

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2010
A BENEFIT FOR THE PLAYERS FOUNDATION
A SPECIAL PERFORMANCE OF

A SCANDALOUS AFFAIR
The secret love story of Jeanette MacDonald
and Nelson Eddy



Laced with infectious humor, juicy Hollywood history and a spectacular mix of music by Cole Porter, Noel Coward, Victor Herbert and Verdi, the story unfolds with tragic pregnancies, sexual betrayals and blackmail – all wrapped around those glorious, inspiring melodies of a simpler time and ending on the “high note” of their great romance!

Playing the famed couple is a pair of accomplished international opera singers. **Hallie Neill** (“*A rapturous singing actress.*” *The New York Times*) appears as Jeanette, with Metropolitan Opera baritone **Theodore Lambrinos** (“*A thrilling voice.*” *Opera News*) as Nelson. **William Lewis** is their real-life pianist and confidante, Collins Smith.

Hallie Neill’s script is inspired by Sharon Rich’s book **Sweethearts**. Meet the artists and special guest Sharon Rich at a post-performance reception.

***“Two splendid singers with chemistry, quality music and genuine talent!
A most refreshing show!”***
The Times Picayune

A portion of each ticket purchased is tax deductible in accordance with the law.

Performance: 7:00 p.m.
Tickets (show only): \$40
Tickets w/post-performance
reception: \$70

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