

Sarasvati Productions
Presents
ONE NIGHT STAND

An Evening of Readings by Manitoba Playwrights

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Series 1: Short Stuff | plays that are 10 minutes or less!

February 2nd 2017 at 7:00 PM

Colin Jackson Studio, Prairie Theatre Exchange
3rd floor, Portage Place | Admission by donation

Sarasvati Productions is proud to announce the first in a new series of ONE NIGHT STAND readings. ONE NIGHT STAND is dedicated to giving local playwrights the opportunity to try work out in front of a live audience. It is a wonderful initiative for playwrights and an opportunity for the audience to witness the developmental process at work, while also supporting local artists.

The ONE NIGHT STAND series was started by two playwrights in Toronto (Lindsay Price and Bonnie Anderson). After a hiatus of several years, we are excited to bring back this initiative with emerging producer and director Tatiana Carnevale taking the helm. “I think this idea is so much fun and I am excited to introduce it to the next generation of theatre artists!” shared Carnevale. “Each night will have five or six different scenes featured. Sometimes it will be work that has never been heard before; sometimes it may be a scene that is giving a playwright a particular bit of trouble; it may be something an author wants feedback on.” Based on submissions the first evening will focus on short plays.

For February 2nd the featured pieces are:

- *Irony* by Sage
- *Donation* by Craig Russell
- *The Aftermath* by Trevor Graumann
- *Life in a Fishbowl* by Marjorie Roden
- *Jump or You’ll Die Laughing: a Tragicomic Short for the Endlessly Heavy Hearted* by Kirsty Cameron
- *Cherries* by Per Brask

The playwrights have a wide range of experience and are tackling a wide range of topics. Kim Kakegamic will be directing the readings, which will feature a local cast reading multiple roles. The event is being offered in partnership with Prairie Theatre Exchange Theatre and Film School. It is by donation at the door.

About Sarasvati Productions: Sarasvati Dramatic Theatre Producers 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.