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IAN BELL'S BROWN DERBY SERIES 2016

"Ridiculously Staged Readings of Your Favorite Screenplays"

PRESENTS THE 2nd INSTALLMENT TO THE 2016 SEASON:

"WEIRD SCIENCE"

WHAT:

IAN BELL'S BROWN DERBY SERIES: Since 1999, Ian Bell's Brown Derby Series has presented "Ridiculously Staged Readings of Your Favorite Screenplays", becoming a Seattle comedy institution! Under rehearsed and armed with cardboard props, a few questionable wigs and plenty of silly string, Director Ian Bell teams up with Seattle's funniest actors to put their mutated spin on classic Hollywood screenplays.

"WEIRD SCIENCE": John Hughes' 1985 screenplay gives a Frankenstein treatment to Hollywood's "Horny Geek" Genre. Gary (orig. Anthony Michael Hall) and Wyatt (orig. Ilan Mitchell-Smith) are too nerdy to get laid and can't get a break from Wyatt's mean big brother Chet (orig. Bill Paxton), and the bullies at school (orig. Robert Downey Jr. & Robert Rusler). Late one night during a sleep over their desperation leads them to do what teen-aged boys do together: create a living woman with magical powers named Lisa (orig. Kelly Lebrock)!

FEATURING: David Gehrman as Gary (Anthony Michael Hall)

Scott Shoemaker as Wyatt (Ilan Mitchell—Smith)

Andrew Tasakos as Lisa (Kelly Lebrock)

Jason Sharp as Chet (Bill Paxton)

Shane Wahlund as Ian & Hilly (Robert Downey Jr. & Judie Aronson)

Freddy Molitch as Max & Deb (Robert Rusler & Suzanne Snyder)

AND MANY MORE!

Directed and Adapted for the stage by **Ian Bell**, Tech by **Todd Hull**

WHEN: 3 NIGHTS ONLY!

Thu. 5/12, Fri. 5/13, Sat. 5/14

Doors @ 7:00 p.m., **SHOW @ 8:00 p.m.**

WHERE: Re-bar 1114 Howell St. @ Boren Ave.

TICKETS: ADVANCE TICKETS: \$20 at www.StrangerTickets.com

WALK UP TICKETS: \$25 at the door, cash, day of show.

NOTE: 21+ W/ ID,

Re-bar is a FESTIVAL SEATING VENUE - Arrive early to claim your seats!

