

Young Shakespeareans Summer Workshops 2009



January 9, 2009

Dear members of the Young Shakespeareans community,

The Young Shakespeareans Summer Workshops Program, which has provided all of us with so many wonderful memories, continues to grow! As always, we will be offering creative journeys through Shakespeare's language and stories, while exploring acting, voice and movement for the stage.

With increasing demand for these extremely popular workshops, we are striving to do everything possible to make this opportunity accessible and affordable for all. We are also very grateful for all of the input and feedback we continue to receive from you regarding the Young Shakespeareans, and very much appreciate the frustration many of you experienced with our phone registration last year and with mail delays in previous years. In order to make the process as fair and equitable as possible we have made the following changes:

- ★ All registration forms received by February 2nd at 5:00pm will be entered into a **Registration Draw**.
- ★ Initial registration will be limited to one workshop per participant; students will be placed on a waiting list for additional workshops if they choose.
- ★ Participants aged 15 to 18 may register for a one-week Intensive in addition to a regular Senior workshop session.
- ★ To help accommodate siblings and carpools, we can link your registration with up to two other participants, upon request. Each participant must submit an individual registration form indicating the same workshop preferences.
- ★ Thanks to the generosity of donors, we are pleased to announce the availability of a **limited number of bursaries** for our workshops. Applications are available upon request or downloadable from our website.

Please refer to the enclosed registration form for details of the new procedures.

We believe this new registration process to be one that is fair for all, and will help to ensure the widest variety of participants for years to come. If you have questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact our registrar, Heather Persoon, at 604-737-0625.

I look forward to seeing you this summer.

Sincerely,

Mike Stack
Young Shakespeareans Program Coordinator

2009 YOUNG SHAKESPEAREANS WORKSHOPS SCHEDULE

Join our troupe of Young Shakespeareans for a theatrical experience you will never forget.

Professional actors from our company will lead you on a creative journey through an abridged version of one of Shakespeare's extraordinary plays; focusing on the use of language, acting, voice and movement.

AGES 8 TO 13 - \$340			
WKSP	TIME BLOCK	THE PLAY YOU WILL STUDY	YOUR PRESENTATION
JA1	June 29 - 9:30am to 12:30pm	<i>The Tempest</i>	Sunday July 12, 11:30am
JA2	July 13 - 9:30am to 12:30pm	<i>Macbeth</i>	Sunday July 26, 3:00pm
JP3	July 13 - 2:00pm to 5:00pm	<i>Hamlet</i>	Sunday July 26, 3:00pm
JA4	July 27 - 9:30am to 12:30pm	<i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i>	Sunday August 9, 11:30am
JA5	August 10 - 9:30am to 12:30pm	<i>Twelfth Night</i>	Sunday August 23, 11:30am
JP6	August 10 - 2:00pm to 5:00pm	<i>The Tempest</i>	Sunday August 23, 11:30am
JA7	August 24 - 9:30am to 12:30pm	<i>Romeo and Juliet</i>	Sunday September 6, 3:00pm
JP8	August 24 - 2:00pm to 5:00pm	<i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i>	Sunday September 6, 3:00pm
AGES 13 TO 18 - \$430			
WKSP	TIME BLOCK	THE PLAY YOU WILL STUDY	YOUR PRESENTATION
SP9*	June 15 - 1:00pm to 5:00pm	<i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i>	Saturday June 27, 11:00am
SP10	June 29 - 1:00pm to 5:00pm	<i>Twelfth Night</i>	Sunday July 12, 3:00pm
SA11	July 13 - 9:30am to 1:30pm	<i>The Tempest</i>	Sunday July 26, 11:30am
SP12	July 13 - 1:00pm to 5:00pm	<i>Romeo and Juliet</i>	Sunday July 26, 11:30am
SP13	July 27 - 1:00pm to 5:00pm	<i>The Taming of the Shrew</i>	Sunday August 9, 3:00pm
SA14	August 10 - 9:30am to 1:30pm	<i>Hamlet</i>	Sunday August 23, 3:00pm
SP15	August 10 - 1:00pm to 5:00pm	<i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i>	Sunday August 23, 3:00pm
SA16	August 24 - 9:30am to 1:30pm	<i>Macbeth</i>	Sunday September 6, 11:30am
SP17	August 24 - 1:00pm to 5:00pm	<i>Twelfth Night</i>	Sunday September 6, 11:30am
* PLEASE NOTE: Class SP9 begins before the last day of the school year, check with your child's school before registering			
AGES 15 TO 18 - ONE WEEK INTENSIVE \$430			
WKSP	TIME BLOCK	THE PLAY YOU WILL STUDY	YOUR PRESENTATION
ID18	July 27 - 9:30am to 5:00pm	<i>Henry V</i>	Sunday August 2, 11:00am
ID19	August 3 - 9:30am to 5:00pm	<i>Julius Caesar</i>	Sunday August 9, 11:30am
The participant understands that there are risks inherent in workshops of this nature, and that Bard on the Beach cannot accept any responsibility for loss of property or physical injury while at the Bard on the Beach site for the duration of the workshop.			

- ★ Workshops are held on the Bard stages in Vanier Park, Monday to Friday for two weeks **including statutory holidays**. Intensive workshops are one week.
- ★ Current and former members of the Bard on the Beach acting company provide professional instruction.
- ★ Enrollment is limited to 16 participants per workshop.
- ★ Each workshop concludes with a final presentation for friends and family on the Sunday following your last session. Workshop SP9 will present on Saturday, June 27.
- ★ Registration includes two complimentary tickets to the Mainstage performance on the day of your presentation.

Cancellation fees:

- ★ \$65 non-refundable after March 31, 2009
- ★ 50% non-refundable if within 2 weeks of class
- ★ 100% non-refundable if within 5 days of class

Payment:

- ★ 50% due at registration
- ★ Balance due two weeks prior to first class

PLEASE REVIEW THE REGISTRATION INFO SHEET BEFORE FILLING IN YOUR FORM