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## **NEWS FROM THE O'NEILL**

### **KARL KELLY & THE KELLY COMPANY TO PLAY O'NEILL'S CABIN FEVER CONCERT SERIES**

**Monday, June 29, 2009 at 7:00pm in the Amphitheater at  
The Eugene O'Neill Theater Center, 305 Great Neck Road, Waterford, CT**

The Eugene O'Neill Theater Center's Cabin Fever Series kicks off the summer right with live music by Karl Kelly & The Kelly Company on Monday, June 29. The local band will be rocking the Amphitheater at the O'Neill from 7:00 to 10:00 pm.

Karl Kelly, former lead singer of Anthony and the Locomotives, leads a band of seasoned players in his latest project. Karl is a natural performer and this show promises to be full of good humor, surprises and a musical mix of soulful blues, rock and funk.

Come to the Amphitheater at the O'Neill on June 29 for a great evening of live music, good company, and kick-up-your-heels fun under the stars! Wine, beer, and soft drinks available for purchase at Blue Gene's Pub.

Also, don't miss all of the exciting summer happenings at the O'Neill, including the National Puppetry Conference, National Playwrights Conference, National Music Theater Conference, Cabaret and Performance Conference, and performances by summer Theatermakers students. For more information, call (860) 443-5378 or visit [www.theoneill.org](http://www.theoneill.org).

The O'Neill is located at 305 Great Neck Road, Waterford. The Cabin Fever series will return in the fall, with dates to be announced.

The Eugene O'Neill Theater Center, founded in 1964, is the pre-eminent center for the development of new works and new voices for the American theater. It has been home to more than 1,000 new works for the stage and 2,500 emerging artists. Scores of projects developed at the O'Neill have gone on to full productions at other theaters around the world, including Broadway, off-Broadway and major regional theaters. The O'Neill is itself the winner of a special Tony Award; the first Jujamcyn Award for Theater Excellence in recognition of its outstanding contribution to the development of creative talent for the theater; the National Opera

Award; and the Arts and Business Council Encore Award. The O'Neill's programs include the National Playwrights Conference, National Music Theater Conference, Puppetry Conference, Cabaret & Performance Conference, National Critics Institute, and the fully accredited National Theater Institute, which includes semester-long, fully accredited intensive theater training programs and a six-week accredited summer program, Theatermakers. In addition, the O'Neill owns and operates the Monte Cristo Cottage, a National Historic Landmark and the childhood home of Nobel Prize-winning and four-time Pulitzer Prize-winning playwright, Eugene O'Neill. For more information regarding the Center, please visit the O'Neill website at [www.theoneill.org](http://www.theoneill.org) or call 860-443-5378.

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