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Grab Your Cloak and Rev Your Broomstick!
The Centre for the Arts Presents Magical Movie Nights
As we Count Down to the Release of Harry Potter & the Half-blood Prince!

Boca Raton, Florida, June 4, 2009 – Wizards and witches will descend upon Mizner Park to mix with “muggles” – non-magical folk – as the Centre for the Arts at Mizner Park launches its new *Magical Movie Night Series* featuring the Harry Potter films in anticipation of the soon to be released *Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince*.

Furthering its mission to bring family programming to the community, the CFA has partnered with Barnes & Noble Booksellers and Sunrise Cinemas to showcase these popular films free to the public.

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The films will begin at dusk, but the fun starts at 7:00 PM with costume contests – “Best Witch”, “Best Wizard” and a “Harry Potter Look-a-like” contest, as well as, face painting, balloon art, jugglers, and story telling. There will be “Wizard Training” ala Hogwarts style complete with a certificate of “Wizardsry”. Want a lightning bolt scar like Harry? Or is the “Dark Mark” more your style? Temporary tattoo artists will be on hand to help you out. Hear Professor Trelawney predict the future at our fortune telling booth and sample “Potter’s Potente Potion.” There will be plenty of fun on hand for the whole family.

Harry Potter books, DVD’s, and merchandise will be available for sale.

Harry Potter & the Half-blood Prince will premiere at Sunrise Cinemas in Mizner Park on July 17th.

Schedule of Events:

Thursday, June the 18th at 7:00 p.m.

Harry Potter & the Sorcerer’s Stone

Harry learns on his 11th birthday that he is the son of two powerful wizards killed by “*He Who Must Not Be Named*”. How Harry alone survived the attack is the mystery. At Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry, Harry begins his wizard’s training, learns the high-flying sport Quidditch, plays fetch with a vicious three-headed dog named “*Fluffy*”, and faces the Dark Wizard bent on destroying him!

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Thursday, June the 25th at 7:00 p.m.

Harry Potter & the Chamber of Secrets

Harry, Ron, and Hermione are determined to uncover the deadly secrets hidden away at Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry. But first they have to deal with overly enthusiastic House Elves, squealing Mandrakes, giant spiders, and venomous serpents.

Thursday, July the 2nd at 7:00 p.m.

Harry Potter & the Prisoner of Azkaban

Harry, Ron and Hermione return for their third year at Hogwarts where they are forced to face shape-shifting Boggarts, deadly Dementors, and master the art of Divination and finally deal with the truth about escaped prisoner Sirius Black and his relationship to Harry. With his best friends at his side, Harry masters advanced magic, turns back time to save more than one innocent life.

Thursday, July the 9th at 7:00 p.m.

Harry Potter & the Goblet of Fire

"*He Who Must Not Be Named*" returns in the fourth installation of the Harry Potter series. When Harry Potter's name is drawn from the Goblet of Fire, he becomes a competitor in a deadly Triwizard Tournament. Who submitted Harry's name? Now Harry must confront a deadly dragon, ferocious water demons, and an enchanted maze only to find himself a pawn in Lord Voldemort's cruel game. Everything will change for Harry as he leaves childhood behind to take on challenges greater than anything he could have imagined.

Thursday, July the 16th at 7:00 p.m.

Harry Potter & the Order of the Phoenix

Harry returns to get the cold-shoulder at Hogwarts. Few students and parents believe that Voldemort is really back. The ministry appoints a new and sadistic Defense Against the Dark Arts teacher and to top it all off Harry experiences strange and disturbing dreams and a mystery behind something Voldemort is searching for. Harry experiences great personal loss and one of his most challenging years at Hogwarts.

Where:

Count de Hoernle Amphitheater at
The Schmidt Family Centre for the Arts in Mizner Park

When:

Activities begin at 7:00 PM, film starts at dusk.

About the Centre for the Arts

The Centre for the Arts at Mizner Park (CFA) in Boca Raton is a nonprofit organization dedicated to expanding the cultural resources in the heart of the community by creating cooperative programming opportunities in music, dance, theater, film, and fine arts at the Count de Hoernle Amphitheater in the Schmidt Family Centre for the Arts.

The Centre for the Arts presents the critically acclaimed Festival of the Arts BOCA, which brings together world-class musicians and authors to our community along with celebrating local cultural organizations. The Festival's educational program provides over 3,000 students with the unparalleled opportunity to attend lectures, master classes, and open rehearsals with these outstanding artists.

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