

*Press Release*

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# **Open Audition Announcement Rocky Horror Show**

**You've seen the movie – Now be a part of the live production!**  
**October 26 & 27, 2009 @ 7:00 pm**  
The *NEW* Players of Utica Theatre  
1108 State Street, Utica

**UTICA, NY** – Players of Utica, New York State's oldest, continuously producing community theatre, is holding open auditions for local talent to be a part of the live production of THE ROCKY HORROR SHOW. All are welcome to attend the auditions. Back stage assistance is needed as well for set construction, design, props, costumes and make-up. Anyone interested in volunteering to be a part of the production is encouraged to attend the open auditions or call Players of Utica at 315.724.7624.

The cast includes a variety of characters that includes 7 men and 3 women plus up to chorus/ensemble parts. This Players of Utica production is being directed by Peter Loftus with musical direction by Bonnie Hibbard.

THE ROCKY HORROR SHOW is the stage version of the ultra-campy classic that unfolds on a dark and stormy night where an uptight couple seeks refuge at the castle of a mad scientist just as he unveils his latest creation for his adoring followers. Players will present the performance January 14 – 17, 2010 at Utica College's Strebel auditorium. Come on everybody – let's do the time work again!

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**About Players of Utica:** Players of Utica, a non-profit community theatre, has been continuously producing shows in Central NY since 1913. We have entertained more than 1 million individuals with first-class community theatre. Players of Utica is an equal opportunity community theatre organization.

For more information, a complete history, and to support or participate in Players of Utica, visit our web site at [www.playersofutica.org](http://www.playersofutica.org).