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Editor's Note:

Theatre critics are invited to attend the Opening Night performance, Friday, September 3 at 8 pm.

Photo Credit:

In photo A: Stephen Neal & Alexandra Adomaitis; In photo B: Andrew Wind, Alexandra Adomaitis & Stephen Neal (standing), Photography by Eileen Suarez

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

**New Theatre (THE NEW) kicks off its 25th Anniversary Season
With William Shakespeare's *The Tempest!***

THE NEW's 25th Anniversary season kicks off with a limited engagement of *The Tempest* (September 2 - September 19, 2010), one of the Bard's romantic comedies. Stranded on a deserted island with his daughter, a usurped duke is granted his chance at revenge. By invoking a storm, he shipwrecks the man who ruined him. Also among the passengers is the young man who awakens his daughter's first stirrings of love.

The Tempest is adapted and directed by guest director John Manzelli and performed by an eclectic cast comprised of THE NEW veterans Rusty Allison, Patrice DeGraff Arenas, Hugh Murphy, Stephen S. Neal, Kevin Reilly and Robert Strain; making their New Theatre debut are, Avi Hoffman and Ronald Mangravite; joined by members of the Apprentice/Internship Program, Alexandra Adomaitis, Sam Sherburne and Andrew Wind. Returning to THE NEW are Production Stage Manager Vanessa L. Thompson, Costume Designer K. Blair Brown, Lighting Designer Travis Neff, Sound Designer Matt Corey and making her New Theatre debut, Scenic Designer Elaine Bryan.

September 2 – September 19, 2010
(Press Opening- Friday, September 3)

Performance times:

Performances Thursday through Saturdays at 8 pm.
Sunday at 1 pm. Additional Sunday 5:30 pm on September 12.

Ticket information:

All performances \$ 40
Student Rush (under 25 with ID) Ticket: \$15
at the door based on availability

Subscription information:

6 play Flexible Season Membership: \$ 190
A SAVINGS of 25% off the regular ticket price.

Location:

New Theatre is located in Coral Gables, just one block from Village of Merrick Park at 4120 Laguna Street, Coral Gables, Florida 33146. Conveniently located off of US-1.

Contact:

For tickets, call (305) 443-5909
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About New Theatre

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New Theatre was founded in 1986 and is dedicated to the development and production of new works. The theatre has brought the national premieres of more than 30 plays by early- and mid-career American playwrights to South Florida, including New Theatre-commissioned *Anna in the Tropics*, winner of a Pulitzer Prize for Drama.

New Theatre receives major season support from the City of Coral Gables, the Miami Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs, the Affairs Council, the Mayor, the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners and The Florida State Department's Division of Cultural Affairs of Florida. Additional project support is received from Hyatt Regency Coral Gables, Catering by Lovables, Citizens Interested in the Arts, Coconut Grove Bank, The Dramatists Guild Foundation, Florida Power and Light, The Melvin C. and Nancy Morgenstern and The Manny & Ruthy Cohen Foundation, The Miami Salon Group, The Roblee Foundation, The Audrey Love Charitable Trust Foundation, The Burstein Family Foundation, The William J. and Tina Rosenberg Foundation, The Max Minsky & Florence Goldstein Foundation, The Sitkin Family Foundation, American Express Foundation and The Blair H. & Lee D. Temkin Foundation.

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Season Line-up at a Glance

25th Anniversary Season 2010-2011 Season

The Tempest
by William Shakespeare
September 2 - 19, 2010

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Jack Goes Boating
by Bob Glaudini
Southeastern Premiere
October 8 – 31, 2010

Laced with cooking classes, swimming lessons and a smorgasbord of illegal drugs, *Jack Goes Boating* is a touching and warmhearted play about learning how to stay afloat in the deep water of day-to-day living where date panic, marital meltdown, betrayal, and the prevailing grace of the human spirit abound.

Fizz
by Rogelio Martinez
Southeastern Premiere
November 19 - December 12, 2010

Gun-toting Southern belles, cocaine-loving Rockettes, and insane soda execs all take part in this based-on-a-true-story comedy about one of history's biggest flops – the creation of New Coke.

TBA
January 28 - February 20, 2011

The Radiant
by Shirley Lauro
World Premiere
March 25 – April 17, 2011

The tempestuous, dramatic life of Marie Curie, one of the world's first recognized woman scientists, whose discovery and isolation of radium earned her two Nobel Prizes and revolutionized science forever, as she ushered in "The Atomic Age" and the first cure for cancer.

A Streetcar Named Desire
by Tennessee Williams
May 20 – June 12, 2011

This modern classic follows the decline of a fading Southern belle and the sexy, beer-chugging barbarian responsible for her tragic fall.