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MARIN THEATRE COMPANY PRESENTS
A NAPPY’S PUPPETS PRODUCTION OF
FATHER GOOSE’S TALES

Production Dates: September 17 – 25, 2016

A Reimagining of Mother Goose’s Fairy Tales with Captivating Puppetry
On Marin Theatre Company’s Family Series Stage

MILL VALLEY, CA—Marin Theatre Company continues to pull the heartstrings of children and adults this season by proudly producing the Nappy’s Puppets show Father Goose’s Tales to kick off their 2016-17 Family Series season. The incredibly talented Jim Napolitano enchants the stage with his menagerie of co-stars: the many characters that come to life through the magic of puppetry! He uses his keen talents to both mesmerize children and entertain adults with humor, song, and rhyme in this heartwarming tale. Children will adore the creative storytelling technique, large and loveable puppets, and charismatic charm Napolitano brings to every performance.

A Bit About Nappy’s Puppets

For thousands of years, man has manipulated puppets in storytelling for a variety of reasons: religion, education, and entertainment. One of the oldest and most wonderful forms of puppetry is shadow puppetry. Nappy’s Puppets is dedicated to presenting quality puppet theater to audiences of all ages. The goal of each performances is to entertain, inspire and educate the audience on the range and scope of puppetry as an art form.

Jim “Uncle Nappy” Napolitano, a New England native, has been producing puppet theatre for more than twenty years. His highly unique and engaging productions provide entertainment for all ages. Jim has an unsurpassed passion for engaging with audience members big and small through his puppetry performances, and has the incredible gift of capturing imaginations. His repertoire of shows include Father Goose’s Tales, Jack and the Beanstalk, Sing-A-Long, and Shadows Around the World; all of which he has presented to audiences across the United States. Jim Napolitano also offers a variety of educational and entertainment possibilities: private parties, school assemblies, workshops, fundraisers and professional development days.

CALENDAR INFORMATION
Performing Arts | Theater

WHAT
Father Goose’s Tales | Nappy’s Puppets

WHO
Marin Theatre Company
By Nappy’s Puppets
Featuring and Created by Jim Napolitano
WHEN
Sept 17 - 25, 2016

Performance Days

Saturday, September 17, 10:00am, 12:30pm, 3:00pm
Sunday, September 18, 10:00am, 12:30pm
Saturday, September 24, 10:00am, 12:30pm, 3:00pm
Sunday, September 25, 10:00am, 12:30pm

WHERE
Marin Theatre Company | 397 Miller Avenue, Mill Valley, CA 94941

ABOUT THE PLAY
Mother Goose has taken the day off and Father Goose must do all her chores, including the
storytelling! Try as he might, Father Goose just can’t get the stories right....
*Father Goose’s Tales* is a modern retelling of nursery rhymes, stories and children’s songs that
will entertain the whole family.

Running Time: 30 minutes

TICKETS
$18-$22

Discounts
A variety of discounts are available for youth, educators, military families and seniors, as well as
for groups of 8 or more. Contact the friendly MTC Box Office for more details.

CONTACT
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ABOUT MTC
Founded in 1966, *Marin Theatre Company* is the Bay Area’s premier mid-sized theater and the
leading professional theater in the North Bay. We produce a six-show season of provocative
plays by passionate playwrights from the 20th century and today in our 231-seat main stage
theater, as well as a four-show Theater Series for Young Audiences. We are committed to the
development and production of new plays by American playwrights, with a comprehensive New
Play Program that includes productions of premieres, two nationally recognized annual
playwriting awards, readings and workshops by the nation’s best emerging playwrights and
membership in the National New Play Network. Our numerous education programs serve more
than 8,500 students from over 50 Bay Area schools each year. *MTC is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization.*

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