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The Man of La Mancha

If its Spring, then it must be FIU Theatre musical comedy time again. We are proud to announce that this year's musical will be The Man of La Mancha. This great dramatic musical portrayal of Cervantes' Don Quixote will open April 7th and play through the 11th and from 14th through the 18th in University Theatre, VH 100. All performances begin at 8:00 pm.

We expect, as happened with <u>Cabaret</u> and <u>Sweet Charity</u>, that all performances will sell out, so we urge you to get your tickets early. Ticket sales will begin March 24th, at the Performing Arts Department office in DM 432, extension 2895. Tickets are \$5.00 general admission, \$3.00 for non-FIU students and FIU students free. All seats will be reserved. As a special service to FIU Faculty and Staff, you may purchase tickets for the Wednesday, Thursday, and Sunday performances for \$3.00.

In the past, we have had a problem caused by persons making reservations by phone and then not coming, leaving us with a theoretical sell out but with unused seats, while others who wanted to come have been told there are no seats left. This year we are requiring that all Faculty and Staff tickets be picked up and paid for within 48 hours of when they are reserved. After that time, the unclaimed tickets will be sold to others. I hope you can appreciate our reason for establishing this policy.

The FIU Theatre musical has become one of the most popular public events at FIU. The Man of La Mancha promises to be an especially fine theatre experience. Our intimate theatre is an ideal location for this unique and moving work. Don't miss it.