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The Highwood Theatre is Proud to Present **All My Sons**

*Arthur Miller's Classic Features Diverse Group of High School
Actors from across the District, Maryland and Virginia Area*

Five Performances:
February 25 & March 3, 4 at 8:00 pm;
February 26 & March 5 at 2:00 pm
at The Highwood Theatre in Downtown Silver Spring

Arthur Miller's classic American drama, *All My Sons*, opens at The Highwood Theatre on Saturday, February 25th and runs through Sunday, March 5th. The completely student directed, designed and produced play features a diverse cast of students from the District, Maryland and Virginia area. Historically *All My Sons* roles have been played from a more traditional standpoint, this Highwood production stretches the boundaries of gender and race.

"We are excited to be finishing our successful Directing Fellowship program this year with this amazing version of *All My Sons*," said Artistic Director Matthew Nicola. "Our Fellowship program allows students to oversee all the directorial duties of a fully realized play or musical work, including developing the cast, running the rehearsals, and creating the overall vision for the piece. Chris Brown is our third and final Fellow and we are impressed by his highly immersive set, which turns our theater stage into your neighborhood backyard complete with a lawn, plants, wood chips and real (contained) crickets for sound effects (no animals were hurt in the creation of this drama)."

Our two other Fellows this season crafted a professional production of Marsha Norman's drama *'Night, Mother* and a student production of Jonathan Larson's musical *Tick, Tick...Boom!*, both of which went on to receive rave reviews from DC-area theatre publications. Applications for our 2017-2018 season will be open on March 15th. Details on the program are available at: <http://www.thehighwoodtheatre.org/directing-fellowship.html>.

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Arthur Miller's classic is as relevant today as it was in 1947, if not more powerful in a rapidly changing world. No matter the time period, the play's central themes of love, loss, and greed both inspire and challenge our conception of family and the lengths taken to protect their legacy.

All My Sons features a talented student ensemble, including Asa Kineitz-Kincade (Joe Keller), Victoria Sova (Kate Keller), Alex Heywood (Chris Keller), Sydney Acuff (Sue Bayliss/Lydia Lubey), Danny Fitz Tran Ho (Dr. Jim Bayliss), Angel Soriano (Frank Lubey), Hellen De Oliveira (George Deeber), Rachel Sparks (Ann Deever), and Alexander DeSimone (Bert). Directed by Christopher Brown; Set and Lighting Design by Toly Yarup and Kevin Kearney; Prop Design by Jason Reid; Costume Design by Tip Letsche. *All My Sons* is part of Highwood's 2016-2017 Mainstage Season and is the season's third and final production of their Student Directing Fellowship, which gives a small number of students each year (grades 8-12) the opportunity to propose, plan, and direct a production within Highwood's Students' Theatre.

About The Highwood Theatre

The Highwood Theatre is a non-profit organization dedicated to bringing the community together through theatre. Now in its 14th Season, Highwood's guiding principle is "anyone can do theatre." Highwood was founded in 2004 and began executing its mission through seasons of professional-quality theatre featuring all-student casts, design teams, and production staff. In 2013, in conjunction with its relocation to the heart of downtown Silver Spring, The Highwood Theatre expanded to more fully carry out its mission and develop innovative, engaging programming for artists of all ages through professional and student productions, classes, and programs in schools and for home schooled students.

Directions to The Highwood Theatre in Silver Spring

The Highwood Theatre in Silver Spring is located at 914 Silver Spring Avenue, Silver Spring, MD 20910. Street parking is available near the venue, and there is a county garage less than one block away. Parking is free on weekends. Arriving by metro? From the Silver Spring metro station (Red Line), head Northeast on Colesville Road toward Wayne Avenue. Turn right onto Wayne Avenue, Right onto Georgia Avenue, and left onto Silver Spring Avenue. The Highwood Theatre will be on your right. This route takes approximately ten minutes.

Contact Information

Tickets: <http://www.thehighwoodtheatre.org/tickets.html>

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Calendar Listing

All My Sons, written by Arthur Miller, is a Student Directing Fellowship production of The Highwood Theatre located in downtown Silver Spring. Performances are at 8:00 pm on Saturday, February 25; Friday, March 3rd and Saturday, March 4th. Matinee performances are at 2:00 pm on Sundays, February 26th and March 5th. Tickets are \$20 and are on sale now. Visit www.thehighwoodtheatre.org for more information.

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