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INTERNET SENSATION AND COMEDY CENTRAL STAR BO BURNHAM BRINGS COMEDY TOUR TO PARKER PLAYHOUSE

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Burnham's first CD/DVD was released through Comedy Central Records and rocketed to #1 on the *Billboard* comedy chart after hitting #2 in Comedy Central's "Stand-Up Showdown." He was also featured in his own half-hour *Comedy Central Presents* and, at 18, became the youngest person to record such a special. His first one-hour special, *Words, Words, Words,*" was taped at Comedy Central's House of Comedy live from House of Blues in Boston.

While still in high school, Burnham launched his career by posting on YouTube two songs he had written and recorded as jokes between him and his friends. Eight months and seven songs later, Bo's videos have been seen over 10 million times worldwide, generating literally hundreds of thousands of laughs.

With the Comedy Central specials, a best-selling book of poems, a sitcom under his belt and a movie in the works, 23-year-old Burnham has crammed more into his short career than many comedians twice his age and is now on tour. This event contains adult content.

Tickets are \$33. Ticketmaster is the only official ticketing service of the Broward Center, Parker Playhouse and affiliated venues. Buy tickets online at <u>BrowardCenter.org</u>, <u>ParkerPlayhouse.com</u> or <u>Ticketmaster.com</u>; by phone at 954.462.0222 or TTD/TTY at 800.359.2525; in person at Ticketmaster outlets or the Broward Center's AutoNation Box Office. Know who you are buying from when you purchase tickets. We CANNOT PROVIDE REFUNDS OR CUSTOMER SERVICE for tickets purchased from unauthorized sites, brokers or secondary ticket sellers. Tickets are also available for purchase at the Parker Playhouse box office Tuesday through Saturday from 12 p.m. to 5 p.m.

The Parker Playhouse, located in Holiday Park at 707 N.E. Eighth Street in Fort Lauderdale, is an affiliated venue of the Broward Center for the Performing Arts, which provides programming and management of the facility. All dates, times, programs, artists and ticket prices are subject to change without notice.

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