City Lights Theater Company of San Jose

proudly presents

A FEW GOOD MEN

By Aaron Sorkin

Directed by Kit Wilder

May 15- June 15, 2008

Performances Thursday, Friday, Saturday evenings at 8:00 pm
Sunday evenings at 7:00 pm (May 25th and June 1st)
Sunday matinees at 2:00 pm (June 8th and 15th)

Tickets $25- $40
Students and Educators only $15! (Subject to availability, excludes Gala and Preview)
Seniors and Groups discounts available. Wheelchair accessible.

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City Lights Theater Company of San Jose proudly presents A FEW GOOD MEN by Aaron Sorkin. The production previews on Thursday, May 15th and Friday May 16th with the Gala Opening Performance on Saturday May 17th. A post show discussion will be held on Sunday, May 25th. The production is scheduled to run through June 15, 2008.

Written by the creator of THE WEST WING, A FEW GOOD MEN was made into a movie featuring Tom Cruise, Demi Moore and Jack Nicholson in 1992. The riveting play focuses on the trial of two Marines accused of killing one of their own at Guantanamo Bay. Culminating in a riveting courtroom confrontation, A FEW GOOD MEN has never been more timely as it asks the question “Who is really in charge—the military, or the people it serves?”

Aaron Sorkin has had a successful career as a writer for television, movies and plays. He is perhaps best known his play-turned-movie A FEW GOOD MEN and as the creator and writer for the hit television series THE WEST WING. He has also worked as a script doctor for the popular movies SCHINDLER’S LIST and BULWORTH. His most recent film, CHARLIE WILSON’S WAR, (2007) featured Tom Hanks and Julia Roberts.

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Associate Artistic Director Kit Wilder will direct, as well as design lighting and properties. Resident Scenic Designer Ron Gasparinetti’s stark set features the Marine Corps seal as a backdrop, with a fluid scenic design that allows for quick transitions between multiple locales. Costume Designer Joanne Martin heightens the realism by incorporating a range of military styles from fatigues to dress whites. Sound Designer George Psarras adds a note of military precision to the world of the play.


City Lights’ Nonprofit Partner for this production is the United States Marine Corps League Detachment #1122. USMC League members join together in camaraderie and fellowship for the purpose of preserving the traditions and promoting the interests of the United States Marine Corps; they band together those who are now serving in the United States Marine Corps and those who have been honorably discharged from that service; voluntarily aiding and rendering assistance to all Marines and former Marines and to their widows and orphans, and perpetuating the history of the United States Marine Corps.

City Lights recognizes its donors, without whom this production would not be possible. A FEW GOOD MEN is supported as a part of City Lights 2007-2008 season by Arts Council Silicon Valley, The City of San Jose, The David and Lucile Packard Foundation, and by the contributions of many generous individuals.

City Lights Theater Company of San Jose’s production of A FEW GOOD MEN sizzles on stage for City Lights 25th Anniversary. The production is scheduled to run May 15-June 15, 2008. Please call the City Lights’ box office at 408-295-4200 for tickets or more information.

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