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A Rainy Day in New York – Review

Timothée Chalamet, Elle Fanning and Selena Gomez **sparkle** in Woody Allen's washed-out romantic comedy. Allen returns to the American literary canon, this time **colliding** 'The Great Gatsby' with 'The Catcher in the Rye' for a contemporary riff on the facades of money and power, elevated by three **terrific** lead performances.

Timothée Chalamet plays Gatsby Welles, student at upstate Yardley college whose **autumn** bash he's desperate to avoid. His girlfriend, Ashleigh (Elle Fanning), is travelling to New York to interview filmmaker Roland Pollard for the college paper, and Gatsby, "a wannabe Sky Masterson," has promised to show her the sights, flush with cash following a **poker** game.



As Ashleigh arrives at an **upmarket** hotel to **interview** Liev Schrieber's director, the film branches into a pair of narrative threads. Gatsby bumps into Shannon (Selena Gomez), younger sister of an old flame, on a student film shoot, roped in to kiss her on camera just as the heavens open, while despairing and paranoid at Ashleigh's persistent rain checks as Pollard, his writer (Jude Law) and star (Diego Luna) make passes at the **naive** 21-year-old journalist.



Fanning's branch of the film brings most of the funny, almost entirely down to her **sensational** performance as the film's Daisy Buchanan proxy. Chalamet is equally impressive, effecting a stoop as he bites into the ends of Woody's **prose**.

Gomez's twist on Phoebe from 'The Catcher in the Rye' provides the film's level-headed emotional centre and its romantic pay-off, while Cherry Jones' as Chalamet's mother-with-a-secret brings us squarely into Fitzgerald territory come the final, recriminatory scenes.

A Rainy Day in New York is hardly top-tier Allen, but it's a shame that such wonderful performances are unlikely to receive the wider attention they deserve.



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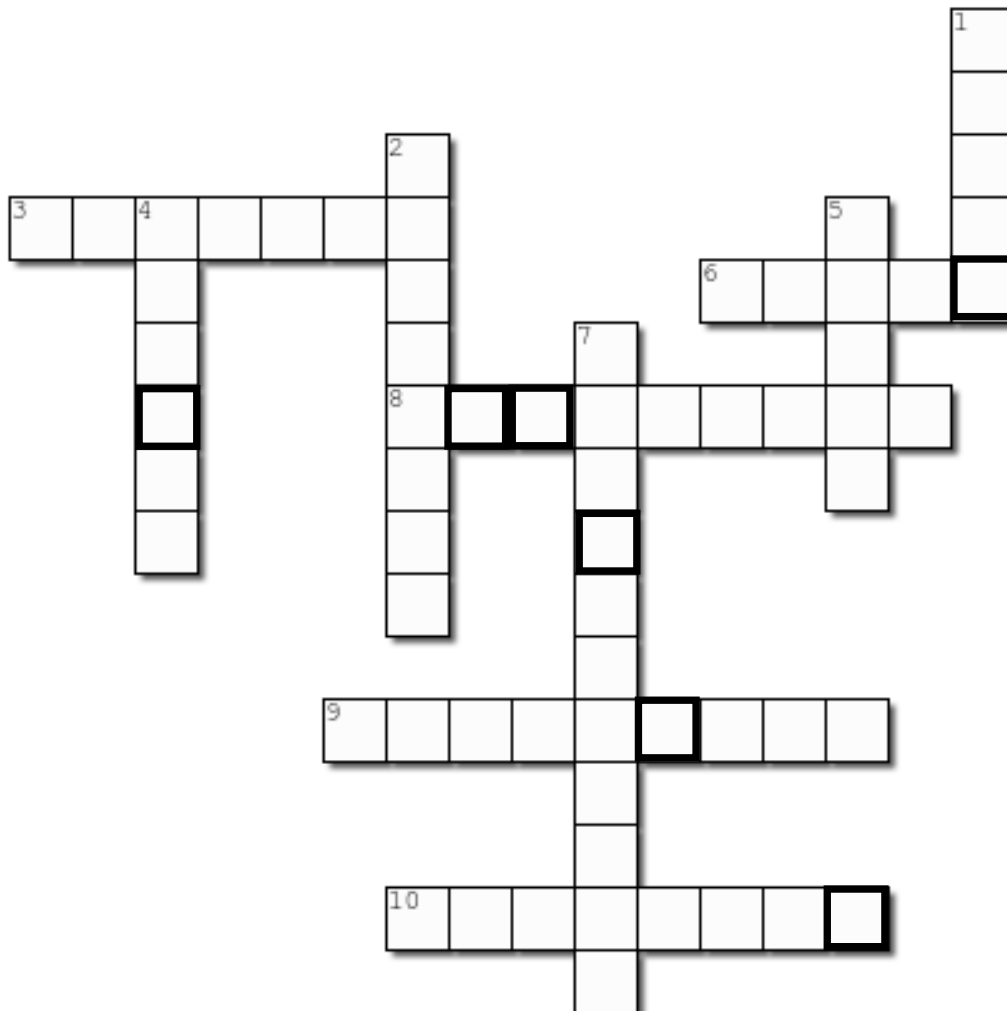
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PARAULA SECRETA:

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- 3. to be lively and interesting
- 6. written language in its ordinary form as opposed to poetry
- 8. a meeting where someone asks another person, often a famous person, questions
- 9. very different ideas that don't go together
- 10. shops and services designed for people with a lot of money

DOWN

- 1. lacks experience of life and tends to trust people and believe things too easily
- 2. fantastic
- 4. the season of the year between summer and winter
- 5. a card games in which players try to win money
- 7. very impressive



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