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News Release

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**PRIME STAGE THEATRE ANNOUNCES ITS 20<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY SEASON**

**PITTSBURGH-** Prime Stage Theatre officially announces our 20<sup>th</sup> Season featuring adaptations of popular pieces of literary work including the regional premiere of *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* which has Pittsburgh Connections with the author, film and director.

**TO KILL A MOCKINGBIRD** By Harper Lee and Directed by Scott P. Calhoon. This cherished classic is seen through the eyes of Scout, a young woman who learns tolerance, courage and integrity from her father, a man who refuses to compromise his ideals. We are proud to lead the NEA/Big Read Program with several local libraries and partners.

**November 4 - 13, 2016**

**1984** By George Orwell and Directed by Richard Keitel. George Orwell's timely novel comes to life as Winston, a young employee in the Ministry of Truth who corrects "errors," faces the consequences of falling in love and creating his own truth in a dangerous society of surveillance, identity and control by "Big Brother."

**March 3 - 12, 2017**

**THE PERKS OF BEING A WALLFLOWER** By Stephen Chbosky and Directed by Jeffrey M. Cordell. This regional premiere of this coming of age story, set in Pittsburgh, will get audiences wrapped up with Charlie, an observant "wallflower," as he charts a course through the strange world between adolescence and adulthood.

**May 5 - 14, 2017**

**Second Annual Sensory-Friendly Performance with "Perks"**  
**Saturday, May 13th**

Public Performances - Tickets: on-line at [www.primestage.com](http://www.primestage.com)

The mission of Prime Stage Theatre is to entertain, inspire and enrich through professional theatre by bringing literature to life.

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