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## THE UPSTART CROW PRESENTS LEARNED LADIES

Learned Ladies plays at the Dairy Arts Center December 13 – 23, 2018

Henriette and Clitandre are in love. But in order to marry, they must overcome an obstacle: the attitude of Henriette's family. Her father and uncle are in favor of the marriage; but her father is under the thumb of his wife, who is taken in by Trissotin, a "scholar" and mediocre poet with devious aspirations. Henriette's mother, sister, and aunt, who are obsessed with learning and culture of the most pretentious kind, all swoon over the poetry and wit of Trissotin; and her mother decides that this is the man Henriette should marry. **LEARNED LADIES** tells a story of strong wills, assorted schemes, and conflicting natures. Amidst the conflict, comedy ensues. **LEARNED LADIES** performs at The Dairy Arts Center 2590 Walnut St, Boulder, Colorado. Tickets are on sale now at <a href="https://bic.lit.light.com/bic.light.com/

**Tickets for LEARNED LADIES start at \$25.** Seniors and Students (with ID) \$21. Thursdays are Name-Your-Price Night: No set price or suggested donation. Audiences are asked to judge what they feel is an appropriate amount and leave it in an unmarked envelope at the end of the evening (No reservations accepted; first come, first served). To purchase tickets for any performance, visit <a href="The Dairy Box Office">The Dairy Box Office</a> or call 303.444.7328.

Performance TimesDecember 13 – 23Thursday – Saturday7:30 pmSunday2pm

## Reception | Friday, December 14

Ticketed patrons attending the December 14 performance will be treated to light refreshments at intermission.

## Talkback | Saturday, December 22

Ticketed patrons attending the December 22 performance may stay after the show for a Q&A with members of the cast.

For more info email info@theupstartcrow.org or visit www.theupstartcrow.org

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The Upstart Crow Theatre Company has been producing and performing classical theater in the Boulder community since 1980. With over 180 productions spanning nearly four decades, the Crow has entertained generations of audiences with plays seldom produced elsewhere in Colorado, if not the nation. The Upstart Crow Theater Company continues this tradition with its 39<sup>th</sup> season, presented in entirety at The Dairy Center for the Arts.

The Upstart Crow Theatre Company is supported in part by the **Scientific and Cultural Facilities District**, the **Boulder Arts Commission**, the **Colorado Theater Guild**, and the **Boulder County Arts Alliance**.

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