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The Community Theatre of Howell (CTH)
proudly announces their winter play

Escanaba in da Moonlight

INFORMATION AT A GLANCE:

- **What:** *Escanaba in da Moonlight* performances
- **Who:** The Community Theatre of Howell
- **Where:** At Howell High School Freshman Campus, 1400 West Grand River, Howell, MI
- **When:**
Friday, February 1 at 8pm; Saturday February 2 at 8pm; Sunday, February 3 at 2pm
Friday, February 8 at 8pm; Saturday February 9 at 8pm; Sunday, February 10 at 2pm
- Tickets available beginning January 4 at Aria Booksellers in Howell, Euphoria Salon.Spa in Brighton, Maria's School of Dance in Fowlerville, by calling the box office at 517-545-1290 or online by visiting the website at www.cththeatre.org
- Ticket prices are \$13 adults, \$11 seniors and students; \$2 more at the door. Visa and MasterCard are accepted. Group discounts available.
- Sponsored by: Richardson's Meat Processing, Linden, MI.

One of the most hilarious plays around will take the stage in Howell this winter, as the Community Theatre of Howell presents *Escanaba in da Moonlight*, written by Jeff Daniels. Performances are set for February 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 2008. Friday and Saturday performances are at 8:00pm and Sunday performances are at 2:00pm. All performances take place at the Howell High School Freshman Campus, 1400 W. Grand River, Howell. The performances are sponsored by Richardson's Meat Processing, 4402 Cohoctah Rd, Linden, MI 810-735-7268, for all your custom butchering and meat cutting needs, including deer processing.

Beginning January 4th, tickets may be purchased at Aria Booksellers in Howell, Euphoria Salon.Spa in Brighton, Maria's School of Dance in Fowlerville, through the theatre box office by calling 517-545-1290 or online at www.cththeatre.org. Prices are \$13 for adults and \$11 for seniors and students if purchased in advance. They are \$2 more at the door. What a great idea – an afternoon or evening out of the house filled with laughter.

For nearly three quarters of a century, Soady men have trekked to their little "home away from home" north of Escanaba - the heart and soul of the U.P. - to drink, cause a little bit of trouble, and most importantly, bag bucks. This year's opening day is different: Reuben Soady is haunted by the shameful possibility of being the oldest Soady in the history of Soadys never to bag a buck. In a hunting story to beat all hunting stories, *Escanaba in da Moonlight* tells a tale of humor, horror and heart as Reuben goes to any and all lengths to remove himself from the wrong end of the family record book with help from his understanding father, Albert Soady, brother Remnar and alien abductee, Jimmer.

As the fateful dawn approaches, Reuben attempts to change his luck by altering several of the time-tested rituals and traditions of the Soady deer camp, but only succeeds in fueling a series of strange and unexplainable events, causing Remnar, Reuben's overly superstitious brother, to remark, "If I didn't know better, I'd say the camp was cursed!"

The play features Marc Harlow as Albert Soady, Matt Cameron as Reuben Soady, Kevin Rogers as Remnar Soady and Wade Copeland as da Jimmer. Representing the dreaded DNR is Casey Brockway as Ranger Tom. Andy Jentzen plays Great-Grampa Alphonse and Shannon Tersigni plays Wolf Moon Dance.

The Community Theatre of Howell is proud to present this hilarious play and hopes that you will join us for an afternoon or evening full of laughter.