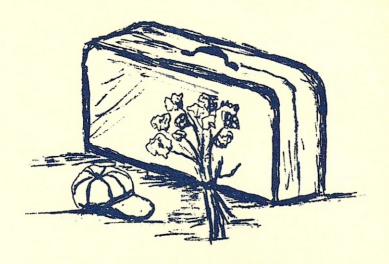


# A FESTIVAL OF ONE ACTS



MAY 7, 1988



# Flowers For Algernon

# Directed By Amy Walker

### Cast

(In order of appearance)

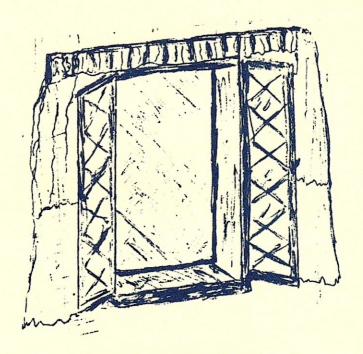
DR. STRAUSS	Vicki Snelling
PROF. NEMUR	Jeff Craft
ALICE KINNIAN	
BERT SELDEN	Jean Ellison
CHARLIE GORDON	Joe Wahler

If all my golden moments could be rolled into one, they would shine just like the sun . . . and after it was over we could have it back again . . .

A compelling story of Charlie, a mentally retarded man and the strange interweaving of his life with that of Algernon, a mouse. Experimental surgery has been performed on Algernon increasing his intelligence fourfold. The operation is tried on Charlie whose intelligence rapidly changes to that of a genius. As Charlie approaches the peak of this brilliance, Algernon shows frightening symptoms of regression. This is a different kind of play: poignant, romantic, funny and tragic but with a hope for man's indomitable spirit.

"Golden Moments" Recorded By James Taylor Logo Design Bob Walker

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# The Open Window

Directed By **Beth Griffin** 

### The Players

Barbara Ankenbauer Wayne Kirsch Tim Sheridan Patrick Toon Amy Walker Mary Weber

A brisk day in the English countryside finds an ailing Frampton Nuttel arriving at the Sappling Estate to recuperate. The fun begins when Vera convinces shy Frampton that members of her family have disappeared and thus the necessity for the open window. Frampton is so completely taken in that by the time his hostess appears, the quiet afternoon is charged with an air of doom.

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As a courtesy to the cast and audience, please refrain from taking flash pictures in the auditorium.

# Rivertown Players Chorus

Director

Bev Toon

Accompanist

Mary Weber

There's No Business Like Show Business
When I'm Sixty-Four
The Shadow of Your Smile
Manhattan Transfer
On the Sunny Side of the Street
There'll Be No New Tunes On This Old Piano
(A Twenties Medley)

Ol' Man River

Dixie

The Battle Hymn of the Republic What Would I Do Without My Music

Additional Accompaniment By DIANE SPAULDING

Rivertown Players Chorus is happy to be a part of the Festival of One Acts this year. We would like you to know that the chorus is available for community engagements. If you are interested, please contact Bey Toon - 926-0480.

# Oklahoma

Auditions for Oklahoma Monday May 16 and Tuesday May 17, 1988, Greendale Middle School, 7:00 P.M. Come join in the fun - bringing this musical to the stage at Lawrenceburg High School in July.

# Behind The Scenes

### HOUSE MANAGER

\*Jean Ellison, Rivertown Chorus

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\*Chris Neurhor, Cast

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\*Jean Ellison, Jan Hizer

### PROGRAM DESIGN

Michelle Kolbinsky

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### STAGE CREW

Cast

### TICKETS

\*Wayne Kirsch

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