

Nite Lights



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No plays to review this week. I had a quiet weekend with my family, practicing making the transition from crutches to “moon walking” in a big, black, cumbersome boot. It’s been a long haul, but I finally see the light at the end of the tunnel. As any of you who have spent time on crutches know, one really acquires a greater appreciation for the freedom of mobility! I’m walking like a robot ... but by gosh, I’m walking!



AGA-BOOM – If you haven’t yet caught this unique and entertaining show (I reviewed it a few weeks ago), you still have time. A crowd-pleasing, house-filling extravaganza, featuring three Cirque du Soleil clowns in riotous, ingenious mime, it has now been extended through Aug. 24. With hilarious audience participation, and a surprising, rousing, closing 15 minutes of manic mayhem, this is the feel good show to catch. As appealing to adults as it is to kids and billed as “Cirque du Soleil meets the Blue Man Group,” you will not soon forget the artistic charm of Aga-Boom. With relatives in town with me (welcome Lisa and Miss Tess), I have plans to see it again this week myself. Running Thursdays through Sundays, you still have plenty of chances to treat someone you love to this precious piece of performance art. Playing at the Falcon Theatre, 4252 Riverside Dr. in Toluca Lake. For seats and times, call (818) 955-8101.