their leadership on public health and relief funding, which made a limited return to business possible for the cultural community.

We recognize that we have a duty of care to those who enter our institutions, and participate in our programs. Continuing our COVID-19 protocols is necessary at this time to protect the health and safety of our employees, volunteers, artists, and audience members.

The COVID-19 protocols of each organization may vary, but they contain common elements such as temperature checks, requiring masks, and social distancing measures. The public is encouraged to contact each individual institution for specific measures that are in place at that organization.

Each organization will continue assessing its protocols based on local data and the CDC guidelines, and we all look forward to the day when we can enjoy the arts and entertainment again without restrictions.

American Federation of Musicians Local 444  
Beaches Fine Arts  
Beaches Museum  
Cathedral Arts Project  
Cummer Museum of Art and Gardens  
Don't Miss a Beat  
Florida Ballet  
Florida Theatre  
Friday Musicale  
FSCJ Artist Series – Broadway in Jacksonville  
Hope at Hand  
International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees Local 115  
Jacksonville Children's Chorus  
Jacksonville Dance Theatre  
Jacksonville Historical Society  
Jacksonville Symphony  
Mandarin Museum and Historical Society  
Museum of Contemporary Art  
Museum of Science and History  
Players by the Sea  
Riverside Arts Market  
Springfield Preservation and Revitalization  
The Art Center Cooperative  
Theatre Jacksonville  
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To read more about The Florida Theatre's COVID-19 health and safety measures, visit [floridatheatre.com/home/breaking-news](https://floridatheatre.com/home/breaking-news).

**The historic, nonprofit Florida Theatre is sponsored by Community First Credit Union. For a complete list of upcoming events or to buy tickets visit the Theatre's official website [floridatheatre.com](https://floridatheatre.com).**

[About Florida Theatre](#): From ballet and opera to contemporary pop, jazz, rock, country and blues the nonprofit Florida Theatre offers 175 cultural and entertainment events annually for every taste and age. More than just an entertainment center, Florida Theatre is also home to graduations, awards ceremonies, lectures, business meetings and charity events that support the community's schools, churches, hospitals and civic groups. As an anchor to downtown development along the beautiful St. Johns River, Florida Theatre draws 175,000 people to Jacksonville's center each year. The magnificently restored Florida Theatre is recognized as one of the finest concert venues in the Southeast. It is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The Florida Theatre holds special memories for four generations. From the Vaudeville acts and silent films of its earliest days to today's blend of performances of all kinds, the Florida Theatre has served as Jacksonville's premier entertainment center since 1927.

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