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Milwaukee Repertory Theater Presents *God of Carnage*

April 18 – May 14, 2023 Quadracci Powerhouse

March 6, 2023 (Milwaukee, WI) - <u>Milwaukee Repertory Theater</u> closes out its 2022/23 Season with the Tony Award-winning play *God of Carnage* by Yasmina Reza on <u>April 18 – May 14, 2023</u>, in the Quadracci Powerhouse.

Winner of the Tony Award for Best Play, *God of Carnage* is an explosive comedy that is all fun and games — until the grown-ups get hurt. When two sets of parents politely meet over coffee and cake to settle a schoolyard spat between their sons, the gloves come off as neighborly decorum disintegrates into laugh-out-loud, no-holds barred mayhem. This "first class" (*The New York Times*) and "scabrously funny" (*USA Today*) send-up of middle-class manners gives a brutally entertaining look at what happens when the little things end up pushing us over the edge.

God of Carnage cast features Heidi Armbruster as Veronica who was last seen at Milwaukee Rep this season in the world premiere of Wife of a Salesman. She's joined by Makha Mthembu (School Girls: Or, the African Mean Girls Play, Theatre Squared) as Annette, Adam Poss (Murder on the Orient Express, Milwaukee Rep) as Michael, and Elan Zafir (Junk, Arena Stage) as Alan.

God of Carnage is directed by Ryan Quinn (Dad's Season Tickets, Milwaukee Rep) with set designer Mariana Sanchez (Skeleton Crew, Baltimore Center Stage), costume designer Nicolas Hartman (2 Pianos 4 Hands, Milwaukee Rep), lighting designer Heather Gilbert (Andy Warhol in Iran, Northlight Theatre), sound designer Eric Backus (Dad's Season Tickets, Milwaukee Rep), casting by Jonathan Hetler and stage managed by Kimberly Carolus.

God of Carnage is sponsored by **WE Energies Foundation** with Executive Producers **Sandy and Bill Haack** and Assocaite Producers **Dr. Eric Durant and Scott Swickard, Laura and Adam Peck, Tom and Susan Quadracci, Susan and Howard Schoenfeld, Diana and Clark Slipher** and **R.A. Stevens Family Foundation**.

God of Carnage runs April 18 – May 14, 2023 in the Quadracci Powerhouse. Purchase tickets at www.MilwaukeeRep.com, by calling the Ticket Office at **414-224-9490** or in person at **108 E. Wells Street** in downtown Milwaukee.

For more information, please visit www.MilwaukeeRep.com.

God of Carnage

By Yasmina Reza Directed by Ryan Quinn

APRIL – MAY 2023

Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
4/18	4/19	4/20	4/21	EARTH DAY 4/22	4/23
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Preview \$ Pay What You Can △ Opening Night TB TalkBack BUS Bus Matinee EB Early Performance AD Audio Described ASL American Sign Language CAP Closed Captioned ♦ Closing Night					

All performances are subject to change.

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God of Carnage

April 18 – May 14, 2023 (Opening Night Friday, April 21, 2023, at 8:00pm) in the Quadracci Powerhouse
By Yasmina Rexa
Directed by Ryan Quinn

Talks and Events

Pay What You Can: April 18 and 19 at 7:30pm Early Bird Performance: May 2 at 6:30pm

Bus Matinee: April 26 at 1:30pm

TalkBacks: Following the 7:00pm performance on April 23, 30

Dinner Dialogue Series: Joins us for a delicious meal and healthy conversation surrounding the show on

Monday, May 3 from 5-8pm at Café El Sol (1028 S 9th Street). To register visit

www.MilwaukeeRep.com/DinnerDialogue

Access Services

Audio-Described Performance: <u>Tuesday, May 2, 6:30pm</u> – the show will be described for patrons who are blind or have low vision.

ASL Interpreted Performance: <u>Thursday, May 11, 7:30pm</u> – the show will be signed for patrons who are deaf or have low hearing.

Captioned Theater Performance: Sunday, May 14, 2pm- the show includes captions.

Information

Tickets: www.MilwaukeeRep.com, by phone at 414-224-9490, or Ticket Office at 108 E Wells

Street, Milwaukee.

Hours: 12noon – 6pm; on performance days the Ticket Office remains open until 15 minutes past curtain.

Student Discounts: Students 18 and under can purchase \$20 tickets for select seating areas.

25 & Under: Select \$20 tickets available for patrons 25 & Under. (Select 25 & Under price at checkout online)

Group Sales: Discounted tickets for parties of 10+. Call 414-290-5340.

About Milwaukee Repertory Theater

Milwaukee Rep is the largest performing arts organization in Wisconsin with three unique performance venues in the **Associated Bank Theater Center**— the Quadracci Powerhouse, Stiemke Studio and Stackner Cabaret. For over six decades, Milwaukee Rep has been a centerpiece of Milwaukee's vibrant arts and cultural scene with productions ranging from Broadway musicals to Shakespeare to American Classics and New Works that are entertaining, inclusive and impactful. Under the leadership of **Artistic Director Mark Clements** and **Executive Director Chad Bauman**, Milwaukee Repertory Theater ignites positive change in the cultural, social, and economic vitality of its community by creating world-class theater experiences that entertain, provoke, and inspire meaningful dialogue among an audience representative of Milwaukee's rich diversity.

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