

## **French Lick Springs Resort & Spa Summer Broadway Series Announces Playwright Competition**

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FRENCH LICK -- Bob Trinkle, Producer Director for the French Lick Summer Broadway Series has announced an exciting opportunity for playwrights throughout the Midwest. From St. Louis to Pittsburgh, from Chicago to Nashville , writers will not only have their work read and judged in competition, one will be produced during the 2006 Summer Broadway Series Season at French Lick. The Broadway Series at French Lick will soon be entering its fifth year and their shows have played to thousands of delighted theatre goers. The top four works will also be read by Dramatists Play Service of New York where one may be selected for publication. Dramatists will also be awarding a \$500 stipend to the selected play.

For nearly 70 years Dramatists Play Service, Inc. has provided the finest plays by both established writers and new playwrights of exceptional promise.

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John Lange, General Manager of the French Lick Springs Resort & Spa said, "The Broadway Series has been a mainstay at our Resort for the last four years. This playwright competition will introduce more and more theatre goers to a Theatre Company and a theatre that is rapidly establishing itself as a Destination Entertainment Venue in the Mid West."

All play submissions should be sent to: French Lick Play Review in care of Bob Trinkle Productions, 413 Highland Avenue, New Albany Indiana 47150. Submissions must be postmarked by December 31, 2004. Judges decisions are final. Submissions will not be returned.