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*Fun for the whole family at Imperial Theatre!*  
**DuffleBag Theatre**  
**A Christmas Carol — Monday, December 28 at 7 p.m.**  
**Robin Hood — Tuesday, December 29 at 7 p.m.**

Holiday traditions come in many forms: trimming the tree, lighting the menorah, twinkle lights, parades, spending time with family and friends, and laughing it up at Imperial Theatre with **DuffleBag Theatre's** fairy tales gone awry! A family favourite for many years, a **DuffleBag Theatre** performance is the perfect way to wrap up the holidays — and kick off a new year — on a high note. Picture it: you're sitting in the audience, enjoying the play, when all of a sudden the show comes to a halt . . . they need a star, and that star is you! Everyone's dream of living a fairy tale can come true with **DuffleBag Theatre's** unique, sidesplitting adaptations of fairy tales and classic stories. It's "interactive story theatre" at its best, where each performance stars members of the audience, and the results are spontaneous, engaging and *always* hilarious!

**A Christmas Carol**

**Monday, December 28 at 7 p.m.**

- *Hear me! My time is nearly gone. [...] I am here to-night to warn you that you have yet a chance and hope of escaping my fate. [...] You will be haunted by Three Spirits.*
- *Is that the chance that you mentioned, Jacob? I – I think I'd rather not.* – A Christmas Carol, Marley's Ghost

Bah humbug! Ebenezer Scrooge is still up to his old tricks. The master of cheap himself is in for a rude awakening when the ghost of his good friend Jacob Marley and fellow spooks swoop in for a visit. This revamped Charles Dickens holiday favourite will take the bah out of your humbug and have you falling out of your seat with laughter! God Bless Us, Every One!

**Robin Hood**

**Tuesday, December 29 at 7 p.m.**

*In merry England in the time of old [...] there lived within the green glades of Sherwood Forest, near Nottingham Town, a famous outlaw whose name was Robin Hood. No archer ever lived that could speed a grey goose shaft with such skill and cunning as his.*

Prepare for an evening of fun in Sherwood Forest in this hilarious theatrical adaptation where spontaneity rules! In Sherwood Forest, Robin Hood joins a band of exiled villagers, becomes their leader and attempts to rid the land of the evil that the Sheriff of Nottingham has spread. Robin stands as the hero of the common people — robbing the rich and giving to the poor, so be prepared for fun and excitement as this legendary hero and his band of Merry Men fight the forces of evil!

Artist Web site: [www.dufflebag.com](http://www.dufflebag.com)

Don't miss these classic stories gone crackers! Tickets are \$14 and can be purchased online at [www.imperialtheatre.nb.ca](http://www.imperialtheatre.nb.ca), by visiting Imperial Theatre Box Office, or by calling 674-4100 (or 1-800-323-SHOW for out-of-town callers). Babies 12-months & under are welcome in arms without a ticket.

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