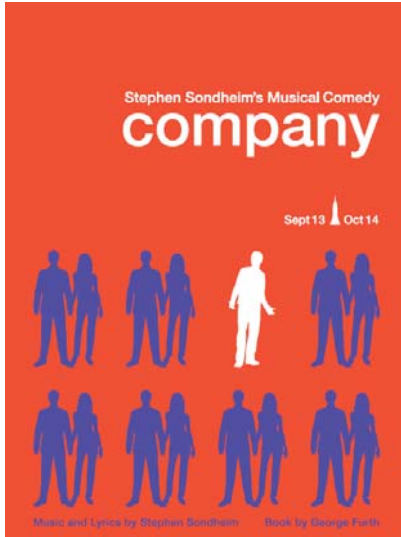


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Arts Club Theatre Company presents

## *Company*

Music & lyrics by Stephen Sondheim  
Book by George Furth

**September 13 – October 14, 2007**

Previews: September 13–19  
Media opening: September 19

**Stanley Industrial Alliance Stage**

VANCOUVER, B.C.— The Arts Club Theatre Company is pleased to present Stephen Sondheim’s award-winning musical comedy, *Company*. Commitmentphobic Bobby (**Matt Palmer**), a 35-year-old Manhattan bachelor, knows about sex in the city, but he doesn’t know if he’s ready for anything serious. Well-meaning advice from married friends helps little—in fact, it could drive a person crazy! Join Bobby as he weighs the challenges and joys of matrimony in this exhilarating Sondheim musical, which features the signature tunes “Side by Side,” “The Ladies Who Lunch,” and “Being Alive.”

Starring: **Matt Palmer, Mark Burgess, Eric Davis, Sara-Jeanne Hosie, Karin Konoval, Alison MacDonald, Tracy Neff, Bonnie Panych, Alvin Sanders, Cailin Stadnyk, Debbie Timuss, Andy Toth, Jonathan Winsby, Katey Wright.** Director: **Bill Millerd.** Musical Director: **Bruce Kellett.** Choreographer: **Valerie Easton.** Design Team: **Ted Roberts** (set), **Sheila White** (costumes), **Darren Hales** (lights), **Chris Daniels** (sound). Stage Management: **Caryn Fehr, Ronaye Haynes.**

### WHAT CRITICS SAY

*“The best musical of the year”* —The New York Times

*“A complete fusion of character, song, and score”* —Variety

*“A savvy, inventive musical”* —The Washington Post

*“Compelling music and lyrics...a fantastic score”* —New York Post

Winner of the 2007 Tony Award for Best Revival of a Musical

**IN BRIEF:** Arts Club Theatre Company presents *Company* at the Stanley Industrial Alliance Stage (2750 Granville St., at 12<sup>th</sup> Ave.) from September 13 to October 14, 2007 (**Previews: September 13–19; Media opening: September 19**). Tuesday at 7:30 pm, Wednesday–Saturday at 8 pm, and Wednesday, Saturday, & Sunday at 2 pm. Tickets are \$33–\$67, with discounts for students, seniors, and groups. Call the Arts Club Box Office 604.687.1644 or visit [artsclub.com](http://artsclub.com).

### SPECIAL PERFORMANCES

- Community Matinee – Wed, Sept 19, 2 pm. All tickets just \$33!
- Sunday Prologue Lecture – Sept 23, 2 pm. Join us at 1 pm for a free pre-show talk.
- Talk Back Tuesday – Oct 2, 7:30 pm. Post-show chat with the cast and crew.

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The Arts Club Theatre Company, now in its 44th season, is a not-for-profit registered charity based in Vancouver, British Columbia, that operates two theatres on a year-round basis, the Stanley Industrial Alliance Stage and the Granville Island Stage. The company also tours a three-show mini-season throughout the province annually.

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