



## [Oh Ralphie, you'll shoot your eye out! But you'll also love this play.](#)

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If you have not yet been to the **San Jose Repertory Theatre** this winter it is not too late to see their fantastic production of [A Christmas Story](#). The film is an American family favorite every year, but the opportunity to see the production performed live should never be missed. This year's production is especially impressive because of a surprising group of young actors playing the children. **Dan Hiatt** returns to the production as Adult Ralph and is a natural in the part. **Howard Swain** and **Nancy Carlin** are also perfect as Ralphie's parents.

But this is a story about children. It can be difficult to put on a nightly professional production with such a large group of young actors, but the SJ Rep has found some remarkable young talent for this show. Specifically, **Garrett Meyer** as Ralphie was a great choice. He was especially entertaining in the fantasy vignettes imagining all the great things he could do with his much desired Red Ryder 200 Shot Carbine Action Air Rifle. However, attention must also be paid to young **Emilio Fuentes** who steals every scene he is in as little Randy Parker. The entire cast of Ralphie's friends (and enemy) fit their parts beautifully, and creates a must-watch Christmas experience.



Don't miss this wonderful reason to get out of your house as a family this season and spend some time at the [San Jose Repertory Theatre](#) creating family memories as great as Ralphie's. This famous story is a family favorite and fit for all ages (with some discussions of "the F word", but no actual cursing) and plays through December 20.

Tickets are available [online](#), by phone (408-367-7255, Monday – Friday 10am–5pm), fax (408-367-7236) or in person by going to the theatre at 101 Paseo de San Antonio (between 2nd and 3rd) in San Jose.