



**ABC FAMILY'S CHRISTMAS CLASSIC MARATHON AIRS SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13,
CULMINATING IN THE PREMIERE OF ABC FAMILY'S ORIGINAL SPECIAL
"A MISER BROTHERS' CHRISTMAS"**

**EVENT FEATURES EXCLUSIVE FIRST LOOKS AT WALT DISNEY PICTURES'
"BEDTIME STORIES," HOSTED BY ADAM SANDLER AND KERI RUSSELL**

**First Look Clips Will Also Be Featured on ABCFamily.com's
"25 Days of Christmas" Website**

Burbank, CA (December 11, 2008) – During ABC Family's Christmas Classics all-day marathon, airing Saturday, December 13, viewers will be treated to exclusive first looks at the all-new Disney movie "Bedtime Stories"(opening in theaters Christmas Day) from 4:00 – 8:00 p.m. ET/PT. These fun-filled interstitials will be hosted by the stars of the film, Adam Sandler and Keri Russell. "Bedtime Stories" will also be the sponsor of the new ABC Family Original Special, "A Miser Bros' Christmas," premiering that same night (8:00 – 9:00 p.m. ET/PT).

These first-look clips of "Bedtime Stories" will be also be featured on ABC Family's "25 Days of Christmas" website (www.abcfamily.com/25days), where holiday cheer can be found in a special "25 Days of Christmas" sweepstakes and richly interactive applications designed to bring out the best for viewers in this festive season.

In addition, if you missed the special first looks at "Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince" this past weekend on ABC Family, fear not! ABC Family.com is hosting all five first looks at the new "Harry Potter" film (opening in theatres July 17, 2009) thru Dec. 25th. ABC Family's first looks at the latest Harry Potter feature film offer viewers a sneak peek of never-before-seen footage of love running rampant through Hogwarts, a look into Tom Riddle's past and an introduction of Hogwarts new Potions teacher, Professor Horace Slughorn.

Christmas Classic Marathon Schedule

Saturday, December 13

(7:00 – 7:30 AM ET/PT) **FROSTY'S WINTER WONDERLAND**

(7:30 – 8:00 AM ET/PT) **THE LEPRECHAUNS' CHRISTMAS GOLD**

(8:00 – 9:00 AM ET/PT) **THE LIFE & ADVENTURES OF SANTA CLAUS**

(9:00 – 9:30 AM ET/PT) **THE LITTLE DRUMMER BOY**

(9:30 – 10:00 AM ET/PT) **THE LITTLE DRUMMER BOY BOOK II**

(10:00 – 11:00 AM ET/PT) **PINOCCHIO'S CHRISTMAS**

(11:00 – 11:30 AM ET/PT) **THE STORY OF THE FIRST CHRISTMAS SNOW**

(11:30 AM – 12:00 PM ET/PT) **NESTOR, THE LONG-EARED CHRISTMAS DONKEY**

(12:00 – 12:30 PM ET/PT) **A GARFIELD CHRISTMAS**

(12:30 – 1:00 PM ET/PT) **A CRANBERRY CHRISTMAS**

(1:00 – 2:00 PM ET/PT) **JACK FROST**

(2:00 – 4:00 PM ET/PT) **RUDOLPH & FROSTY'S CHRISTMAS IN JULY**

(4:00 – 4:30 PM ET/PT) **'Twas THE NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTMAS**

(4:30 – 5:00 PM ET/PT) **FROSTY'S WINTER WONDERLAND**

(5:00 – 6:00 PM ET/PT) **RUDOLPH'S SHINY NEW YEAR**

(6:00 – 7:00 PM ET/PT) **SANTA CLAUS IS COMIN' TO TOWN**

(7:00 – 8:00 PM ET/PT) **THE YEAR WITHOUT A SANTA CLAUS**

(8:00 – 9:00 PM ET/PT) **A MISER BROTHERS' CHRISTMAS**

Starring Mickey Rooney, reprising his role as Santa Claus from the holiday classic “The Year Without a Santa Claus,” ABC Family’s new original special “A Miser Brothers’ Christmas” tells the story of how Santa throws out his back, potentially spoiling Christmas for boys and girls all over the world. The story begins when Santa’s new chief mechanic, Tinsel, creates a speedy, new high tech sleigh for Christmas. But what Santa doesn’t know is that North Wind has secretly sabotaged the sleigh in the hope of taking Santa’s place that year. When Santa takes it out for a spin, he gets caught in the crossfire between the feuding Snow Miser and Heat Miser Brothers and the sleigh crashes, causing Santa to hurt his back. North Wind frames the Miser Brothers for Santa’s accident, and with Santa stuck in bed, everything falls into place for North Wind to slyly come to the rescue. But much to his chagrin, Mother Nature punishes the Miser Brothers by forcing them to put their differences aside and fill in for Santa.

Part of the Disney-ABC Television Group, ABC Family, distributed in over 95 million homes, features original movies, series and specials reflecting today’s families and entertaining and connecting with adults through relevant stories about today’s relationships, all told with diversity, dysfunction, passion, humor and heart. ABC Family’s programming is a mix of quality acquired series and theatricals as well as original movies and scripted dramas. ABC Family is also the destination for Holiday events with “13 Nights of Halloween” and “25 Days of Christmas” branded programming events. ABC Family. A New Kind of Family.

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