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Take A Satiric Trip Through History In *Scenes From American Life*

TOMS RIVER, NJ – Journey throughout American history from the sardonic point of view of the late 1960s, as the **Ocean County College Theatre Company** presents ***Scenes from American Life***, a play written by A.R. Gurney, Jr. and directed by Arthur Waldman.

Due to renovations on the OCC Arts & Community Center, theatre shows will be performed at Toms River Intermediate East School, 1519 Hooper Avenue, on Thursday, **November 12** at 7:30 p.m., Friday, **November 13** and Saturday, **November 14** at 8:00 p.m., and Sunday, **November 15** at 2:00 p.m.

Scenes from American Life, told through a series of disconnected vignettes that leap back and forth across time, from the 1930s to the 1980s, is a witty work that showcases a wide assortment of characters and situations that range from comic to tragic. Moments of amusement, nostalgia, and social commentary chronicle the demise of the upstate New York WASP in this biting, and relevant, social satire.

Playwright A.R. Gurney, Jr. also wrote *Sylvia*, *The Dining Room*, and *Love Letters*.

Tickets: \$12 in advance / \$15 at-the-door. Tickets are on sale in advance at the OCC Box Office. Call 732.255.0500 for tickets or more information, or visit us on the web at www.ocean.edu.