



WAR PAINT

A NEW MUSICAL

TWO LEGENDS – ONE MUSICAL

Two time Tony Award® winners **Patti LuPone** (*Evita, Gypsy*) and **Christine Ebersole** (*42nd Street, Grey Gardens*) star as Helena Rubinstein and Elizabeth Arden, respectively, trendsetters in the beauty industry a century ago. Along with Tony nominees John Dossett (*Gypsy, Newsies*) and Douglas Sills (*The Scarlet Pimpernel*), the stars reprise their roles following their sold-out engagement in Chicago.

WAR PAINT tells the amazing story of these two cosmetics pioneers, both of whom were self-inventors who became the country's first major female entrepreneurs. They were also brutal competitors, whose lengthy “tug-of-war would give birth to an industry that would forever change the face of America. From Fifth Avenue society to the halls of Congress, their intense rivalry was ruthless, relentless and legendary—pushing both women to build international empires in a world dominated by men.”

Inspired by the book, *War Paint*, by Lindy Woodhead, and the documentary film, *The Powder & the Glory*, the musical is directed by Tony nominee Michael Greif (*Rent, Grey Gardens*) and choreographed by Tony winner Christopher Gattelli (*The King and I, Newsies*). It reunites Scott Frankel and Michael Korie, the composer and lyricist team of *Grey Gardens*, with Tony Award® and Pulitzer Prize-winning playwright Doug Wright (*Grey Gardens, I Am My Own Wife*).

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