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MEDIA ALERT FOR THEATRE EDITORS, REVIEWERS AND CALENDAR LISTINGS

San Diego Musical Theatre Presents Forever Plaid - Plaid Tidings November 24 - December 24, 2023 SDMT Stage

(San Diego, CA November 24, 2023). San Diego Musical Theatre announces the fourth production of their 2023 season, *FOREVER PLAID - PLAID TIDINGS*, November 24 - December 24, 2023 (press opening on Saturday, November 25) at the SDMT Stage in Kearny Mesa.

The legendary Plaids come back to Earth to spread yuletide joy with the greatest holiday hits of the ages. Forever Plaid: Plaid Tidings is a show that offers the best of Forever Plaid, tied up in a nifty package with a big Christmas bow on top! Filled with Christmas standards that have all been "Plaiderized," our boys are back to do their Christmas Special. At first, Francis, Jinx, Smudge and Sparky aren't sure why they've returned to Earth for another posthumous performance, but a phone call from the heavenly Rosemary Clooney lets them know that they're needed to put a little harmony into a discordant world. This truly "heaven-sent" holiday treat will lift audiences' spirits and fill them with nostalgia for a bygone era of classic music sung in perfect harmony.

Book by Stuart Ross, Music & Lyrics by various artists

PRODUCTION TEAM: Director and Musical Staging: Jonathan Sangster*; Musical Director: Richard Dueñez Morrison; Lighting Design: Michelle Miles; Sound Design: Brandon Boomizad; Costume Coordinator: Bridget Barahura; Production Manager: Ron Christopher Jones; Technical Director: Rogelio Rosales; Stage Manager: Shirley Johnston

PLAID TIDINGS CAST - FEATURING:

Jonathan Sangster* (Jinx); Drew Bradford (Frankie); Xavier J. Bush (Sparky); Matt Ignacio (Smudge); Cody Bianchi (Jinx & Frankie Swing); Eli Wood (Sparky & Smudge Swing)

*Member of AEA

TICKET INFORMATION:

Single tickets for SDMT's production of *PLAID TIDINGS* are \$50.00, \$60.00, \$70.00 and children 17 and under are half price. There are discounts for Seniors, Active Military, Under 30 Club, Equity, Actors Alliance, Student Rush and Groups. Tickets are available online at www.sdmt.org or by calling the Administrative Office at 858-560-5740.

SCHEDULE: *PLAID TIDINGS* show times are Wednesday and Thursday at 7:00 p.m., Friday at 8:00 p.m., Saturday at 3:00 p.m. and Sunday at 2:00 p.m.

LOCATION: The SDMT Stage, 4650 Mercury Street, San Diego, CA 92111.

For more information and tickets call San Diego Musical Theatre's Administrative Office at 858-560-5740. The San Diego Musical Theatre Administrative Office is located at 4650 Mercury Street, San Diego, CA 92111. The SDMT Stage Box office is open 45 minutes prior to each performance.

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