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**CHITA RIVERA & TOMMY TUNE**  
**“Just in Time”**  
**McCALLUM THEATRE**  
**Thursday – January 25 – 8:00pm**

Two theatrical legends. One Stage. Chita Rivera and Tommy Tune are coming to the McCallum Theatre on Thursday, January 25, at 8:00pm. *Chita & Tune: Just in Time* is a unique concert event that pairs two of Broadway’s most revered legends. Chita Rivera and Tommy Tune collectively have won 12 Tony Awards and this iconic Broadway coupling is guaranteed to dazzle audiences. Chita Rivera and Tommy Tune will showcase the artistry and history that has made them stars of the Great White Way and beyond. The duo will be accompanied by a trio of superb Broadway musicians.

*Chita & Tune* will be directed and choreographed by 10-time Tony Award nominee Graciela Daniele, with music direction by Michael Biagi (for Mr. Tune), and Michael Croter (for Ms. Rivera) and lighting design by Andrew Fitsch.

“I am thrilled to be joining my dear friend, the incomparable Tommy Tune on this concert tour,” said Ms. Rivera. “When we performed together in my benefit concert for Broadway Cares/Equity Fights AIDS in 2013, we knew then that we had something special.”

Tommy Tune says “I love Chita Rivera. This is a dream come true!”

**Chita Rivera** has won two Tony Awards as Best Leading Actress in a Musical and received eight additional Tony nominations for an exceptional 10 Tony nominations. Her career is highlighted by starring roles in *West Side Story*, *Bye Bye Birdie*, *The Rink* (Tony Award), *Chicago*, *Jerry’s Girls*, *Kiss of the Spider Woman* (Tony Award), *The Visit* and the original Broadway casts of *Guys and Dolls*, *Can-Can*, *Seventh Heaven* and *Mr. Wonderful*. She was presented with the Presidential Medal of Freedom in 2009 by President Barack Obama. In 2002, she received the coveted Kennedy Center Honor, becoming the first Hispanic woman ever chosen to receive this award. In 2015, she headlined at Carnegie Hall in New York.

**Tommy Tune** has enchanted audiences for decades with his charisma, vision, and innovation. He has been honored with 10 Tony Awards recognizing him as an outstanding performer, choreographer, and director: Best Actor in a Musical for *My One and Only*, Best Featured Actor in a Musical for *Seesaw*, Best Choreography for *A Day in Hollywood/A Night in the Ukraine*, *My One and Only*, *Grand Hotel* and *The Will Rogers Follies*, and Best Direction of a Musical for *Nine*, *Grand Hotel* and *The Will*

*Rogers Follies*. In 2015, he was the recipient of the Tony Award for Lifetime Achievement in the Theatre.

Come sing along with the incomparable Chita Rivera & Tommy Tune in *Chita & Tune: Just in Time* at the McCallum Theatre, on Thursday, January 25, at 8:00pm.

Tickets for this performances are priced at \$87, \$67, \$57 and \$37. Tickets are available at the Theatre's website at [www.mccallumtheatre.com](http://www.mccallumtheatre.com) or by calling the McCallum Theatre Box Office at (760) 340-ARTS. The McCallum Theatre, located at 73000 Fred Waring Drive, Palm Desert CA 92260, accepts payment by cash, personal check, VISA, MasterCard, Discover and American Express.

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