



PRESS RELEASE: (For immediate release)

Hunting A Doe

September 25th – 28th @ 7:30 pm

September 28th & 29th @ 2:00 pm

Welsbacher Theatre, in the Hughes Metropolitan Complex, 29th & Oliver (Entrance 'F')

Tickets: \$10.00 General Public, \$8.00 Military/Sr. Citizens/Faculty/Staff, \$6.00 Students

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Wichita State University School of Performing Arts/Theatre to perform the original script, *Hunting A Doe*.

Hunting A Doe takes the traditional farcical style and turns it on its ear. While this play takes its audience on a madcap, roller coaster ride of laughs, it also takes aim at the question: are our lives authentic or are they only based on different perceptions?

Hunting a Doe is the winner of the WSU Theatre program's annual National Playwriting Competition. The script was selected through blind readings by our judges from a variety of new plays submitted by undergraduate and graduate student playwrights from across the country. The theatre program has sponsored the National Playwriting Competition for forty years and produces the winning play during the regular production season year and utilizes WSU School of Performing Arts students as actors and designers, thus providing them with the opportunity to work with the authors to create roles and environments for the first time.

The show is written by WSU School of Performing Arts student Kyle Dilley and is directed by Jeannine Russell, Instructor of theater at Wichita State.

The cast includes Damian Padilla, Sean Gestl and Hannah See.

Wichita State Theatre student designers for this production are: Chelsey Erskin (set and technical director), Alyce Murphy (costumes & makeup), Dalton Houck (lighting) and Hayley Worth with WSU SPA Assoc Professor Ed Baker (sound). Theatre student Krista Nelson is the stage manager for the show.

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Hunting a Doe runs from September 25-28 starting at 7:30 pm and September 28 & 29 starting at 2:00 pm at Welsbacher Theatre located in the Hughes Metropolitan Complex, 29th & Oliver (Entrance 'F'). Rated PG. **SEATING IS LIMITED.**

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