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**“Tops in Blue” to Perform Free Show at Burnsville PAC**

"Tops in Blue, an all-active duty US Air Force special unit made up of talented amateur performers selected for their entertainment abilities will perform a free public show on **Saturday, December 5<sup>th</sup> 2009 at 7:00 pm** on the Main Stage of the Burnsville Performing Arts Center, located in the Heart of the City at 12600 Nicollet Ave, in Burnsville.

Celebrating 56 years of entertainment history, “Tops in Blue” is proud to represent the United States Air Force as one of the oldest and most widely traveled entertainment groups of its kind. Their website is [www.topsinblue.com](http://www.topsinblue.com).

Air Force Major Al Reilly created the Air Force Worldwide Talent Contest in 1953, and "Tops in Blue" began as a tour showcasing the winners in various categories of the contest. The "Tops in Blue" cast is chosen from participants at the Worldwide Talent Contest. Each year the team is composed of different people, some have toured before but most have not. In 1985, an expanded production of "Tops in Blue" performed the halftime show at Super Bowl XIX.

Although this event is free and open to the public, tickets are required. Tickets will be distributed at the John & Betty Adamich Ticket Office at the Burnsville Performing Arts Center starting Saturday, November 7th at 10:00 AM. Tickets must be picked up in person and there is a limit of two tickets per person. Tickets

will be distributed on a first come, first served basis until all tickets are gone. All seats reserved. For more information please call the Ticket Office at 952-890-4680.

This is the only Minnesota performance of Tops in Blue. This event is free to the public courtesy of the United States Air Force, and is underwritten locally by the Burnsville Community Foundation and Baseball Association 191.

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