

PALM DESERT CAMPUS TO HOST FREE FILM SOCIETY SCREENING

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PALM DESERT, Calif. The Palm Desert Campus of California State University, San Bernardino will host a free screening of the 1939 comedy, "The Women", on Wednesday, June 25, at 7:00 p.m. in the campus' Indian Wells Theater. The campus is located at 37-500 Cook Street, between Gerald Ford and Frank Sinatra Drives. The film stars Norma Shearer, Joan Crawford, Rosalind Russell, and Paulette Goddard.

Parking will be enforced at \$4 per vehicle.

The film is part of the Palm Springs International Film Society's series of free public film screenings entitled, "Drama Queens".

As part of the Society's Educational/Community Outreach Program, "Drama Queens" will explore the role of women in the cinematic melodrama genre. With star-studded melodramas that vary from campy and vampy to weepy and wistful, the evolution of women in film will be discussed by experts in the know.

These films deliver memorable female characters who are attempting to make their mark in the world. The series of ten films straddle seven decades and provide audiences with an education worthy of a degree in women in the cinema with a minor in histrionics.

The use of the Indian Wells Theater has been underwritten by Friends of the Palm Desert Campus.

For additional information about this film series, visit www.psfilmfest.org or call (760) 322-2930.

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