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**The Warner Stage Company begins their Main Stage Season
with the iconic stage classic, *A Chorus Line***

Torrington, CT – Winner of nine Tony Awards, including "Best Musical" and the Pulitzer Prize for drama, *A Chorus Line* is the musical for anyone who's ever had a dream and put it all on the line.

This unprecedented box office hit will be presented by the Warner Stage Company on Saturday, November 7 & 14 at 8pm, Sunday, November 8 & 15 at 2pm and Friday, November 13 at 8pm.

In an empty theatre, on a bare stage, casting for a new Broadway musical is almost complete. The field's been narrowed down to just 17 dancers. For these men and women, this audition is the chance of a lifetime. It's what they've worked for every day of their lives. It's the one opportunity to do what they've always dreamed of. Before the final cut is made, the director asks each of them to talk about themselves. One by one, they come forward. From funny to heartbreaking, 17 dancers share with us the stories of their lives. And when they're done, so is the audition and the final chorus line of 8 dancers is chosen. *A Chorus Line* features such memorable songs as: *One, What I Did For Love* and *I Hope I Get It*.

Come see the Warner Stage Company's production of *A Chorus Line*. Directed by Les Ober with musical direction by Matthew Valenti and choreographed by Nutmeg Conservatory's Ron Alexander.

Tickets for *A Chorus Line* are \$18.50, \$21.50 and \$24.50 and can be purchased by calling the Warner box office at 860-489-7180 or online at www.warnertheatre.org.

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ABOUT THE WARNER THEATRE

Built by Warner Brothers Studios and opened in 1931 as a movie palace (1,772 seats), the Warner Theatre was described then as "Connecticut's Most Beautiful Theatre." Damaged extensively in a flood, the Warner was slated for demolition in the early 1980s until the non-profit Northwest Connecticut Association for the Arts (NCAA) was founded and purchased the theatre. The Warner reopened as a performing arts center in 1983, and restoration of the main lobbies and auditorium was completed in November 2002. In 2008, the new 50,000 square foot Carole and Ray Neag Performing Arts Center, which houses a 300 seat studio theatre, 200 seat restaurant and micro-brewery and expansive school for the arts, was completed. Today, the Warner is in operation year-round with more than 160 performances and 100,000 patrons passing through its doors each season. Over 10,000 students, pre K—adult, participate in arts education programs and classes. Together, with the support of the community, the Warner has raised close to \$17 million to revitalize its facilities. NCAA's mission is to preserve the Warner Theatre as an historic landmark, enhance its reputation as a center of artistic excellence and a focal point of community involvement, and satisfy the diverse cultural needs of the region. To learn more about the Warner Theatre, visit our website: www.warnertheatre.org.