

SIGNATURE SERIES BACKGROUNDER

The Geffen Playhouse Signature Series gives patrons a range of special options to heighten their theater experience on select evenings throughout every run. Ranging from cerebral to celebratory, events include everything from Q&A's with artists to after-parties at chic Westwood hotels, depending on which series patrons select. Thanks to the donations and support of Geffen Playhouse partners, all elements of Signature Series evenings are complimentary as part of the standard ticket price for the designated performance. The following Signature Series options are available to subscribers and single ticket buyers:

TALK BACK TUESDAYS – *EVERY TUESDAY DURING THE REGULAR RUN*

Talk Back Tuesdays give theater lovers with a thirst for deeper conversation a chance to discuss plot, character, themes or any other questions they might have directly with the artists. This stimulating series includes pre-show coffee and tea tastings, compliments of **Peet's Coffee & Tea**, as well as a chance to interact with the actors – and the occasional playwright or director – when they come out on stage after the show and take questions from the audience.

GIRLS NIGHT OUT – *THE THIRD THURSDAY OF EVERY RUN*

It's a globally accepted piece of pop-culture that girls just wanna have fun, and this Signature Series was designed with that in mind; although of course, gentlemen are welcome to join as well. These special evenings only happen once during each production (five per year), and every Girls Night Out features partnerships with different lifestyle experts, brands or products that keep patrons on the cusp of what's hot in LA. Each night is completely different with post-show events ranging from private shopping parties at local Westwood fashion retailers to in-restaurant sushi and sake tastings, but every Girls Night Out promises a wonderful evening of theater followed by an utterly unique party complete with complimentary drinks, appetizers and a take away gift.

LOUNGE FRIDAYS – *THE FOURTH AND FIFTH FRIDAY OF EVERY RUN*

With Lounge Fridays the Geffen Playhouse turns into a haven to help fast-paced Angelenos ease into their weekend. Taking away the hassle of trying to pack in pre-show dinner and/or drinks, the Geffen Playhouse has partnered with a selection of boutique restaurants to feature complimentary tastings of their seasonal culinary creations in the Geffen's main lobby before the performance. Encouraging patrons to come early and relax a bit before settling into the theater, guests are offered complimentary champagne to ring in the weekend.

WINE DOWN SUNDAYS – *EVERY SUNDAY DURING THE REGULAR RUN*

Wine Down Sundays provides patrons with the perfect pairing – wine, world-class theater and contemporary chill music. Before the show on Sunday evenings, patrons are treated to complimentary wine tastings, often poured directly by the winemaker or distributor. These evenings often feature different vintages each production, so patrons who come regularly will discover new wine and new music before their theatrical experience.