# AUTUMN ISSUE 2023

WEYMOUTH COLLEGE





# **Hero and Leander**

by Jack Dean & Company



# Thursday 21st September - 7:30 pm

#### **Tickets**

Adult: £14.00

Concession: £12.00 Season Tickets: Free

Sing, dance and cry with us in this bittersweet outdoor gig theatre show. Six multi-instrumentaliststell an epic seaside tale through songs encompassing folk, indie, sea shanties and choral music. Astory of bad rulers, worse weather, and how we keep goingwhen everything is flipping terrible.

Two towns, one rich and one poor, stand separated by a narrow strip of ocean. When the bordersclose and ships stop sailing between them, two lovers are left stranded on either side. Unphased, Leander takes to swimming across the channel to meet Hero, guided by the light of the lighthousewhere she lives. But the jealous and vengeful Hephaestus, carrying an ancient grudge, plots toseparate them with a flood like neither town has ever seen.

We all know this will probably end badly. But just maybe, this time, it will turn out different.

# War of the Worlds (on a budget)



# Tuesday 3rd October - 7:30 pm

#### **Tickets**

Adult: £11.00

Concession: £10.00 Season Tickets: Free

Step aside HG Wells, take a break Jeff Wayne, go back to your trailer Tom Cruise, Lamphouse is tackling War of the Worlds and they're going it...on a budget!

War of Worlds (on a budget) feature one actor, a loop pedal, lots of cardboard, many many hats and at least two absolutely terrifying ( definitely not made out of paper) tripods puppets. Can our hero outrun the ailens, play 25 characters, unwind himself from the microphone cable, stop for a tea break and save the day before it's too late?

Featuring a full soundtrack of brand new music, and paying homeage to HG Wells' story with a few extra silly additions, War of the Worlds (on a budget) is the musical comedy action adventure we didn't know we needed!

Suitable for ages 12+

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# Friday 20th October - 7:30 pm

#### **Tickets**

Adult: £16.00

Concession: £14.00 Season Tickets: Free

In the midst of a time of uncertainty, division and political unrest, a young woman wrestles with her own isolation and call to respond.....

WANTED! explores the stories of 5 extraordinary ordinary women who share a passion for standing up for what is right!

This powerful new play features an array of historical figures; Irena Sendler, who rescued more than 2,500 children from the Warsaw ghetto during the Nazi occupation; Olive Morris, British Black Panther and avid activist for women and squatters' rights; Phoolan Devi, the fearsome Bandit Queen, and Dr James Barry, a woman way ahead of her time,

Written by Tonia Daley-Campbell, Therese Collins and Gazebo Artistic Director, Pamela Cole-Hudson, and featuring a cast of 5, WANTED is played out in Gazebo's inimitable style; powerful drama littered with humour, honesty and heart.

'We have to respond to what is happening. The only other option is to ignore it'

GAZEBO are a National Portfolio Organisation 2023-2026



# Thursday 23rd November - 7.30 pm

#### **Tickets**

Adult: £8.00

Concession: £7.00

Season Tickets: Free

Think you could solve a spooky mystery? Read on!

In an old house in Switzerland, portraits of world-famous writers
Mary Shelley, Lord Byron and John Polidori have started behaving very

strangely...

Join Agents Kahlo and Dali of the Company of International Artists to work against the clock and sometimes against logic itself to solve the mystery.

Spot clues, test your mettle and investigate historic evidence to uncover the truth. Is the house haunted, and if so, why..? Interactive playable family theatre with nods to spoof horror and a broad streak of quirky comedy from award-winning theatre company

Brave Bold Drama.

# The Bay Theatre Company Students PRESENT

### **SHOWCASE SPECTACULAR 2023**



**Thursday 7th Decemeber** 

1.00pm and 7.30pm

**Tickets** 

Adult: £10.00 Children: £8.00

Matinee All Tickets: £8

We are pleased to announce that the Showcase Spectacular is back for 2023! Come and join the Bay Studios' Performing Arts and Music Students once again in this must-see event! Bursting with talent and passion, our dedicated students can't wait to entertain you in an action-packed showcase. Expect a show full of powerful dance, engaging drama, skilful singing and catchy music.

Don't be left out in the cold - book early, as demand will be high as usual!

At the Bay Costume Hire we have 1000s of costumes and accessories that can be mixed and matched to create truly unique costumes.

The costume collection ranges from vintage garments to character costume and includes 100s of hats, shoes, gloves and other accessories.

Our aim is to make costumes available at affordable prices to local drama productions, schools, colleges and other costumed events. We're happy to discuss your needs and see how we can help you costume your

production without breaking your budget!

You will be able to reserve costumes for a later date or view, try and take-away all in one go.

Whatever your requirements are, whether it's sourcing an individual item, hiring one of our beautiful vintage dresses for a special occasion or costuming a complete show, we're here to help.



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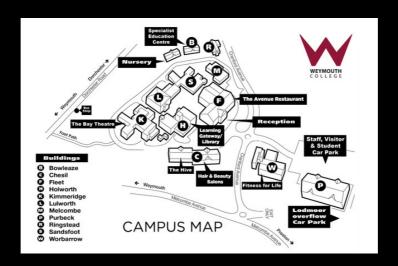


- 35ft by 30ft rehearsal room with 20ft by 10ft stage.
- 1200 watt full range PA system with 4 on-stage Martin Audio monitors.
- Industry standard backline and microphones.
- Rehearsals available Tuesday-Friday from 5pm-8pm.

Please book through Ashley Rees by emailing ashley\_rees@weymouth.ac.uk

#### **HOW TO FIND US**

The Bay Theatre is located at the back of 'K' Kimmeridge building. Parking is available in the main college car park with spaces for 211 vehicles. There is no requirement for a permit to be displayed after 5pm in the College car park. For disabled badge holders, parking is available next to the Bay Theatre. Please contact the box office for any queries relating to parking.



#### **BOOKINGS**

For all theatre bookings please visit:

www.weymouth.ac.uk/commercial-outlets/the-bay-theatre/ or www.facebook.com/thebaytheatre and click on the 'BuyTickets' link or call 01305 208702.

Tickets must be paid for at the time of booking and will be emailed or posted to you if time allows. Otherwise, please collect your tickets on the show night from the box office half an hour before the start of the show.

To hear about all the latest show updates and promotions sign up to The BayTheatre newsletter by emailing baytheatre@weymouth.ac.uk



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