
Bushnell hosts Garrison Keillor

TONIGHT: Garrison Keillor, author and award-winning host of National Public Radio's "A Prairie Home Companion," brings a variation of his popular show tonight at 7:30 to Mortensen Hall at the Bushnell Center for the Performing Arts, 166 Capitol Ave., Hartford.

The show will have a "looser" and more personal format than his live-on-stage radio show. Keillor will tell stories from his own childhood and speak on issues of the day from his "down home" perspective.

Robert Altman's film "A Prairie Home Companion," written by Keillor and featuring Meryl Streep, Woody Harrelson, Tommy Lee Jones, Kevin Kline, Robin Williams and Lily Tomlin, opens later this year.

Tickets for the event are \$27.50 to \$47.50. Tickets and information: 860-987-5959 or www.bushnell.org.