

***DIVORCE PARTY THE MUSICAL***  
*The Hilarious Journey to Hell...and Back!*  
**MAKES WORLD PREMIERE**  
**AT THE KRAVIS CENTER THIS JANUARY**

*Tickets on sale now for the ultimate **Girls' Night Out** show  
from the Producer of the Off-Broadway hit  
**MENOPAUSE THE MUSICAL***

(West Palm Beach, FL-November 11, 2011) "Don't get mad - get everything!" is the mantra for ***DIVORCE PARTY THE MUSICAL-The Hilarious Journey to Hell...and Back!*** from the producer of the Off-Broadway hit, *MENOPAUSE THE MUSICAL*. Tickets are on sale now for the world premiere at the **Raymond F. Kravis Center for the Performing Arts** in West Palm Beach. The show runs from January 10<sup>th</sup> through February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2012 in the Rinker Playhouse.

Whether you are newly divorced, on the brink, or happily remarried, ***DIVORCE PARTY THE MUSICAL-The Hilarious Journey to Hell...and Back!*** promises a night of laughter and solidarity for all. The story centers on Linda, who is still reeling from the collapse of her marriage. When all she wants to do is have another bowl of Chubby Hubby ice cream, Linda's three friends (along with a massage therapist/pizza delivery boy/make-over guru and others) decide to help her move on to a new beginning by throwing her the mother of all divorce parties. Using familiar songs with new lyrics, and coupled with a good dose of comic mayhem (and a touch of "naughty") the girls cut loose on the realities of divorce, long term relationships and moving on.

Broadway and professional theater producer Mark Schwartz (*MENOPAUSE THE MUSICAL*) teamed up with Dr. Amy Botwinick, author of *Congratulations on Your Divorce -The Road to Finding Your Happily Ever After* to create this riotous new production, which features direction, lyrics and choreography by Jay Falzone (*SHOUT! THE MOD MUSICAL, COOKING WITH THE CALIMARI SISTERS*). "Divorce parties are a growing, global trend," says Dr. Botwinick, who uses her own divorce experience as a way to help empower other women. "They are an important ritual that helps people move powerfully forward with their lives." Co-conceiver/author and producer of ***DIVORCE PARTY THE MUSICAL***, Mark Schwartz saw the theme as a perfect follow-up to the successful *MENOPAUSE THE MUSICAL*, "Finally, another Girls' Night Out," says Schwartz. "***DIVORCE PARTY THE MUSICAL*** is the perfect opportunity for friends and adult family members to get together and laugh at a subject that affects nearly everyone."

***DIVORCE PARTY THE MUSICAL is intended for adults only and is presented by the Raymond F. Kravis Center for the Performing Arts in association with Flip-Her Productions.*** The show runs January 10<sup>th</sup>-February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2012 with the following performance times: Week one (January 10<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>) Tuesday-Thursday preview nights at 7:30pm with opening night party Friday at 7:30pm, Saturday at 1:30pm and 7:30pm, and Sunday at 1:30pm. Weeks 2-6, (January 17<sup>th</sup>-February 19<sup>th</sup>) Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays at 7:30pm, Wednesdays and Saturdays at 1:30pm and 7:30pm and Sundays at 1:30pm. Tickets start at \$25. To purchase, please visit the Kravis Center box office, 701 Okeechobee Blvd. in downtown West Palm Beach; online at [www.kravis.org](http://www.kravis.org); or by phone at (561) 832-7469 or (800) 572-8471.

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Celebrating 20 Years of Artistic Excellence and Commitment to the Community, the Raymond F. Kravis Center for the Performing Arts is a not-for-profit performing arts center whose mission is to enhance the quality of life in Palm Beach County by presenting a diverse schedule of national and international artists and companies of the highest quality; by offering comprehensive arts education programs; by providing a Palm Beach County home in which local and regional arts organizations can showcase their work; and by providing economic catalyst and community leadership in West Palm Beach, supporting efforts to increase travel and tourism to Palm Beach County.

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