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GO BACK TO THE DAYS OF SCREWBALL COMEDY WITH “IT HAPPENED ONE NIGHT”

Performances recreate the classic radio play

FORT LAUDERDALE – Arts Radio Network Theater Project presents the 1934 screwball comedy, *It Happened One Night* on **Friday, September 8 and Saturday, September 9 at 7:30 p.m.** at the Broward Center for the Performing Arts.

In this recreation of the classic radio play based on the Frank Capra film, an heiress is spirited away by her tycoon father to his yacht after she impetuously marries a schemer. Jumping ship, she falls in with a cynical newspaper reporter who offers to help her reunite with her new husband in exchange for an exclusive story. *It Happened One Night* delivers the best of the genre: verbal battles of wit, light-hearted sex appeal and love that triumphs over class and conflict.

Presented by the Broward Center for the Performing Arts, Arts Radio Network Theatre and WLRN, the Arts Radio Network Theater Project features classic tales from the golden age of radio brought to glorious life on stage featuring some of South Florida’s finest actors.

Performances take place in the Abdo New River Room where, starting one hour prior to the performance and during intermission, sumptuous sandwiches, salads, snacks and desserts are available for purchase with convenient walk-up service. A full cash bar is also available.

Tickets are \$25. Ticketmaster is the only official ticketing service of the Broward Center, Parker Playhouse and affiliated venues. Buy tickets online at BrowardCenter.org or Ticketmaster.com; by phone at 954.462.0222 or the Broward Center’s AutoNation Box Office. Know who you are buying from when you purchase tickets.

The Broward Center for the Performing Arts is located in the Riverwalk Arts & Entertainment District at 201 SW Fifth Avenue in Fort Lauderdale.

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About The Broward Center for the Performing Arts

One of America's premier performing arts venues, the Broward Center for the Performing Arts presents more than 700 performances each year to more than 700,000 patrons, showcasing a wide range of exciting cultural programming and events. Guest experiences at the Broward Center include the all-inclusive LATAM AIRLINES CLUB LEVEL, spectacular riverfront views for special events in the Huizenga Pavilion, waterfront dining at Marti's New River Bistro and innovative classes and workshops for all ages at the Rose Miniaci Arts Education Center. With one of the largest arts-in-education programs in the United States, the Broward Center serves more than 150,000 students annually. The Broward Performing Arts Foundation, Inc. receives and maintains funds to sustain, develop and secure the future of the Broward Center. The Broward Center for the Performing Arts is located in the Riverwalk Arts & Entertainment District at 201 SW Fifth Ave. in Fort Lauderdale. For more information, visit BrowardCenter.org.

The Riverwalk Arts & Entertainment Consortium is a cultural partnership between the Broward Center for the Performing Arts, Bonnet House Museum & Gardens, NSU Art Museum Fort Lauderdale, Florida Grand Opera, Fort Lauderdale History Center and the Historic Stranahan House Museum. It is supported by the Broward County Board of County Commissioners as recommended by the Broward Cultural Council and the Greater Fort Lauderdale Convention & Visitors Bureau. Programs are sponsored in part by the State of Florida, Department of State, Division of Cultural Affairs, the Florida Council on Arts and Culture.

CALENDAR BRIEF: Arts Radio Network Theater Project presents the 1934 screwball comedy ***It Happened One Night on Friday, September 8 and Saturday, September 9 at 7:30 p.m.*** at the Broward Center for the Performing Arts. This recreation of a classic radio play based on Frank Capra's film delivers the best of the genre: verbal battles of wit, light-hearted sex appeal and love that triumphs over class and conflict. An heiress is spirited away by her tycoon father to his yacht after she impetuously marries a schemer. Jumping ship, she falls in with a cynical newspaper reporter who offers to help her reunite with her new husband in exchange for an exclusive story. Tickets are \$25. Ticketmaster is the only official ticketing service of the Broward Center, Parker Playhouse and affiliated venues. Buy tickets online at BrowardCenter.org or Ticketmaster.com; by phone at 954-462-0222 or the Broward Center's AutoNation Box Office. The Broward Center for the Performing Arts is located in the Riverwalk Arts & Entertainment District at 201 SW Fifth Avenue in Fort Lauderdale.