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# The ultimate 'Back to the Future' stage experience time circuits in Madison, March 10-15

"A KNOCKOUT EXPERIENCE! TAKE THE WHOLE FAMILY." - CBS Mornings

"BRINGS ALL THE MAGIC FROM THE SCREEN TO THE STAGE!" - Entertainment Weekly

Madison, Wis. (Nov. 4, 2025) — Lead producer Colin Ingram together with Robert Zemeckis and Bob Gale, the creators of the "Back to the Future" film trilogy, and Overture Center for the Arts are thrilled to announce that "Back to the Future: The Musical" will arrive in Madison, Wis., March 10-15, 2026. This spectacular live experience based on the Universal Pictures/Amblin Entertainment film has thrilled millions worldwide. Tickets (\$38.40 - \$158.90) go on sale Friday, Nov. 7 at 11 a.m.

## at overture.org.

The nostalgia-rich Broadway production played an impressive 18-month run at the Winter Garden from August 3, 2023, through January 5, 2025. That production is moving to Hamburg, Germany, starting March 2026 for an open-ended run with more territories to be announced soon. Now in its fourth-year captivating audiences in London's West End, "Back to the Future: The Musical" recently launched a successful production in Tokyo, aboard Royal Caribbean's Star of the Seas, the world's largest cruise ship, and in Sydney, Australia, at the Sydney Lyric Theatre. The musical will launch a UK tour, opening at the Bristol Hippodrome, in the fall of 2026.

The critically acclaimed West End production of "Back to the Future: The Musical" officially opened in London on September 13, 2021, has been seen by more than 1,800,000 people to date, and broken multiple Adelphi Theatre box office records. The production won the Best New Musical Olivier Award as well as multiple WhatsOnStage Awards and a Broadway World Award for Best New Musical. "Back to the Future: The Musical" had its world premiere at the Manchester Opera House on March 11, 2020.

### "THE AUDIENCE GOES WILD!" - The New York Times

Marty McFly is a rock 'n' roll teenager who is accidentally transported back to 1955 in a time-traveling DeLorean invented by his friend, Dr. Emmett Brown. But before he can return to 1985, Marty must make sure his high school-aged parents fall in love in order to save his own existence.

Based on the Universal Pictures/Amblin Entertainment film, "Back to the Future: The Musical" has a book by Bob Gale, new music and lyrics by Emmy and Grammy Award-winning Alan Silvestri and six-time Grammy Award-winning Glen Ballard, with additional songs from the film including "The Power of Love" and "Johnny B. Goode." Bob Gale is the co-creator and co-writer of the Back to the Future film trilogy, and Alan Silvestri composed the iconic film score for the series.

"Back to the Future: The Musical" is directed by Tony Award® winner John Rando and features a multi-Tony and Olivier Award-winning design team that includes Tim Hatley (set and costume design), Tim Lutkin and Hugh Vanstone (lighting), Gareth Owen (sound) and Finn Ross (video), with choreography by Chris Bailey, musical supervision and arrangements by Nick Finlow, illusions by Chris Fisher, orchestrations by Ethan Popp and Bryan Crook, dance arrangements by David Chase, and casting by Tara Rubin. Bespoke Theatricals serves as General Manager.

# "A JAW-DROPPING SPECTACLE THAT HITS ALL THE RIGHT BUTTONS!" – USA Today

**Bob Gale** said, "To paraphrase Marty McFly, you guys <u>are</u> ready for this, and your kids are gonna love it (too)! If Bob Zemeckis and I time traveled back to 1980 and told our younger selves that the script they were struggling to write would become a Broadway musical 43 years later, they'd kick us out of their office and call us crazy. Well, sometimes, crazy ideas give birth to great entertainment, and now Bob and I are eager to share our musical vision with audiences worldwide. Regardless of whether you've seen the original film, 'Back to the Future: The Musical.' with its outstanding performances and incredible stagecraft, will delight and enthrall you, your kids, your parents and everyone you know!"

Lead Producer Colin Ingram said, "'Back to the Future: The Musical' is delighting audiences throughout North America and has sold over 600,000 tickets. Marty, Doc and all at Hill Valley can't wait to continue this tour across North America thrilling audiences with this heartfelt story and

stagecraft that has not been attempted before."

The Original Cast Recording of **"Back to the Future: The Musical"** is available from Sony Masterworks Broadway in all formats, including vinyl. (<a href="https://soundtracks.lnk.to/BTTFAlbum">https://soundtracks.lnk.to/BTTFAlbum</a>) A deluxe 2-disc edition of the Original Cast Recording featuring never heard before demos of the songs from the musical was released by Sony Masterworks Broadway on June 30, 2021.

A 240-page hardcover book, <u>Creating Back to the Future The Musical</u> by Michael Klastorin, the official behind-the-scenes companion to the stage musical adaptation of "Back to the Future," published by Abrams Books, was released July 3, 2023. Orders can be made at <u>abramsbooks.com</u>. "Back to the Future" the film was released in 1985, starring Michael J. Fox as "Marty McFly" and Christopher Lloyd as "Dr. Emmett Brown." The film grossed \$360.6 million at the box office worldwide and the total box office for all three films in the *Back to the Future* franchise was \$936.6 million (over \$1.8 billion in today's money).

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