

Week Ten – Fall Quarter 2012

Monday, November Dec 3rd

MEETINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday, Dec. 3, Faculty Meeting: 3rd Fall Production Committee meeting, GH144, 4:00-5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 5, Faculty Meeting: Victoria Petrovich, Marianne McDonald, Allan Havis, GH144, 4:00-5:30 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 7, Singing Cabaret, 4:30 p.m. in the Wagner Theatre (GH157)

DEPARTMENT NEWS

Linda Vickerman's Singing Cabaret - We hope you've enjoyed the performances you have attended so far this season and wanted to extend a special invitation to this quarter's Singing Cabaret, a showcase of the talented voices of our actors. The Cabaret will be performed Friday, December 7th, at 4:30 p.m. in the Wagner Theatre in Galbraith Hall (GH157). This annual tradition is a great way to spend a Friday evening!

FACULTY & STAFF NEWS



Prepared for the switch to bi-weekly paydays? If you're not sure, here's a [link to a calculator](#) that will help you estimate your take home pay per paycheck. Note that the full cost of benefits will be taken from the February 1st paycheck to pay for February benefits, *but your February 1st paycheck will only contain pay for the period of January 1 - 19.* Your bi-weekly paychecks on February 13th and February 27th will each pay for half of your March benefits. If you think you'll face a hardship, campus has two options to help you. They will allow you to "cash out" comp time and/or vacation (taxable), or are offering a short-term, [interest-free loan](#) (not taxable) that will be paid back over 12 paychecks. The application deadline for either plan is January 10th. [Read more here!](#)

Strategic Planning Town Hall Meetings – The Chancellor invites you to attend an upcoming Town Hall meeting to learn more about, and participate in, the [strategic planning process](#) being initiated by the campus to establish shared goals to define the future of UC San Diego. The first two Town Hall meetings have been scheduled for Thursday, Dec. 6, from 1:30 – 3:00 p.m. in Price Center West, Ballroom A; and, Monday, Dec. 10, from 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. in Atkinson Pavilion at the Faculty Club Each Town Hall will begin with a presentation about the strategic planning process before a general discussion. He has authorized 1.5 hours of time off for staff who wish to attend these meetings. (Check with your supervisor to see if you can attend.)

ADMINISTRIVIA

Deadline to file for "Removal of Grade Incomplete" from previous quarter – December 15th

Deadline to file for a Request to receive a grade of "Incomplete" – December 17th

Grades Available Online – December 20th

The Department invites you to experience an unprecedented gathering of current students and alumni!

Larissa is married to **Matt**
They have one child,
Lee

Larissa was married to **Paul**
but she divorced him. Paul and Larissa had one child
Zoë ← whose lover is **Kate**
↓
(a European)

Sarah is Larissa's sister and **Kim**
is Paul's sister, and Matt's brother

Michael Moran
is a very strong actor

Regan is Michael's wife, **Thomas Miller** is
a neighbor,
and Matt's father is **Jack**, known to all as
"Papa Jack"

'T'WAS THE NIGHT

December 6 + 7 at 11p / December 8 @ 5p + 11p / December 9 @ 5p // Arthur Wagner Theater

All are welcome.

ONSTAGE

Coming Soon!

[dance theatre thesisWORKS](#), featuring work by **Anya Cloud**. January 16th – 19th
[Titus Andronicus](#), by William Shakespeare, directed by **Joshua Brody**. February 6th - 16th
[Tonight We Improvise](#), by Luigi Pirandello, directed by **Gabor Tompa**. February 20th - March 2nd
[Doctored and Devised](#), directed by **Maiya Murphy**. February 27th - March 2nd
[winterWORKS](#), directed by **Eric Geiger**. March 13th - March 16th

Ticket Information – The Access Pass: For \$20 students can see all our shows this season, which is a great deal as there are 13 shows! [Click here](#) to purchase these passes. If you'd rather purchase in person, you can buy one at the Front Desk in Galbraith Hall. **Join us for our 40th Season!** [All Subscriptions](#) only \$40! Visit our "[Tickets Page](#)" for individual and group tickets.

ALUM NEWS

Alum **Jefferson Mays** (MFA '90) is playing the lead in a new musical - it's the same story as the movie *Kind Hearts and Coronets*. There's a great write-up about it in the [New York Times](#).

Krista Knight (MFA '11) sent the following info: "Magic Futurebox presents: ALL THE HOLIDAYS AT ONCE, A Knight & Brinegar Debut/Chiptunes Dance Party benefiting the Fall 2013 production of new bit-pop musical SALAMANDER LEVIATHAN, Sat, Dec 8 @ 8pm. \$10 -- FREE if you dress up as any and every holiday!@ Magic Futurebox, 55 33rd Street, 4th Floor, Brooklyn, NY 11232 D, N, R to the 36th street station in Brooklyn. Purchase [tickets here](#)."

From **Irungu Mutu** (MFA '09) "Come February, I'll be acting in a play called **THE CONVERT** by Danai Gurira and directed by Michael John Garcés. Going up at the [Woolly Mammoth Theatre Co.](#) in Washington, D.C. Opens Feb 15 and runs till March 10th. Fantastic new play - had its premiere last year."

Directing alum **Anne Kauffman** (MFA '99) is featured in a recent article from the [Huffington Post](#) about the top female directors reshaping American Theatre.

Alums – On Facebook? Come visit the Department's [Facebook Alumni page](#)! This group is set up for UC San Diego Department of Theatre and Dance Alumni to correspond with each other regarding their current or upcoming productions, projects or events. Please use it as a place to update each other on your past, current or future projects. If you have a show coming up let the group know. If you are performing, directing, designing, writing, stage managing or in any way involved in a creative project please let us know. Note that the Department will use some of the postings from this site for alumni updates in the newsletter. The Department will also use this group to alert you on Department information or Alumni events.

From the Wall - Maren Bush (MFA '10) writes: "Hi NYC peeps, We've extended! 2 more weeks to see A SUMMER DAY at the Rattlestick now through December 8th. \$25 Theater artist tickets available (use code "TheaterArtist25" when purchasing online). With Karen Allen, Carlo Alban, McCaleb Burnett, Maren Bush, Sam Soule & Pamela Shaw. Rattlestick.org." **Eduardo Placer** (MFA '07) writes: A Fearless Christmas Message from The Ghost of Xmas Past! [Stand4Fearless with the Ghost of Xmas Past](#) in Great Lakes Theater's production of A Christmas Carol in Cleveland, OH. Fearless of Trap Doors."



Have news? The Newsletter's email address is TandDNews@ucsd.edu. We're always thrilled to hear what you've been doing and to share it with our readers. Photos encouraged. (Be sure to tell us your "old" name, if you've changed it, and the year you left us.)

←Your name here!

