

# **Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi**

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## **MEDIA ALERT**

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**WHO:** Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi Theatre Students

**WHAT:** Dress Rehearsal for “The Merry Wives of Windsor”

**WHEN:** Monday, April 20, from 8-10:30 p.m. (Interviews from 7-8 p.m.)

**WHERE:** Warren Theatre, Center for the Arts, Texas A&M University-Corpus  
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## **Texas A&M-Corpus Christi’s University Theatre Holds Dress Rehearsal of the Comedy ‘The Merry Wives of Windsor’**

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas – The University Theatre at Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi will hold a dress rehearsal of the William Shakespeare comedy “The Merry Wives of Windsor” Monday, April 20, from 8-10:30 p.m. in the Warren Theatre in the Center for the Arts.

The play will run from Tuesday, April 21, through Sunday, April 26. Performances are at 8 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday.

As the only comedy set in Shakespeare’s native land, “The Merry Wives of Windsor” is conversational, gutsy and bustling with colorful characters; and centers around themes of love and marriage, jealousy and revenge, and class and wealth. The play focuses on everyday lives of the English middle class and gives birth to a tradition that reaches down to the modern television.

“The Merry Wives of Windsor” is directed by Kelly Russell, assistant professor of theatre.

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