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**December 2018**

**Auditions**

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<td>Dec. 4 &amp; 5</td>
<td>5:00 to 7:00</td>
<td>BCT’s Performing Arts Center at 316 Beltrami Ave. NW. Bemidji</td>
<td>(both will use cold readings) Derrick Houle will be auditioning for <strong>Room Service</strong>, a comedy about a nimble-witted producer, living on credit in a Broadway hotel, who is desperately in need of a good script. He finds one and also finds an angel with $15,000; however, during a hectic few days, the producer plays hide-and-seek with the angel who wants to withdraw his financial support, manages to outwit creditors, and … 12 men and 2 women are needed. Performance dates: Feb. 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10. Kristine Cannon will be auditioning for <strong>The Death of Dr. Valentine</strong>, an interactive murder mystery dinner theater to be held at the Sanford Event Center on Feb. 14. Dr. Valentine is searching for his wife who was supposed to meet him at the mystery event. Worried, he asks everyone if they’ve seen her and leaves messages with audience members. He no sooner leaves than Mrs. Valentine arrives. And arrives. And arrives. Three women claim to be Mrs. Valentine. It would be very easy to identify the real one — if only Dr. Valentine were still alive to tell us. 4 men and 4 women are needed.</td>
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**Hosting a Holiday Party?**

Think about hiring The BCT Caroliers, Victorian carolers in period costumes singing traditional holiday music. Call Carla Norris-Raynbird at 218-760-5277 for more information.

The new space will now be officially referred to as the Bemidji Community Theater Performing Arts Center or HQ (short for Headquarters).

**Tax Time is Coming**

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