



The Chatham Players

78th Season
1999-2000

CHESS



"Chess" A Musical

Music by Benny Andersson and Bjorn Ulvaeus • Lyrics by Tim Rice
Based on an idea by Tim Rice • Book by Tim Rice and Richard Nelson
Directed by Joe Nierle • Musical Direction by Jesse Vargas

May 5, 6, 12, 13, 18, 19 & 20

Matinee May 14

The Chatham Playhouse

23 North Passaic Ave., Chatham, NJ

CAST

in order of appearance

Gregor Vassy..... Steve Stubelt
Young Florence..... Ali Rappaport
Freddie Trumper..... Christopher Bentivegna
Florence Vassy..... Michele Walker Crefeld
Anatoly Sergievsky..... Richard Boyer
Alexander Molokov..... Joseph Roberts
Walter Anderson..... Matt Burns
Arbiter..... Carl Barber-Steele
Svetlana Sergievsky..... Melissa Loderstedt
Ensemble..... Stephanie Franca Abramovitz, Sarah Clark,
Lynn Hammer Costello, Jonathan Hiam,
Debbie Dudas Honer, Peter J. Horn, Laura Lang,
Josh Lieberman, Margaux Logan, Meghan Luckey,
Johnathan M. Schwarz, Cynthia Wiese

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There will be one fifteen-minute intermission.

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PRODUCTION STAFF: **Casting** - Debby Hennessy; **Front-of-the-House** - Bill Burress; **Hospitality** - Steffi Denmark, Christine Furlong; **House and Grounds** - Chris and Christine Furlong; **Outreach Program** - Janis Greene; **Painting/ Furniture Maven** - Dani McCulloch; **Photography** - Jennifer Fischer; **Play Selection** - Chris Lukasik; **Program Advertising** - Chris Lukasik; **Program Insert/Mailings** - Kathy Rex; **Programs** - Geneviève Anderson; **Publicity** - Steve Stubelt, Janet Bustrin; **Tickets/Box Office** - Eileen Johnston; **Ushers** - Jean McGuirk; **Webmaster** - Maybelle Cowan

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*Set Design and
Set Construction*
Bob Lukasik

Production Coordinator
Maybelle Cowan

*Video Production
Coordinator*
Chris Furlong

Lighting Design
Richard Hennessy

Ass't. Stage Manager
Debby Hennessy

Video Production Ass't.
Mick Tuthill

Sound Design
Chris Furlong

Stage Manager
Lisa Coard

*Properties and
Set Decoration*
Joëlle M. Bochner
Tish Lum

Scenic Artists
Sandy DeCristofaro
Dean Sickler

Producer
Cynthia Wiese

Make-up
Edith Schenk

Costume Coordinator
Jennifer Caprio

Musical Director
Jesse C. Vargas

Directed by
Joseph Nierle

*Chess is produced through special arrangement with Samuel French, Inc.,
45 West 25th St., New York, NY 10010.*

May 5, 6, 12, 13, 18, 19, 20 at 8:00 p.m.
Sunday Matinee May 14 at 3:00 p.m.

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