

Santa Monica Playhouse announces its 2019 PRIDE production!



A Tender Gender Bender Romantic Musical Fairy Story for Pride 2019  
Friday and Saturday nights June 2019!

Santa Monica, CA. April 22, 2019 - It's the internationally acclaimed Rudie-DeCarlo musical comedy, and it's getting a make-over as Actors' Repertory Theatre in-conjunction with All The Queen's Men presents the PRIDE 2019 production of **CINDERELLA TOPSY TURVY** - A Tender Gender Bender Romantic Musical Fairy Story. A delightful re-imagining of the classic Cinderella tale brings you upside-down casting - half original practices, half Gilbert and Sullivan, half just plain fun. Meet a handsome Prince, silly stepsisters, a befuddled king, and an out-of-the-box steampunk Fairygodmother. Added delights are the outrageously playful period costumes and the heart-warming romance that blooms with the assistance of a glass slipper, a feather duster, and a truly magical wand. A gentle prod at stereotypical gender roles, this light-hearted send-up is a hilarious twist on the classic tale. Plays May 31 to June 22, 2019, Friday and Saturday nights at 10pm.



A "jewel of a theatre" (Jewish Journal), Santa Monica Playhouse "knows what its audience expects from an evening of theatre" (LA TIMES). Written by Chris DeCarlo and Evelyn Rudie ("*Your work is brilliant!*" *English Shakespeare Company*), **CINDERELLA TOPSY TURVY** features Quint Erwin, Tiffany Haile, Sarai Jimenez, Luke Martin McMahan, Cydne Moore, Joseph Perez, Graham Silbert. Who plays what role? Guess (and you'll probably be wrong.)

**CINDERELLA TOPSY TURVY** plays Friday and Saturday evenings at 10pm, May 31 to June 22, 2019. General admission is \$20, with a glass of complimentary champagne

or sparkling cider included with each ticket. For reservations and more information go to <http://SantaMonicaPlayhouse.com/cinderella-pride-2019.html> or call the Playhouse Box Office at (310) 394-9779 ext. 1. Reservations are necessary.

Santa Monica Playhouse, celebrating 58 years of continuous operation, is located at 1211 4th Street (between Wilshire & Arizona) in the heart of Santa Monica's Bayside District. Convenient Parking is located across the street in municipal lot #1. By public transportation: take the Santa Monica Blue Bus or the LA Metro Rapid #720 and exit at 4th and Wilshire or take the Expo Line to its final 4th street stop in downtown Santa Monica and head north up 4th Street three and a half blocks.

Santa Monica Playhouse programs are supported in part by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors through the Los Angeles County Arts Commission and by the City of Santa Monica and the Santa Monica Arts Commission.

## ***FOR THE CALENDAR***

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**WHO:** Written & directed by Chris DeCarlo & Evelyn Rudie

Words & music by E. Rudie

Featuring All The Queen's Men in-conjunction with Actors' Repertory Theatre:

Quint Erwin, Tiffany Haile, Sarai Jimenez, Luke Martin McMahan, Cydne Moore, Joseph Perez, Graham Silbert.

Lighting and Set design by Eric Jon

Costume design by Graham Silbert

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**WHERE:**

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**ONLINE:** <http://SantaMonicaPlayhouse.com/cinderella-pride-2019.html>

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The Playhouse currently celebrates 58 years of continuous theatrical and educational services to the community. Help us keep the doors open! To DONATE ONLINE, simply go to <http://SantaMonicaPlayhouse.com> and click on the DONATE NOW button on your left.

As a 501 (c) 3 non-profit organization, there are many ways you can help the Playhouse, including direct donation, becoming a corporate supporter, contributing to the scholarship program, or by leaving a bequest.