



The 2009 Tony Award-winner for best play, *God of Carnage*

by Yasmina Reza, is a comedy of manners without the manners. In the Caldwell Theatre Company's current production, running through May 15, two couples meet to discuss the misdeeds of their sons. The evening begins amicably, but deteriorates into havoc. 7901 N. Federal Highway, Boca Raton; 561-241-7432 or www.caldwelltheatre.com.

The *God of Carnage* cast includes (from left) Kim Czart, Kim Czarenski, Michael Sorrentino and Nick Santa Maria.



The Ann Norton Sculpture Garden hosts a retrospective

of the work of 96-year-old Edward C. Michener in *Creative Journey: From There to Here in 75 Years* through May 15. A Philadelphia College of Art graduate and long-time advertising executive, Michener painted throughout his career and has been featured in many shows. 253 Barcelona Road, West Palm Beach; 561-832-5328 or www.ansg.org.

MFord Scaud by Edward C. Michener



GardensArt presents *Visions: Real and Imagined*,

an exhibition of photographs and digital imagery, from May 9 to June 23. Elle Schorr's photographs convey past and present in a single image, while Nathan Selikoff transforms equations and systems into beautiful digital prints. Opening reception May 11. City Hall Lobby, 10500 North Military Trail, Palm Beach Gardens; 561-630-1100 or www.pbgfl.com.

Woodland by Elle Schorr



Coppelia & Gems, Atlantic Dance Theatre's fifth annual

spring dance concert on May 14-15, showcases its students in two works. Act One tells the story of *Coppelia* in the classic ballet of love, comedy and magic, while Act Two offers *Gems*, a modern jazz ballet based on Balanchine's *Jewels*. Eissey Campus Theatre, 3160 PGA Blvd., Palm Beach Gardens; 561-575-4942 or www.TheAtlanticTheater.com.

Atlantic Dance Theatre company member Danelle Gaziano



Two original Broadway cast members of *Cats* –

Anna McNeely and Brian Andrews – lead students from the Maltz Jupiter Theatre's Conservatory of Performing Arts in a new production of *Cats* on May 20-21. The timeless music by Andrew Lloyd Webber brings T.S. Eliot's *Old Possum's Book of Practical Cats* to life. 1001 E. Indiantown Road, Jupiter; 561-575-2223 or www.jupitertheatre.org.

Maltz Jupiter Theatre Conservatory students rehearsal for *Cats*.



For Such a Time as This: The Story of Queen Esther

is the centerpiece of Florida Classical Ballet Theatre's upcoming performance, which also includes several short ballets. The ballet, based on the biblical book of Esther, features music by Edward Grieg. FCBT has been invited to perform in Russia this summer. Eissey Campus Theatre, 3160 PGA Blvd., Palm Beach Gardens; 561-207-5900 or www.fcbt.org.

FCBT resident artist Lily Ojia as Queen Esther



The New Gardens Band offers an All-American

Memorial Day weekend tribute to the members of our armed forces – past and present. Conducted by Owen Seward, "Remembering America's Fallen" will feature the patriotic music and American favorites that never fail to inspire us. Eissey Campus Theatre, 3160 PGA Blvd., Palm Beach Gardens; 561-207-5900 or www.newgardensband.org.



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