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MEDIA ADVISORY

SEGERSTROM CENTER OFFERS MILITARY RUSH DISCOUNT FOR

WarHorse

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Segerstrom Center for the Arts is offering a military rush discount to performances of **WAR HORSE** from January 22 – February 3. Active duty military personnel with current ID can purchase specially priced \$20 tickets at the Center Box Office located at 600 Town Center Drive in Costa Mesa one hour prior to performances. Limit two tickets per ID. Tickets are available when rush is offered and subject to availability. To find out if rush tickets will be available, please call the Center Box Office on performance day at (714) 556-2787.

Hailed by *The New York Times* as “theatrical magic,” **WAR HORSE** is the powerful story of young Albert’s beloved horse, Joey, who has been enlisted to fight for the English in World War I. In a tale *The New York Daily News* calls “spellbinding, by turns epic and intimate,” Joey is caught in enemy crossfire and ends up serving both sides of the war before landing in no man’s land. Albert, not old enough to enlist, embarks on a treacherous mission to find his horse and bring him home. What follows is a remarkable tale of courage, loyalty and friendship, filled with stirring music and songs and told with the some of the most innovative stagecraft of our time.

The tour of **WAR HORSE**, which was adapted from the book by **Morpurgo** by **Nick Stafford**, is directed by **Bijan Sheibani** based on the original Tony Award®-winning direction by **Marianne Elliott** and **Tom Morris**, and presented in association with Handspring Puppet Company. At the heart of the show are life-sized puppets which bring breathing, galloping, charging horses to thrilling life on stage.

For more information on **WAR HORSE**, please visit warhorseonstage.com.

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