



By **Joe DiPietro**
April 23 - May 16 | Preview April 22
John Hirsch Mainstage

“Clever, insightful comedy” - The Alternative Press

WINNIPEG, April 14, 2015 - Family secrets are about to be blown wide open in Joe DiPietro's hilariously entertaining comedy **CLEVER LITTLE LIES**, which closes the Royal MTC 2014/15 season and plays from April 23 - May 16.

Overwhelmed by the stresses of work and a new baby, Billy cracks under the pressure and makes an alarming confession to his father. Sensing trouble, his intuitive mother Alice invites the whole family over in an attempt to intervene. In this fast and funny look at family secrets and the skeletons that stubbornly refuse to stay in the closet, a mother's bravery prompts an unexpected revelation that could change everything.

CLEVER LITTLE LIES stars Eric Blais as Billy, John Bourgeois as Billy Sr., Daria Puttaert as Jane and Maria Ricossa as Alice.

The creative team behind the production includes direction by Royal MTC Artistic Director Steven Schipper, Set & Costume Designer Snezana Pesic, Lighting Designer Bill Williams, Video Creator Deco Dawson, Sound Designer John Bent Jr., Apprentice Director Kendra Jones, Stage Manager Margaret Brook, Assistant Stage Manager Michael Duggan and Apprentice Stage Manager Kali Claire Grenier-Prieur.

Tickets for **CLEVER LITTLE LIES** start at \$25 plus GST. For showtimes and ticket information, call the Royal MTC Box Office at 204 942 6537, toll-free at 1 877 446 4500 or visit www.royalmtc.ca. Are you 25 and under? A limited number of \$15 tickets are available at noon on the day of the performance, unless the performance is sold out. For more information, visit www.royalmtc.ca/rush.

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***“An exceptional new play...
a completely entertaining theatrical experience” – Broadway World***

MEDIA CALL

TUESDAY, APRIL 21 at 2pm

John Hirsch Mainstage
174 Market Ave

A scene from **CLEVER LITTLE LIES** will be performed on the John Hirsch Mainstage with interviews immediately following.

RSVP BY NOON on TUESDAY, APRIL 21 to:

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PRODUCTION PHOTOS:

A selection of photos will be available for download on our website on April 21. To access these photos, visit the **MEDIA CENTRE** at <http://www.royalmtc.ca/mediacentre>.

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