



MEDIA CALL FOR *Fefu and Her Friends*

Winnipeg, May 5, 2013: The Winnipeg premiere of *Fefu and Her Friends* by Maria Irene Fornes is just around the corner. Media are invited for an exclusive sneak peek and chance to catch footage of this unique theatrical experience. The show will run in Ralph Connor House, a heritage designated home at 54 West Gate. Eight women gather one morning to plan a charity event – but how the day ends will shock you! Originally part of the launch of the off-off Broadway movement in 1977, this play tackles the timeless theme of repression and was celebrated as one of the first site specific plays in North America.

MEDIA CALL

HOST: Sarasvati Productions

DATE: Tuesday, May 20th

LOCATION: Ralph Connor House (54 West Gate)

TIME: 2 p.m.

The media call will feature a short excerpt from the play and an opportunity to interview the artists involved in the production.

Fefu and Her Friends is in the hands of some very talented local theatre artists. At the helm of the production is Artistic Director Hope McIntyre, whose career has included work all over Canada and fourteen years with Sarasvati Productions. The play features veteran actors Megan McArton (most recently seen in *Harvest* at PTE) and Tracey Nepinak (currently on stage at RMTC in *Good People*); as well as celebrated performers Tracy Penner, Julia Arkos, Nan Fewchuk, Brenda McLean; and emerging artists Elena Anciro and Kelci Stephenson.

Fefu and Her Friends runs from **May 22nd to June 1st, 2014** at the **Ralph Connor House**. Tickets are \$20 or \$15 for students and seniors. To purchase tickets and to see show times, please visit www.sarasvati.ca.

About Sarasvati Productions: *Sarasvati Dramatic Theatre Productions and Repertory Inc. (founded in Winnipeg in 2000) seeks to inspire artists and audiences through the use of theatre and to provide a place where artists can develop and showcase their skills and celebrate their creativity.*

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