

WESTPORT COUNTRY PLAYHOUSE

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Westport Country Playhouse Partners with The Clubhouse for “Pick Your Poison!” on July 8

Westport Country Playhouse and The Clubhouse will team up for "Pick Your Poison!" on Wednesday, July 8, at 6 p.m., at The Clubhouse, 1620 Post Road East in Westport, for an evening of mystery, interactive fun, and theatrical intrigue.

Inspired by the Playhouse's upcoming production of "Agatha Christie's The Murder of Roger Ackroyd," the "Pick Your Poison" event will immerse guests in the world of the Queen of Crime. Local student actors will perform scenes from the stage adaptation of the classic whodunit, while attendees can test their detective skills by solving a series of fast-paced, 30-second mysteries.

Guests will also receive discounted tickets and concession vouchers for "Agatha Christie's The Murder of Roger Ackroyd," running July 14 through Aug. 1 at the Playhouse. Keeping with the evening's spirited theme, guests are invited to "Pick Your Poison" from a selection of beverages, as well as food, available for purchase from The Clubhouse.

Admission is free. Space is limited; advance RSVP is required at:

<https://pages.wordfly.com/westportcountryplayhouse/pages/The-Playhouse-The-Clubhouse/?sid=NjA2XzE3MTE1Xzg4MjEyXzcwOTk&sourceNumber=7781>

"Agatha Christie's The Murder of Roger Ackroyd" follows legendary detective Hercule Poirot as he investigates the killing of a wealthy man, uncovering hidden motives and long-buried secrets among a cast of intriguing suspects. The novel has been hailed as "the greatest whodunit ever written" and cemented Christie's reputation as the "Queen of Crime." Dame Agatha's iconic mystery unfolds on stage with all the elegance, cleverness, and suspense that have made it a timeless favorite.

The production is adapted for the stage and directed by Mark Shanahan, Playhouse artistic director, from the novel by Agatha Christie, in association with Agatha Christie Ltd.

Production Supporters are Alison and Mark Smith. Production Patrons are Sunny and Jim Neff, and Cummings & Lockwood LLC. 2026 Programming and Season Sponsor is Barbara Streicker. 2026 Media sponsors are Moffly Media and WSHU Public Radio. 2026 Opening Night Sponsor is Hightower Signature Wealth. Westport Country Playhouse is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization.

For full details on "Agatha Christie's The Murder of Roger Ackroyd," visit:

<https://www.westportplayhouse.org/show/murder-of-roger-ackroyd/>

A complete schedule of Playhouse events is available at westportplayhouse.org. All play titles, artists, dates, and times are subject to change.

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For Westport Country Playhouse information and tickets, visit westportplayhouse.org or call the box office at (203) 227-4177, toll-free at 1-888-927-7529. Stay connected to the Playhouse on Facebook (Westport Country Playhouse), Instagram ([wcplayhouse](https://www.instagram.com/wcplayhouse)), and YouTube ([WestportPlayhouse](https://www.youtube.com/WestportPlayhouse)). Westport Country Playhouse is located at 25 Powers Court, off Route 1, Westport.

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