

# BOB and RO productions

performing in the Studio Theatre, 10th and R Streets, Sacramento, CA

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## NEW THEATRE COMPANY OPENS WITH MURDER A story of passion, deceit, and really poor murder skills

MURDER AT THE HOWARD JOHNSON'S is a story of three people filled with passion - for whatever it is they don't have at the moment. This suspense comedy will be the first production from Bob and Ro Productions, opening in the Studio Theatre, 1028 R St, Sacramento on January 22, 2010.

Arlene (Lee Marie Kelly) is a passionate woman of, well, she's a little vague on the exact number of years. She's tired of her marriage to the steady (but boring) Paul (Aurelio Martinez), a used car salesman with a penchant for the color gray. She is drawn to Mitchell (Dean Shellenberger), who's exciting and dynamic, and could have any woman he wanted. After all, he's a dentist! And there seems to be only one way to remove Paul's devotion to her... Murder!

If only they were good at it.

Just nine months after leaving Magic Circle Theatre, Bob and Rosemarie Gerould have created a new community theatre organization, raised money, found a location and put together their first production. It couldn't have happened without the support of many wonderful people in the theatre community, as well as patrons who believe in them. Opening night will be a Thank You Party for supporters as much as a celebration of the opening of this funny show. All tickets are \$25 for this one performance.

MURDER AT THE HOWARD JOHNSON'S will play Fridays and Saturdays at 8:00 pm, Sundays at 2:00 pm. Tickets will be \$20 general admission, \$18 seniors and \$15 students. Tickets can be arranged by calling toll free (877) 532-7171 between 12 pm and 5 pm Tuesdays - Saturdays, or can be purchased at the box office as early as one hour before the show opens.

NOTE: As with many new ventures, there are the occasional issues. Our toll free number seems to have an issue with messages (figures, doesn't it?) Please check the website for updates or alternatives.

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If you'd like more information about MURDER AT THE HOWARD JOHNSON'S, Bob and Ro Productions, or to schedule an interview with the actors, please call Bob Gerould at 916-532-0108 or e-mail bobgerould@gmail.com.