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**PALACE THEATER 17 – 18 SHOWS ON SALE NOW
PHENOMENAL LINEUP TO CELEBRATE SEASON FOURTEEN**

WATERBURY –The Palace Theater's 17 – 18 season is nothing short of phenomenal boasting a two-week engagement of the blockbuster Cameron Macintosh's production of Andrew Lloyd Weber's *The Phantom of the Opera*, plus four other Tony Award winning musicals as part of the Webster Broadway series, along with concerts by Ray Lamontagne, Kansas and Kool & the Gang, guaranteed to have you *celebrating good times* all year long! Tickets are on sale now to all shows and may be purchased online at www.palacetheaterct.org, by phone at 203-346-2000, or in person at the Box Office, 100 East Main St. Shows are added throughout the season as well so be sure to check the website often.

17 – 18 Palace Theater Season:

RAY LAMONTAGNE JUST PASING THROUGH TOUR presented by Premier

Concerts/Manic Presents

October 17 7:30pm

PRICE IS RIGHT LIVE!

October 18 7:30pm

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GENTLEMEN'S GUIDE TO LOVE AND MURDER

October 20-21

THE PHANTOM OF THE OPERA Cameron Mackintosh's spectacular new production of Andrew Lloyd Webber's **THE PHANTOM OF THE OPERA**

KANSAS

December 15 8:00pm

WOODBURY BALLET'S NUTCRACKER

December 16 4:00pm

KOOL & THE GANG

January 13, 2018

RAIN February 16 8:00pm **A TRIBUTE TO THE BEATLES** celebrates the 50th anniversary of the release of *Sgt Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band!*

BROADWAYS' ROCK OF AGES - THE CONCERT

March 3 8:00pm\

RHYTHM OF THE DANCE

March 14 7:30pm

ONE NIGHT IN MEMPHIS

March 30 8:00pm

JERSEY BOYS

March 23- 24

RENT

April 13 – 15

WE'VE ONLY JUST BEGUN, TRIBUTE TO THE CARPENTER'S

May 8 7:30pm

MOTOWN THE MUSICAL

May 11 – 13

POLI CLUB FALL JAZZ SERIES presented by New England Arts & Entertainment

CHRIS COOGAN QUINTET

September 29 7 & 9pm

DAVE STRYKER

October 20 7 & 9pm

November 15 – 26

EMMET COHEN

December 8 7 & 9pm

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(l to r) Cory Jeacoma, Matthew Dailey, Aaron De Jesus and Keith Hines

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KOOL & THE GANG

About the Palace Theater

The Palace's primary purpose is to revitalize the Greater Waterbury community through the presentation of the performing arts and educational initiatives in collaboration with area cultural and educational institutions. Its mission is to preserve and operate the historic Palace Theater as a performing arts center and community gathering place that provides a focal point of cultural activity and educational outreach for diverse audiences.

For more information, visit: www.palacetheaterct.org.

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