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**FIU Theatre** presents the classical comedy **Lysistrata** by Aristophanes. October 13-16, 20-23.  
Curtain 8:00 p.m. University Theatre, Vierter Haus 100, Tamiami Campus. Tickets \$4.00, students \$3.00.  
Telephone 554-2895.

Since its first performance in Athens in the 5th century B.C., **Lysistrata** has been one of the most popular of all theatrical comedies. The play depicts the ingenious plot devised by the women to get their husbands to end the disastrous war between Athens and Sparta. As the women's plot unfolds, other issues besides that of war and peace are raised, the most important being that of women's place in a male dominated (and less than well-run) world. While these issues are serious ones, Aristophanes treats them with the lively, satirical and bawdy wit of a master humorist. The result is one of the funniest plays ever written. Our production will add the irresistible vitality of Greek music and dancing to produce a high spirited celebration of life.

**LYSISTRATA** will be directed by Therald Todd, the Director of FIU Theatre, and Lili Bitá, well known Greek-born actress and poet. The setting will be designed by Paul Mazer and the costumes by Marilyn Skow, FIU Theatre's new staff costume designer.