

**DR. STRANGELOVE meets DOCTOR ATOMIC**

*How to have a blast at the Ruth Sokolof Theater*

**Omaha, Nebraska (November 5, 2008)**—Next up in Film Streams' retrospective of legendary director Stanley Kubrick: *DR. STRANGELOVE: OR HOW I LEARNED TO STOP WORRYING AND LOVE THE BOMB* (1964), the filmmaker's brilliant skewering of the Cold War. The dark comedy classic, which features Peter Sellers in three separate roles, opens Friday, November 7, and plays through Thursday November 13.

This weekend also brings the latest broadcast in the Met Opera *Live in HD* season to Film Streams' Ruth Sokolof Theater—composer John Adams' contemporary masterpiece, **DOCTOR ATOMIC**, about Robert Oppenheimer and the creation of the atomic bomb. The live broadcast will take place on Saturday, November 8, at 12 p.m., with a preview talk by Opera Omaha Artistic Director and Principal Stage Director Garnett Bruce beginning at 11 a.m. (An encore presentation of *DOCTOR ATOMIC* will occur Wednesday, November 19, at 5:30 p.m.)

Such synchronicity in place, the puns almost write themselves:

- *An explosive weekend up ahead at a local cinema.*
- *Business is booming these days at the Ruth Sokolof Theater.*
- *This weekend will be the bomb at one area movie theater.*

You get the picture.

More information on both *DR. STRANGELOVE* (along with the entire **Great Directors: Kubrick** series, playing through December 11) and the Met Opera *Live in HD* broadcast of *DOCTOR ATOMIC* is available at [www.filmstreams.org](http://www.filmstreams.org).

**Film Streams** is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization dedicated to enhancing the cultural environment of the Omaha-Council Bluffs area through the presentation and discussion of film as an art form. In July 2007, we opened the Ruth Sokolof Theater, our two-screen cinema located within the Saddle Creek Records development north of downtown Omaha. For more information, visit us online at [www.filmstreams.org](http://www.filmstreams.org).