

## EMMY NOMINATED ACTOR DAN GAUTHIER OPENS ACTING STUDIO IN THE COACHELLA VALLEY

COACHELLA VALLEY Ca, Aug 1, 2018 – The Greater Palm Springs Film Alliance and Film Office announces today, Actor Dan Gauthier and his wife actress/musician Lisa Fuller are opening an acting studio for adults and children starting at 8 years old and up. The classes include acting for film and television, improve and scene study as well as a separate commercial workshop. The studio will also provide taped auditions for actors. Dan has been an actor for over 30 years and is enthusiastic about bringing his expertise to this area. "I have thought about starting a class for quite some time and am finally going to provide the class I always wish I could have attended."

Dans numerous credits allow him an unprecedented insight into acting and the entire business. In 2007 he received an Emmy nomination for the role of Kevin Buchanan on **One Life to Live (ABC)** during an eight year run (over 500

episodes). He played Lt. Johnny McKay on the critically acclaimed television show **Tour of Duty (CBS)** followed by lead roles in over a dozen television pilots as well more than 100 guest spots on shows such as **Friends, Star Trek: Next Generation, Melrose Place, Beverly Hills 90210, Ellen** and **Will and Grace.** Dan has also appeared in dozens of national commercial campaigns including **Old Spice** and an international **Levis** ad which both received CLIO Awards.

Lisa Fuller met Dan in 1987 on the film Teen Witch. Lisa appeared in a contract role on General Hospital, had numerous recurring roles most notably, Fresh Prince of Bel Air, Head of the Class and many guest spots on shows such as 21 Jump Street, and Doogie Howser M.D. She has appeared in many features including Baby Boom, Earth Girls Are Easy and The Monster Squad. After the birth of their son, Cole, Lisa decided to pursue her music and released an album, Teach Me Tonight, available on ITunes and Spotify. During there 28 years of marriage Dan attributes much of his success to Lisa's adept contribution to his audition and work preparation.

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