# THE BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE AND CINEMATIC ARTS PRESENTS



## BY AGATHA CHRISTIE DIRECTED BY DAN BALDWIN

SEPTEMBER 12-14, 17-21, 24-28, 1985 — 8:00 P.M. SEPTEMBER 23 AT 4:00 P.M. IN THE PARDOE DRAMA THEATRE



#### CAST

#### In Order of Appearance

Mollie Ralston Amelia Deck	er
Giles Ralston David L. Ba	
Christopher Wren Richard M. Hog	e*
Mrs. Boyle	ck
Major Metcalf Patrick "Pepper" Pow	
Miss Casewell Kim Fante	etti
Mr. Paravicini	th
Detective Sergeant TrotterBill Schenke	er*

#### SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

Act I

Scene I Hall at Monkswell Manor, late afternoon Scene II Same setting, following day, afternoon

Act II

Same setting a short while later

There will be a ten-minute intermission between Acts I and II

#### PRODUCTION STAFF

Director Scenic and Costume Designer Lighting Designer Technical Director Assistant Director/Production Stage Manager Assistant Technical Director Costumer	Rory R. Scanlon*Lisa L. Wygant*O. Lee Walker*Lisa L. Wygant*Don ParkerSandra Gray*
Assistant Costumer	
Assistant Costume Designer	
Assistant Set Designer	
Resident Stage Manager	
Makeup	
Master Electrician	
Lighting Technician	
Sound Technician (BYU Instructional Support S	
Property Master	
Property Assistant	Eddie Swainson
Scene Shop Foremen	Kirk Lorimer
	Linden Snyder
Scene Painters	
D O. (1)	Boyd H. Wolz
Box-Office Manager	
House Manager	
Publicist	
Photographer	IVIATK A. FIIIIDFICK

#### \* Member of Theta Alpha Phi

#### **DIRECTOR'S NOTES**

The Mousetrap opened at the Ambassadors Theatre in London on November 25, 1952. It continues its highly successful run at the St. Martins Theatre as the longest running play in theatre history.

The Mousetrap was originally produced as a forty-five-minute radio drama to celebrate Queen Mary's eightieth birthday. However, it was not until five years later that Agatha Christie adapted the story into a play. The script, which Miss Christie described as "not a bad little play," has been seen by more than four million people, produced in forty-one countries and translated into twenty-two languages.

We now invite you to match wits with the Queen of Mystery and her sleuth, Sergeant Trotter, in the greatest whodunit of all time. As a point of reference, we mention that Sir Winston Churchill unravelled the mystery by the end of the first act. See if you can be as clever in detecting the killer of the "three blind mice."

#### BE SURE TO SEE . . .



### BY JULIE BOXX DIRECTED BY IVAN CROSLAND

Again we present, for the fourth straight year, another comedic comet from the playwright of *Pals* and *'Til the Fat Lady Sings*. What happens to a young couple when they find that they just can't seem to have any children—even after trying every conceivable way? Add to the scenario the next-door neighbors, who have "too many" children, and you soon realize that the birth of a touching and contemporary comedy has just occurred!

Tickets go on sale September 30



## BY MOLIERE DIRECTED BY CHARLES METTEN

A sparkling new production of this timeless farce where truth and love are triumphant. Poor Mr. Argan's imaginary ills provide the rollicking setting for one of Moliere's most biting social parodies of the classes. Pompous physicians, a scheming notary, and a masquerading servant prove that troubles, both real and imaginary, are relieved by laughter.

Tickets go on sale October 7