

Richard Skipper

Richard Skipper Celebrates:

Richard launched Richard Skipper Celebrates in 2009, to honor performing artists and their body of work. Since then, he has hosted over 700 interviews with one million readers worldwide celebrating people in the arts. Recent guests have included Bill Boggs, Dee Wallace, Julie Budd, Broadway producer Jamie deRoy, David Sabella and Sue Matsuki (So You Want to Sing Cabaret?), Jordan Baker, Joyce Bulifant, Kevin Kilner, Jana Robbins, Anita Gillette, Carole Demas, Don Most, Melissa Manchester, Carole Cook, Tippi Hedren, Loretta Swit, Andrea McArdle, Lillias White and Lesley Ann Warren.

Host, Emcee, Interviewer:

- Host of a weekly streaming interview series 'Richard Skipper Celebrates' on Facebook and YouTube in response to Covid 19 —premiered March 2020
- Winner of the Turner Classic Movies Classic Film Festival Competition. Richard introduced the film Jezebel on opening night of the TCM Film Festival, —2018.
- Emceed 'Dancers Over 40 Legacy Awards', NYC —2009, 2014, & 2019
- Rodgers and Hammerstein's Cinderella DVD Release with Lesley Ann Warren, Barnes & Noble. —2017
- Performer Julie Budd CD Release interview and promotion, Barnes & Noble. —2015
- Produced on-line celebration of Bill and Dorothy Berloni (Animal trainers for Broadway) —2020
- Rick Lertzman and William J. Birnes, The Life And Times Of Mickey Rooney Book Release. —2018
- Produced and Hosted 50th anniv. celebration of Hello, Dolly! at Sardi's NY with original cast members. —2014

Richard Skipper Celebrates talk/variety show (produced by Russ Woolley) 2016 - 2019 at The Laurie Beechman Theatre, Theatre Row, NYC. Guests included: Kathryn Crosby, Marilyn Maye, Melba Moore, Lee Roy Reams, Beth Fowler, Karen Ziemba, Linda Purl, among many other, talented entertainers of timely interest promoting live entertainment.

Red Carpet Events for 'The Theatre World Awards', Paper Mill Playhouse (Milburn, NJ), Oscar Hammerstein Awards (York Theatre, NYC), Bistro Awards NY.

An Evening With Richard Skipper: The Magic of Believing opened August 5th 2019 off-Broadway at St. Luke's. It has since played The Theatre of The Republic in Conway, SC, and Green Room/42 for The American Popular Song Society.

Awards:

- Four MAC Awards (Manhattan Association of Cabarets and Clubs)
- Bistro Award
- IRNE (Independent New England Reviewers) nominee 'Outstanding Male Singer'
- Cabaret Scenes Magazine; 'Top of the Century Premiere Cabaret Acts'
- Cabaret Hotline; 'Top Ten Cabaret Performers'

*References and More Information Available Upon Request.

Writer:

Blog: Richard Skipper Celebrates ... 1,056 Blogs as of June 11th, 2020

'CallonDolly' celebrating the legacy of the Broadway musical Hello Dolly! Anticipated book publishing date of 2024 for the 60th Anniversary of the original debut.

Podcast:

'Richard Skipper Celebrates' available on Apple Podcasts