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LCHS PRESENTS "ARSENIC AND OLD LACE"
The La Canada Playhouse Stages Classic Murder Mystery

The La Canada High School Theatre Department is set to perform Joseph Kesselring's farcical black comedy "Arsenic and Old Lace." Widely regarded as one of Broadway's most popular murder mysteries, this cornerstone of American theatre follows the misguided efforts of two elderly women who take a decidedly unorthodox approach to ending the loneliness of their gentlemen tenants. "With a truly eccentric cast of unforgettable characters, this play is filled with comic chills and unexpected thrills." said director Justin Eick.

An instant success both critically and commercially, "Arsenic and Old Lace" has emerged as an American classic with countless regional revivals across the country since its original 1,444 performance run on Broadway. The play's success was further cemented with the popular film adaptation in 1944 directed by Frank Capra and starring Cary Grant.

This limited engagement runs November 5th through November 7th at 7:00 pm. Playing at the La Canada Playhouse (formerly the Auditorium) at La Canada High School, admission is free and the doors to the theatre open fifteen minutes before curtain for open seating.

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