5 AUG - 10 SEP
RODGERS & HAMMERSTEIN'S
ALLEGRO
MUSIC BY RICHARD RODGERS
BOOK AND LYRICS BY OSCAR HAMMERSTEIN II
DIRECTED BY THOM SOUTHERLAND

Illustration: Jessica Martin
In 1905 in a small Midwestern town, the wife of a local doctor gives birth to a baby boy, Joseph Taylor Jr.

*Allegro* chronicles nearly four decades in the life of this average Joe – through his childhood, from college dorm to marriage altar, and on to his own medical career; from the tranquility of his hometown to the hectic din of the big city and a mid-life discovery of who he is and what his life is truly about, ultimately learning the most important lessons of all – the value of family, that money isn’t everything and that home really is where the heart is.

With a gorgeous, epic score by Richard Rodgers and a ground-breaking book by Oscar Hammerstein II, *Allegro* opened in 1947 to the highest advance in Broadway history.

Almost 70 years later, this extraordinary musical is finally getting its professional European première.

**Director** Thom Southerland  
**Orchestrator** Mark Cumberland  
**Musical Director** Dean Austin  
**Choreographer** Lee Proud  
**Set Designer** Anthony Lamble  
**Costume Designer** Jonathan Lipman  
**Lighting Designer** Derek Anderson  
**Sound Designer** Andrew Johnson  
**Producer & Casting** Danielle Tarento

Presented by special arrangement with R&H Theatricals Europe.