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**DUTCH APPLE DINNER THEATRE PRESENTS  
RODGERS & HAMMERSTEIN'S OKLAHOMA!**

LANCASTER, PA — The curtain is rising on a Broadway classic as **Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre** proudly presents *Oklahoma!* from March 27 through May 10.

*Its premiere anniversary on March 31, 2026, marks the musical's 83rd year. The landmark production, created by Richard Rodgers and Oscar Hammerstein II, first opened on Broadway at the St. James Theatre on March 31, 1943. It was the first "book musical" to integrate music and dance, breaking new theatrical ground.*

The first collaboration of legendary composers **Richard Rodgers** and **Oscar Hammerstein II**, *Oklahoma!* set the standard for the modern American musical. Bursting with unforgettable songs, high-spirited dance, and a sweeping romance, this beloved production remains a cornerstone of musical theatre history.

Set against the backdrop of the Oklahoma Territory at the turn of the 20th century, *Oklahoma!* follows the charming rivalry between cowboy Curly McLain and farm girl Laurey Williams, alongside a colorful cast of farmers, ranchers, and dreamers carving out a new life on the frontier. Audiences will delight in iconic songs including "Oh, What a Beautiful Mornin'," "People Will Say We're in Love," and the rousing title number, "Oklahoma!"

Winner of a special Pulitzer Prize in 1944 and celebrated for its groundbreaking integration of story and song, *Oklahoma!* continues to captivate audiences with its heartfelt romance, humor, and exuberant choreography.

For tickets and additional information, visit [www.dutchapple.com](http://www.dutchapple.com) or call the box office.

All tickets are on sale – get tickets now for the best seats in the house! [DutchApple.com](http://DutchApple.com)  
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**About Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre**

Located in the heart of Lancaster County, Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre has been bringing Broadway-quality productions and exceptional dining to the stage for decades, creating memorable experiences for audiences throughout the region.

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