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HERSHEY AREA PLAYHOUSE ANNOUNCES AUDITIONS FOR *LOVE LETTERS*

HERSHEY, Pennsylvania—October 15, 2008 – Hershey Area Playhouse is seeking two dynamic actors! *Love Letters*, A.R. Gurney's exploration of a relationship through letters, what is said and what is left unsaid, is being directed by Stuart Landon.

The two-character play is traditionally read through. For this non-traditional staging, auditioners should possess excellent speaking voices and exceptional memories, a knack for creative collaboration, as well as be available for all rehearsals. The cast consists of one male actor and one female actor, stage age 25 to 75. Auditioners should bring a recent photo/headshot and a theatrical resume (if available).

Auditions are on Sunday, November 16, 2008 and Monday, November 17, 2008 from 7:00 pm until 9:00 pm each evening, and will consist of readings from the script; actors are encouraged to choose and memorize a 1-minute selection from *Love Letters* of their choice.

Audition forms can be downloaded from HersheyAreaPlayhouse.com. Auditions will be held at Hershey Area Playhouse at Country Meadows, located on Sand Hill Road at Cherry Drive in Hershey. The show will open on Thursday, February 12, 2009 and run through Sunday, February 22, 2009. If you have any questions, please contact Stuart Landon, the director, at 917.406.9580 or stuartlandon@gmail.com.

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