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New Stage Theatre Presents the Mississippi Premiere of *Chicken & Biscuits* by Douglas Lyons

JACKSON—New Stage Theatre presents *Chicken & Biscuits* by Douglas Lyons April 9 – 21! Directed by Xerron Mingo, *Chicken & Biscuits* is a feel-good comedy centered around the complex dynamics of a modern family that comes together to honor the passing of the family patriarch. *Chicken & Biscuits* is sure to be a laugh-out-loud hit! Curtain times and dates for performances are April 9 – 12, 16, 18 - 20 at 7:00 p.m. and April 14 and 21 at 2:00 p.m. Ticket prices are \$40.00 with discounts available for students, senior citizens, military, and groups. Tickets can be purchased at the box office, charged by phone by calling the theatre at (601) 948-3533, or ordered online at www.newstagetheatre.com. This production is sponsored by the Meyer and Genevieve Falk Endowment Fund and the Mississippi Arts Commission. Security provided and patrols during performances. *Recommended for ages 13+.*

Funerals bring out the tastiest of secrets.....

Rival sisters, Baneatta and Beverly, are trying to bury their father without killing each other first. When a family secret is revealed at the church altar, decorum flies out the stained glass window! With fast-paced jokes that will have audiences rolling in the aisles—and Grandpa turning over in his grave—this dysfunctional family comedy is even more satisfying than its namesake. *Chicken & Biscuits* is a laugh-out-loud celebration of Black joy, love, and laughter!

Discount Nights

PAY WHAT YOU CAN NIGHT: Patrons can come to the box office beginning at 6:00pm on Tuesday, April 9 and name their price at the door. Valid for the April 9 performance only. Subject to availability (\$5 minimum on all credit card purchases)

STUDENT RUSH DISCOUNT: One hour prior to curtain for any performance, students with a current academic ID may purchase an available seat for \$10. Limit one ticket per ID.

YOUTH NIGHTS: Youth 18 and under can reserve \$15 tickets for the performances on Friday, April 12. This discount is only available by calling the box office and mentioning “youth night” for the discount.

Schedule & Ticket Information

Where:

1100 Carlisle Street, Jackson MS 39202

Dates:

Open: April 9, 2024; Close: April 21, 2024

Tickets:

\$40; seniors/students/military \$35

Box Office:

Telephone: 601-948-3533

Online: www.newstagetheatre.com

Email: tickets@newstagetheatre.com

Hours: Monday-Friday from 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Tickets Online:

Tickets may be purchased 24 hours a day, seven days a week at www.newstagetheatre.com (*a per-ticket service fee of \$3 applies to all online purchases*)