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***Four-Time Tony Award Nominee Performs at Columbus Cabaret***

**February 21, 2017 (Columbus, Ind.)** – The Columbus Indiana Philharmonic welcomes Broadway's critically-acclaimed leading lady **Judy Kuhn** for her solo show at *Cabaret at The Commons* on **Thursday, March 9, 2017** at 7:30 p.m. Co-sponsored by Lohmeyer Plumbing and Salin Bank her show, *Rodgers, Rodgers and Guettel*, celebrates a century of American Song from one remarkable family: Richard Rodgers, his daughter Mary Rodgers and her son Adam Guettel.



**Who:** Judy Kuhn

**What:** *Rodgers, Rodgers & Guettel Cabaret Show*

**Where:** The Commons

**300 Washington Street**

**Columbus, IN 47201**

**When:** Thursday, March 9, 2017

**Lobby Doors open at 6:30 p.m.**

**Reserved dinner served 6:45 to 7:15 p.m.**

**Cabaret begins at 7:30 p.m.**

A four-time Tony Award nominee, she has released three studio albums, and sang the title role in the 1995 film *Pocahontas*, including her rendition of the song "Colors of the Wind", which won its composers the Academy Award for Best Original Song. Kuhn is currently starring as Golde opposite Danny Burstein in Bart Sher's critically acclaimed revival of *Fiddler on the Roof* on Broadway. In 2015, Judy starred in the Tony Award winning production of Jeanine Tesori and Lisa Kron's musical *Fun Home* directed by Sam Gold to which she earned nominations for Tony & Drama League Awards. She also starred in The Roundabout's hit 1993 revival of *She Loves Me* (Tony Award Nomination), *Chess* (Tony & Drama Desk Award Nominations) and *Les Misérables* (Tony & Drama Desk Award Nominations), *Rags* (Drama Desk Nomination), Richard Nelson's play *Two Shakespearean Actors* (Lincoln Center Theatre), Alan Menken & Tim Rice's *King David*, and the original cast of *The Mystery of Edwin Drood* (NYSF).

When this intimate cabaret show, *Rodgers, Rodgers & Guettel*, premiered to a sold out crowd at Lincoln Center's American Songbook, the *New York Times* called Kuhn a "top of the line singer [who] portrayed the lineage of the composer Richard Rodgers as more than bloodline, [but] a proudly romantic musical tradition." Her ability to shape a phrase with velvety legato and find the right expressive coloring for each note and each word is the epitome of cultured vocalism.

Cabaret tickets are categorized into three affordable options: V.I.P. (\$55), Preferred (\$35) and General Admission (\$20). Tickets can be purchased online at [www.theCIP.org](http://www.theCIP.org) or by calling the Philharmonic Box Office at 812-376-2638 x1.

First Class Catering will offer a full dinner option in addition to a lighter hors d'oeuvres menu. Meal reservations are \$18 per person and must be made in advance by calling the Philharmonic office at 812-376-2638 x1. The 3-course meal includes a salad, entrée and dessert.

*Cabaret at The Commons* is Columbus' premier nightlife destination, featuring a dynamic range of captivating artists in an up close and personal musical experience. A full bar is provided by Joe Willy's Burger Bar. Lohmeyer Plumbing and Salin Bank are co-sponsoring the evening with supporting sponsors The Republic and the City of Columbus.

## **ABOUT COLUMBUS INDIANA PHILHARMONIC**

The Columbus Indiana Philharmonic is proud to partner with The Cabaret in Indianapolis to further its mission to advocate a life-long interest and involvement in music. The Cabaret is the only arts organization in Indianapolis dedicated to the art of professional cabaret performance, thus a valuable resource in recruiting world-traveled, top-notch performers to the Cabaret at The Commons stage. With a full complement of concerts and music education programs, the Philharmonic is honored to be one of the arts organizations that contribute to the rich quality of life enjoyed by residents of Columbus and surrounding communities.

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