

COMBAT RADIO'S CHRISTMAS CAROL FOR A CURE

“The world’s most epic Christmas party!”

—Director Stephen Surjik (*The Witcher*, *Daredevil*, *FBI*)



THE EVENT, THE CAUSE...

"Just an incredible experience!"

-Former Warner Bros. Senior Vice President Bill Daly



You're invited to the ultimate Christmas party.

Join cast members like Ron Perlman (*Sons Of Anarchy, Hellboy*), Paul Reiser (*Mad About You*), Clancy Brown (*The Shawshank Redemption, SpongeBob*), Robert Carradine (*Revenge of the Nerds, The Long Riders*), Violet McGraw (*Megan, Megan 2*) Emmy winner Carolyn Hennesy, Jenette Goldstein (*Titanic, Aliens*), Madeline McGraw (*Black Phone*), Ricco Ross (*Beauty In Black, Aliens*) and more and they take the stage for an epic broadcast reading of *A Christmas Carol* at the legendary Saban Theater in Beverly Hills...

Featuring L-I-V-E foley sound FX and music from Marc Marc (ELO, Danny Elfman)

This is an event to help children battling NMOSD (Neuromyelitis Optica Spectrum Disorder) and pediatric cancer and many of the children battling these conditions are part of this event both as part of the production and in the audience with their families...

THIS EVENT WILL SELL OUT!

"Emotional, inspiring, hilarious and...not to be missed!"

—Former Warner Bros. Senior Vice President Billy Daly (who worked on *Harry Potter, Batman, Lethal Weapon*)

THE PERFORMANCE

“One incredible moment after another...” —Jon Divens (Producer of *Blade*, *Blade 2*)



Clancy Brown (*The Shawshank Redemption*, *SpongeBob*) as our Narrator...

Ron Perlman (*Sons Of Anarchy*, *Hellboy*) Paul Reiser (*Mad About You*) and Ricco Ross (*Aliens*, *Beauty in Black*) Nickie Bryar (*Family Guy*, *The Cleveland Show*) start the journey with Scrooge...



Oscar winner Keith Carradine (*The Long Riders*, *Big Bang Theory*), Emmy Winner Carolyn Hennesy and Shawn Dettenmaier on stage. (Right)

Keith David (*The Thing*, *Princes and The Frog*) goes into a song...



Paul Reiser, Emmy Winner Carolyn Hennesy, Violet McGraw (*Megan, Megan 2*), David Errigo (*Phineas and Ferb*) and Nickie Bryar (*Invincible, Family Guy*) on stage...



Keyth Farley (*Adventure Time*) as the Ghost of Christmas Future...



Johnny Vatos (Former drummer for Oingo Boingo, *From Dusk Till Dawn*) and Roger Craig Smith (*Avengers Assemble, Sonic The Hedgehog*) work the foley station...



“Absolute magic! See you again this year!”

—Director Michael Lange (*X Files*, *Bones*, *Criminal Minds*)

JOIN US ON THE RED CARPET...

This event is missing one thing....Y-O-U!



Ron Perlman (*Sons Of Anarchy*) Adrian Paul (*Highlander*) Emmy winner Carolyn Hennesy, Charlie Schlatter (*The Flash*), Roger Craig Smith (The voice of Captain America, *Assassin's Creed*) on deck.



Tom Arnold talks about his experience. (Left) Cast members Ricco Ross (*Aliens, Beauty In Black*)

“The only way to spend Christmas!”

—Oscar Nominee/Disney Legend Harrison Ellenshaw (*Star Wars*, *Tron*)



1.) Ron Perlman and a guest. 2) The X-Men came out in force. 3.) Cast member Jenette Goldstein (*Titanic*, *Lethal Weapon*) and Music Director Marc Mann (ELO, Danny Elfman) on deck after the performance...



Director Stephen Surjik (*The Witcher*, *Daredevil*)
 Producer Jon Divens (*Blade*, *Blade 2*) and Warner Bros.
 Vet Ethan Dettenmaier on deck..

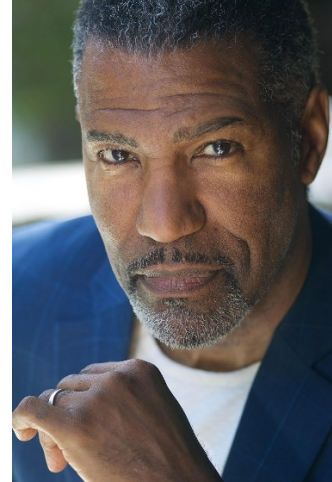
“Every year, we go to the Academy Awards. I would
 rather miss that, than miss this show. It is that good!”

—Actor Peter Jason

(who has appeared in almost over 300 films)

PRODUCERS

Lota Hadley, (MGM, Warner Bros.), Ethan Dettenmaier (who worked with John Milius, Producer Steven Reuther) Jason Shuman (*Winning Time*/HBO, *Acapulco*/Apple TV), Ricco Ross (*Aliens*, *Mission Impossible*, *Beauty In Black*/Netflix)



THE WRITERS...

Combat Radio's Christmas Carol for Cure starts with a script. The structure is, of course, the classic Charles Dickens story but with some added fire-power from the likes of ten-time Emmy nominated Producer Steven Peterman (*Murphy Brown*, *Hannah Montana*), Mark Brazill (Creator of *That 70's Show*) Emmy Winner Russ Woody (*The Drew Carey Show*) Producer Dan Truly (*Law and Order SVU*, *Blue Bloods*) Jeff Astrof (*Shining Vale*, *Friends*) Producer Mark Amato (CBS, Hallmark Channel). Producer Shawn Dettenmaier oversees this 'Writers Room' and every year, the script gets a comedic update before it goes to the cast...



"Film making experience wrapped into a good cause and delivered as incredible entertainment. Looking forward to seeing the new show!"

—Mark Marshall (Spielberg's former assistant, Production Supervisor on Harry Potter)

Director Keythe Farley (*Adventure Time*, pictured below with some of our USMC guests).



The show's Production Design is by James 'Skip' Torvinen (*Abbott Elementary*, *Obi Wan Kenobi*) Costumes by Golden Globe winner Shon LeBlanc. Some sets are provided by the CBS Scenic Department. Christmas trees provided by Santa and Sons at L.A. Valley College.

THE MISSION

Shawn Dettenmaier started a charity when she was in the third grade. She adopted families for Christmas, adopted shelters, filled food banks and provided meals, school supplies and Christmas presents to thousands of families across Los Angeles, living in tents and cardboard boxes. She was decorated by The Mayor of Los Angeles (twice) and put everything she had into her community...

In 2023, she suddenly lost her vision and was hospitalized at UCLA Medical Center. She had been diagnosed with NMOSD, a rare disease that can blind you, paralyze you or even kill you in a matter of minutes. (If you were given an NMOSD diagnosis in 2000, you had an estimated four-years to live) ...

Every night, from her hospital room, she could see the decorative lights of the Children's Hospital next door. She knew there were children there, in pain, in the final days of their life with terrified families living on prayers and hope. A very relatable situation, and while she was at UCLA, Shawn's father actually collapsed in the hallway outside her hospital room from a blood clot over both lungs (doctors believed this was from sleeping in a chair next to Shawn's hospital

bed every night) The UCLA emergency room revived him, and he would recover in the ICU while Shawn stayed on the 6th floor. It was a dark and terrifying time...



But then, a miracle happened...

In June of 2023, Shawn was introduced to the Guthy-Jackson Foundation. Their work went beyond caring for patients who deal with this deadly disease, they had invested in scientific research that led to three highly-effective FDA approved therapies to give NMOSD patients a fighting chance to retain their vision, fight off paralysis and have a shot at a future—and the foundation is currently driving towards a cure, but not just for NMOSD. Their work, which is based around the discovery of a blood biomarker (by The Mayo Clinic in 2003) —a biomarker unique ONLY to NMOSD patients—appears to be a blueprint, not just for curing NMOSD but a blueprint for curing other auto-immune disorders like MS, diabetes, Lupus and even cancer. Yes...CANCER! (research towards this innovative treatment, know as CAR-T therapy or ‘tolerization’ can be found on the Guthy-Jackson website www.guthyjacksonfoundation.org).

Imagine, a world without cancer, Lupus and MS! That world is quickly becoming our reality...

A cure is now within reach, possibly within the next three to five years. We can get there sooner with your help. We can save our loved ones, our children, everyone suffering from NMO, MS, Lupus and even cancer.

Combat Radio’s Christmas Carol for a Cure supports this very cause. Every dollar goes to this mission! Money raised will go towards research and clinical trials (you can sign up for these trials at usa.gov) and doctors from UCLA and Harvard Medical will be present at this event to answer all your questions and discuss this research.

HOPE-IS-HERE!

And Shawn? Shawn still managed to graduate from CSUN with honors even though most of her schoolwork was done from a hospital bed or an emergency room. She is now a graduate student who makes it her mission to help others. In addition to Combat Radio's Christmas Carol for a Cure, she still holds her annual Christmas event for social services and hopes to always continue it



Event Creator, Shawn Dettenmaier awarded by the Senate for her effort to help NMOSD patients...

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SILENT AUCTION...



Our event includes a world class silent auction featuring once-in-a-life-time experiences and signed items from members of the Rock N Roll Hall Of Fame, (like Guns N Roses, The Doors –even Danny Elfman) Disney imagineers, cast members from *Star Wars*, *Avengers*, *Game of Thrones* and more...

The auction is available online for anyone to participate and get involved with:
Maketheworldabetterplace.org

IN ADDITION TO THE EVENT...

AN EIGHT-PART TV SERIES STARTING THIS FALL...

This year, the production will be followed by a film crew for an eight-part series on the production. We'll follow the cast, the writers (working in the writer's room), the producers, comedy of it all A-N-D possibly include YOU!



And follow the production with the 'Combat Radio Christmas Carol Podcast' featuring the cast, crew, writers, backstage stories and ticket giveaways. (Fridays at brigaderadioone.org) This show also has a Youtube component that gives you a visual of the work in the trenches...



What we do is bring together the best in entertainment and create a once-in-a-lifetime performance event for you to witness and be part of...

How can YOU help....?

What can YOU do?

HERO-UP AND BECOME A PARTNER....

THE ULTIMATE SCROOGE PACKAGE...



A tax-deductible donation of \$25,000 unlocks...



Get your brand/logo on the red carpet (and all media materials, including playbook and promotional commercials leading up to the event



Get a commercial in the TV broadcast AND credit on the broadcast (and IMBD) along with a weekly mention on the Combat Radio Christmas Carol Production Broadcast.



10 commercials on Combat Radio/Brigade-Radio-One over the holiday season...



Get close to the action with 20 VIP/Backstage passes and seats right up front, just off the stage...



A private party, early red-carpet access before doors...



PRIVATE DINNER with cast and crew for you and your guests (20) hosted by LEGENDARY celebrity chef to Robert Downey Jr. CHEF KIKI



Private backstage tour, prior to the show. Meet the cast, the production team and see them in action...



Special access to the AFTER-PARTY with the cast and crew/meet and greet...



The ULTIMATE VIP cargo box for you and your guests (including signed posters, swag and more...)



Get interviewed on the red carpet as part of the streamed broadcast.



Know that you helped save a life!

THE CHRISTMAS STORY PACKAGE



A tax-deductible donation of \$15,000 unlocks...

- ❖ Get your brand on the red carpet (and all media materials, including playbook and promotional commercials leading up to the event...
- ❖ Get a commercial in the TV broadcast AND credit on the broadcast (and IMDB)...
- ❖ Three commercials on Combat Radio/Brigade-Radio-One
- ❖ Get close to the action with 12 VIP/Backstage passes, right up front just off the stage...
- ❖ A private party, early red carpet access before doors...
- ❖ Get a private backstage tour before the show, meet the cast, see production, get into the action...
- ❖ Special access to the AFTER-PARTY with the cast and crew...
- ❖ The ULTIMATE VIP cargo box for you and your friends (including signed poster and more...)
- ❖ Get interviewed on the red carpet as part of the streamed broadcast.
- ❖ Know that you helped save a life

THE DIE HARD GIFT PACKAGE



A tax-deductible donation of \$10,000 unlocks...

- ❖ Get your brand on the red carpet (and all media materials, including playbook and promotional commercials leading up to the event...
- ❖ Get close to the action with 8 VIP/Backstage passes right up front just off the stage...
- ❖ A private party, early red carpet access before doors...
- ❖ Get a private backstage tour before the show, meet the cast, see production, get into the action...
- ❖ Special access to the AFTER-PARTY cast meet and greet...
- ❖ The ULTIMATE VIP cargo box for you and your friends (including signed posters and more...)
- ❖ Get interviewed on the red carpet as part of the streamed broadcast
- ❖ Know that you helped save a life...

THE POLAR EXPRESS...



A tax-deductible donation of \$5,000 unlocks...

Eight VIP/Backstage passes right up front just off the stage...

- ◉ A private party, early red-carpet access before doors...
- ◉ Get a private backstage tour before the show, meet the cast, see production, get into the action...
- ◉ Special access to the AFTER-PARTY with the cast and crew/meet and greet...
- ◉ The ULTIMATE VIP cargo box for you and your friends (including signed posters and more
- ◉ Know that you helped save a life...

BUDDY THE ELF



A tax-deductible donation of \$2,500 unlocks...

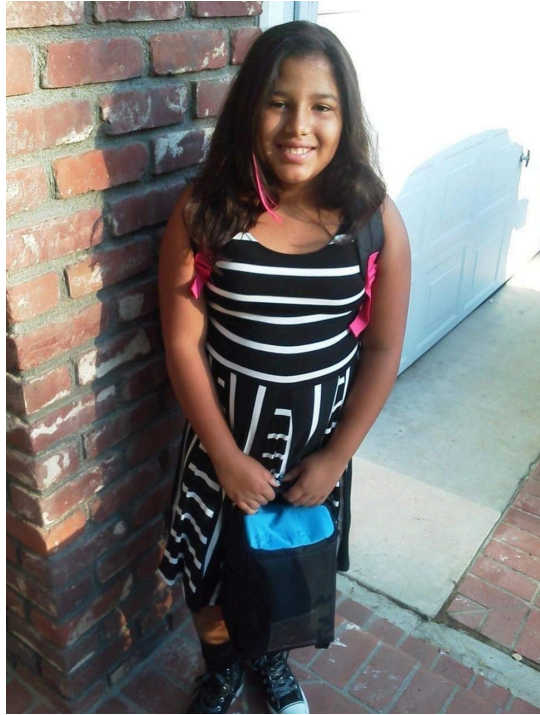
- ◉Get close to the action with four VIP/Backstage passes, right up front and just off the stage...
- ◉Early access before doors...
- ◉PRIVATE DINNER with cast and crew for you and your guests (4) hosted by LEGENDARY celebrity Chef Kiki
- ◉Special access to the AFTER-PARTY and the cast and crew meet and greet...
- ◉The ULTIMATE VIP cargo box for you and your friends (including signed poster and more...
- ◉Know that you helped save a life....

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In closing, a letter from our ‘event creator’

Shawn Dettenmaier,



Dear friends,

NMOSD is an unpredictable disease that affects people in vastly different ways, ranging from paralysis/weakness, blindness, to even neurological conditions such as epilepsy and narcolepsy. More often than not, initial NMOSD attacks and subsequent relapses can lead to permanent disability. While I am lucky enough to have received a relatively timely diagnosis (only losing vision permanently in my left eye), it is often only found after severe damage has already been done, and children battling NMOSD cannot be administered medication, therefore they are at a higher risk of attack.

I hear stories from fellow patients and they tell me what they have lost: mobility, vision, jobs, family, and even friends. Imagine losing your friends just because you're suffering from a life-threatening disease, it is an unfortunately common reality for the disabled community. But you could be a friend to people who have lost almost everything.

With the current administration, cutting programs, terminating or pausing funding and research, help is hard to come by. Many of us are scared, uninsured and without help. For some of us, therapeutics are out of reach. There are still clinical trials for a cure in the works at Harvard Medical and Texas University and it is believed that a cure for NMOSD can be a blueprint for a

CAR-T therapy cure for cancer. Imagine that! So, it's not just children with NMOSD you're helping, it's potentially anyone who has faced or will face autoimmune diseases and/or cancer, which as of now is approximately 50 million Americans.

Your help means one thing: hope. I'm asking for your humanity, your generosity and your courage to help.

Thank you,

Shawn D.

