

LA CANADA HIGH SCHOOL
LA CANADA THEATRE DEPARTMENT

Contact: Justin Eick
Email: jeick@lcsd.net

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HOLIDAY CLASSIC RETURNS TO LA CANADA PLAYHOUSE
LCHS Production of "A Christmas Carol" Full of Holiday Cheer

The La Canada High School Theatre Department is set to open "A Christmas Carol", Charles Dickens' beloved holiday tale. Originally published in 1843 by renowned British author, Charles Dickens, this 'ghostly' tale presents the story of Ebenezer Scrooge, a cantankerous banker visited by four ghosts who show the old miser the error of his ways while teaching him the true meaning of Christmas. Noting the popularity of the show among local regional theatres, LCHS director Justin Eick said, "Audiences simply love this story - all of Dickens' timeless characters just have a way of filling a person with the spirit of giving." Eick went on to say, "I'm especially proud of how faithful our production is to the period." Adding to the festive spirit is the production design for the show which features a complete transformation of the playhouse into a 19th century Victorian theatre with the cast in classic period costumes.

The show runs December 3rd through December 5th at 7:00 pm. Playing at the La Canada Playhouse (formerly the LCHS Auditorium) at La Canada High School, admission is free and the doors to the theatre open fifteen minutes before curtain for open seating. For more information, please visit www.lacanadaplayhouse.org.

###

For more information, or to schedule an interview, please e-mail Justin Eick at jeick@lcsd.net