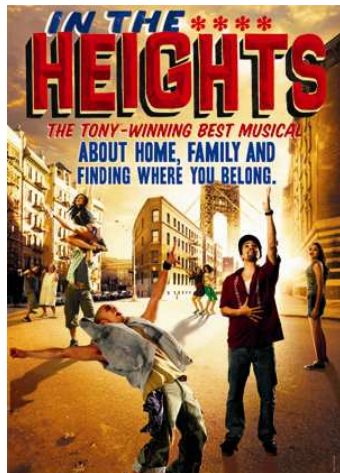




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IN THE HEIGHTS

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AT THE PANTAGES THEATRE

PERFORMANCES BEGIN JUNE 22, 2010

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IN THE HEIGHTS, the winner of four 2008 Tony Awards including Best Musical as well as the 2008 Grammy® Award for Best Musical Show Album, will celebrate its Los Angeles premiere this summer at the Pantages Theatre. There will be one lower-priced preview performance on Tuesday, June 22, with the official "Opening Night" taking place Wednesday, June 23. The engagement is scheduled for three weeks through July 11.

Tickets may be purchased online at www.BroadwayLA.org or by phone at 1-800-982-ARTS(2787). Tickets may also be purchased in person at the Pantages Box Office and all Ticketmaster ticket outlets. The Pantages Theatre is located at 6233 Hollywood Boulevard, just east of Vine Street, and the box office is open every day beginning at 10AM. *(Please note that tickets are not available until 4/18/10.)*

IN THE HEIGHTS tells the universal story of a vibrant community in New York's Washington Heights neighborhood – a place where the coffee from the corner bodega is light and sweet, the windows are always open and the breeze carries the rhythm of three generations of music. It's a community on the brink of change, full of hopes, dreams and pressures, where the biggest struggles can be deciding which traditions you take with you, and which ones you leave behind.

IN THE HEIGHTS opened on Broadway to wide critical acclaim March 9, 2008 where it continues to play at the Richard Rodgers Theatre. In addition to winning the 2008 Tony Award for Best Musical, Lin-Manuel Miranda, the show's creator, won the Tony Award for Best Music and Lyrics, Andy Blankenbuehler won for Best Choreography, and Alex Lacamoire and Bill Sherman won for Best Orchestrations. The original cast recording won the 2008 Grammy Award for Best Musical Show Album. Recently, Universal Pictures has acquired the rights to produce a feature film based on the smash hit musical.

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With a book by Pulitzer Prize finalist and Tony Award nominee Quiara Alegría Hudes and conceived by Lin-Manuel Miranda, ***IN THE HEIGHTS*** is directed by Tony Award nominee Thomas Kail. Music arrangements are by Alex Lacamoire and Bill Sherman. Scenic design is by Anna Louizos with, costume design by Paul Tazewell, lighting design by Howell Binkley and sound design by Acme Sound Partners.

IN THE HEIGHTS is produced by Kevin McCollum, Jeffrey Seller, Jill Furman Willis, Sander Jacobs, Robyn Goodman/Walt Grossman, Peter Fine and Sonny Everett/Mike Skipper with associate producers Ruth Hendel and Harold Newman.

The Washington Post said ***IN THE HEIGHTS*** is “Pure Broadway. An evening of old-style, innocent pleasure”, and Ben Brantley of *The New York Times* states that ***IN THE HEIGHTS*** is “An exuberant, animated shrine to the importance of family ties and being faithful to where you come from.”

Casting for ***IN THE HEIGHTS*** will be announced at a later date.

For more information on ***IN THE HEIGHTS***, please visit www.InTheHeightsTheMusical.com.

The performance schedule for ***IN THE HEIGHTS*** is Tuesday through Friday at 8pm, Saturday at 2pm & 8pm, and Sunday at 1pm & 6:30pm. Tickets range in price from \$25 - \$85 with premium seating packages also available, although prices are subject to change without notice. The Pantages Theatre is located in Hollywood at 6233 Hollywood Boulevard at Vine Street.

IN THE HEIGHTS is presented locally by Broadway/L.A. as the seventh show of its 2010 Pantages Season.

For more information, please visit the Pantages Theatre's official website: www.BroadwayLA.org.

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LISTINGS INFORMATION FOR:



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 6233 Hollywood Blvd, Los Angeles 90028

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Ticket Prices*:

<u>SEATING AREA</u>	
Orchestra A – ZZ (Center)	\$85.00
Orchestra L – ZZ (Sides)	\$65.00
Mezzanine A – H (Center)	\$85.00
Mezzanine A – H (Sides)	\$65.00
Mezzanine J – Q (Center)	\$40.00
Mezzanine J – Q (Sides)	\$25.00

Premium packages, which include seats in first 12 rows center orchestra, Plus one parking pass for every two tickets purchased, are also available.

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Tickets: On Sale Sun 4/18 at 10am
 Online: **BroadwayLA.org**
 Phone: **1-800-982-ARTS (2787)**
 In Person: Pantages Box Office (Opens Daily at 10am)
 and all Ticketmaster Ticket Centers

Description: **IN THE HEIGHTS**, winner of four 2008 Tony Awards® including BEST MUSICAL!, comes to the Pantages Theatre to celebrate its Los Angeles premiere. This acclaimed show about chasing one's dreams and finding one's true home features Tony Award-winning dancing and a thrilling Tony Award-winning score. **IN THE HEIGHTS** is an exhilarating journey into a vibrant Manhattan community – a place where the coffee is light and sweet, the windows are always open, and the breeze carries the rhythm of three generations of music. Southern California audiences will now experience the next chapter of the classic American story at one of the most joyous, exciting and award-winning new musicals Broadway has seen in years.