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Latitude Theatre to Present West Coast Premiere of *Monstrous Regiment*

Latitude Theatre presents the West Coast premiere of Terry Pratchett's *Monstrous Regiment*, a wickedly funny look at the absurdities of war and ambiguities of identity. Adapted by Christopher Hainsworth and directed by Christopher Kidder-Mostrom, *Monstrous Regiment* will play May 14 – June 4, 2023 in the Isaac Studio Theater at 212 N. 85th St. in Seattle. Single tickets are now on sale at latitudetheatre.org or at (425) 835-2794. The press opening is Thursday, May 18 at 7:30 pm.

The cast of *Monstrous Regiment* includes Lola Rei Fukushima (Polly), Ali Kidder-Mostrom (Igor), Jacq Babb (Maladict), Leah Sainz-Jones (Tonker), Annabel Klein (Lofty), Kirsten Traylor-Thorson (Carborundum), Emily Fortuna (Wazzer), Steven Sterne (Sgt. Jackrum), Jonathan Swindle (Lt. Blouse), Rowan Gallagher (Zlobenian Captain/Death), and David Elwyn (Cpl. Strappi/General Froc).

From the pages of the Discworld™ novels, comes a story filled with loyalty, love, monsters, and mayhem: Borogravia is at war. Again. When Polly Perks' brother goes missing in action, she disguises herself as a young man, enlists in the army and heads to the front lines in search of her sibling. But all is not as it seems, and Polly soon learns that she isn't the only one in this band of "brothers" protecting secrets. Making their way to the front, this misfit company might just overcome insurmountable odds to become unlikely victors.

The creative team includes Stacey Bush (Fight Choreographer), Rowan Gallagher (Dialect Coach), Amber Granger (Sound Design), Hannah Lund (Assistant Director), Jennifer Nielsen (Props Design), Charles Sandford (Composer), Gwyn Skone (Lighting Design), Rhys Strohmayer (Scenic Design), and Sam Williamson (Stage Manager).

Regular performance times (May 18 – June 4) are Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 7:30 p.m., and Sundays at 2 p.m. There is one

Saturday Matinee at 2 p.m. on May 27th. There will be no performance on Friday May 19th.

Regular ticket prices are \$35 in advance or \$40 at the door. Discount tickets are available for Military/Veterans, TPS members, Taproot subscribers & Theatrical union members. Group rate for 11 or more is available upon request.

There are three special performances:

Sunday, May 14th at 2 p.m. – One Mother of a Preview – Mom sees the show for FREE with the purchase of one or more regular tickets (\$30)!

Wednesday, May 17th at 7:30 pm – Pay-With-Your-Can Preview – A food drive to benefit our local food bank (Phinney Ridge Lutheran Church Food Bank). Donate non-perishable food items for discounts and/or free tickets! Bring in 1 canned good for a \$10 discount, Bring 3 canned goods and get into the show for FREE! Discounted tickets are first come – first served, at the door only. Tickets purchased in-advance for May 17th are regular price (\$30).

Thursday, May 25th at 7:30pm – Glorious 25th of May – A Discworld cosplay night. Wear a lilac to honor Sir Terry and help fund Alzheimer's disease research.

Tickets for all performances are now on sale at latitudetheatre.org.

Latitude Theatre is a new non-profit theatre company located in Seattle, Washington, founded by Artistic Director Christopher Kidder-Mostrom. Latitude Theatre is dedicated to producing theatre from around our world, and from parallel worlds that expose PNW audiences to different perspectives.

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