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**RELIVE TELEVISION'S CLASSIC MOMENTS WITH
MIKE TOOMEY'S *TV & ME* AT METROPOLIS**

Arlington Heights, Ill., March 5, 2018 – Join comedian Mike Toomey as he recalls and recreates classic television moments in *TV & Me* at Metropolis Performing Arts Centre April 14, 2018.

Mike Toomey takes you on a journey back into 60's and 70's TV Land. In the show, Mike relates how his childhood television watching has shaped his adult life, while sharing his unique observations about his favorite programs and their characters. This multimedia presentation features over 300 slides and sound bytes plus Toomey's dead-on impersonations of your favorite TV celebrities. *TV & Me* is a must see for all members of the TV generation.

Mike Toomey grew up glued to the tube, and *TV & Me* is the manifestation of his obsession. His ability to remember his favorite programs verbatim and impersonate the voices of his favorite characters made Mike very popular with his classmates, if not his teachers. Once told by a grade school principal that "no one ever made a career out of watching television," Mike Toomey set out to prove the principal wrong. He continues to this day on his life-long mission to prove her wrong. To make a career out of watching TV: To boldly go where no man has gone before!

TV & Me will be at Metropolis Saturday, April 14, 2018 • 7:30 P.M. Tickets are \$30, Stage Tables are \$35. All tickets can be purchased at MetropolisArts.com or by calling the Box Office at 847.577.2121.

TV & Me is part of the Comedy Series at Metropolis, an exciting series that brings hilarious performances to the Chicagoland area. Other upcoming shows at Metropolis include *Late Nite Catechism* (March 31), *Stone Cold Cash* (April 13), *Elvis My Way starring Brandon Bennett* (April 19), and *Lipstick Mom* (April 20).

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Metropolis is located in the heart of Chicago's northwest suburbs in downtown Arlington Heights at the intersection of Campbell and Vail Avenue (111 West Campbell Street). Street parking is available. Free parking is available in the public garage behind the theatre. For more information about Metropolis and a list of upcoming events visit MetropolisArts.com or call the Box Office at 847.577.2121.

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