



THEATRE RHINOCEROS

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Theatre – Comedy

Production Company: Theatre Rhinoceros, San Francisco
Title: *The Philanderer* by Bernard Shaw
Venue: Theatre Rhinoceros, Mainstage Theatre (Upstairs)
2926 16th St. (Mission/South Van Ness)
Dates: September 15 – October 15, 2005
Wednesdays – Saturdays @ 8:00PM
Sundays – 7 PM (9/18) & 3:00PM (9/25, 10/2, 10/9)
Previews: Thursday, September 15 & Friday, September 16, 2005
(no press at previews please)
Opening Night: Saturday, September 17
Box Office: (415) 861-5079
TIX: \$15 – \$25
Press: Visit our website at www.therhino.org or contact Hung Dang,
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The members of the Ibsen Society are a queer lot. Only unmanly men and unwomanly women may join. Don't miss this classic Shaw play, which has only recently been rediscovered as a work of queer theatre.

The Philanderer, which received its stage premiere in London in 1907, centers around Leonard Charteris, a self-admitted philanderer, caught between Grace Tranfield, a woman who won't have him, and Julia Craven, a woman who won't have anyone else. Charteris enlists the help of Dr. Paramore, who has a certain passion for Julia.

WEST COAST PREMIERE READING OF THE UNPUBLISHED LAST ACT: We will also present a reading of the un-produced fourth act of *The Philanderer* every Friday night directly after the performance.

Author: Bernard Shaw
Director: John Fisher and Matt Weimer
Featuring: Donald Currie, John Fisher, Tim Hendrixson*, Ann Lawler, Kathy Rentschler, Libby O'Connell, Matt Weimer
(*Member Actors' Equity)
Set: Erik Flatmo (The Rhino's *Beautiful Child* and *Not about Nightingales*)
Lights: Dave Robertson (The Rhino's *Beautiful Child* and *Not about Nightingales*)
Costumes: Robert Horek
Stage Manager: Johanna Ruefli
Production Manager: Jennifer Garagliano

CALENDAR EDITORS, PLEASE NOTE:

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SHOW TIMES: Wed. – Sat. @ 8:00 pm
Sun. @ 7:00 pm (September 18)
Sun. Matinee @ 3:00 pm (September 25, October 2 & 9)

TIX PRICES: \$15 – Wednesday & All Previews / \$20 – Thursday, Friday &
Sunday / \$25 – Saturdays

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Theatre Rhinoceros, America's longest running professional queer theatre, develops and produces works of theatre that enlighten, enrich, and explore both the ordinary and extraordinary aspects of our queer community.