

Welcome to the forest of Arden, a place concerned less with intrigue than with discourse, a place where various rivalries, between court and country, nature and fortune, youth and age, realism and romanticism, laughter and melancholy, can be discussed and demonstrated. The cunning and corruption of the court is replaced by a calm and natural honesty where these unlikely juxtapositions may occur over a period of days. The new society created by the end of the play is not without flaws, but, as represented by the final dance, is a triumph over adversity as well as an accomodation of diversity. Enjoy your stay!



THE GUNN HIGH SCHOOL THEATRE DEPARTMENT PRESENTS

William Shakespeare's

As You Like It

Directed by James Shelby

Assistant Director
Rachel Lurie

Set Design Tom Wegis

Sound Design Warren Delano Lighting Design Mike Geschwind

Costume Design Susan Altstatt

CREW

Stage Manager Warren Delano

Sound Operator Isaac Nelson Lightboard Operator
Brion Moss

Makeup Artist Lara Huberman Sarah Maxwell Properties Manager Celeste Baskett

Choreographer
Rachel Lurie

Running Crew Eric Oldmixon Maggie Matthews

PRODUCTION STAFF

Technical Director	Brion Moss
Master Carpenter	
Carpenters	
	Cole Hoffman
	Eric Oldmixon
	Maggie Matthews
	David Lindes
	Junya Mokobu
	Susan Reklis
Master Electrician	Cole Hoffman
Electrician	Eric Oldmixon
Poster Design	
Program Design	
Costume Assistant	
Make-up Crew	Sarah Maxwell
House Manager	Lauren Popell
Assistant House Managers	Merav Berger
	Marie Stepanov

SPECIAL THANKS TO

Judy Lurie
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CAST

Duke Senior, in banishment	Philipp Blume
Duke Frederick, brother to Duke Senior	Paul Oliver
Orlando, younger son of Sir Rowland du Boys	Gabe Quinn Bauriedel
Rosalind, daughter of Duke Senior	Teela Pulliam
Celia, daughter of Duke Frederick	Cynthia Wong
Oliver, eldest son of Sir Rowland du Boys	Assaf Cohen
Touchstone, a clown	Andrew Costell
Jacques, a lord attending to Duke Senior	Reza Safai
Silvius, a shepherd	David Marmor
Phebe, a shepherdess	
Corin, a shepherdess	Sarah Marsh
Audrey, a country wench	Aviva Schultz
Charles, a wrestler	Jason Epstein
Sir Oliver Mar-text, a country curate	Melissa Fialer
Amiens, a singer in Duke Senior's court	Kobie Crawford
Le Beau, a courtier	Joanna Selznick
Jacques du Boys, son of Sir Rowland du Boys	Charlie Taylor
William, a country fellow	Chris Langland-Shula
Adama, a servant to Sir Rowland du Boys	Thea Gold
Denise, a servant to Oliver	Jennifer Pratt
Lords	Charles Cohen
	Emily DeSchweinitz
	Phoenix Rainey
	Courtney Shropshire

PROGRAM NOTES

Assaf Cohen (Oliver)—"Wherefore do birds sing? Are men truly evil? Is there true evil? Does SPAM upset you? Who stapled the chicken to the monkey? If you answered 'marmalade' to any of these questions, be sure to see 'Jello: The Movie."

Aviva Schultz (Audrey)—"Oinky, oinky, I am the original sheepdog woman!"

Sarah Marsh (Corin)—"I can laugh on cue... NOT!"

Emily DeSchweinitz (Lord)—"The ink of a single pen can draw a line farther than a chicken can walk in its lifetime.' Random—Yes, I agree."

Chris Langland-Shula (William)—"What's a William?"

Cole Hoffman (Master Electrician)—"Lighting is hell, but somebody's got to do it."

Joanna Selznick (Le Beau)— "Down Up Clap Stomp Bow Moo Oink Bong Bong"

Phoenix Rainey (Lord)—"Act well your part, there all the honor lies. —Edgar Lee Masters"

David Marmor (Silvius)—"Names make all the difference in the world."

Rachel Lurie (Assistant Director)—"5, 6, 7, 8! Actors—thanks for listening, audience—thanks for coming, Jim—thanks for everything."

Reza Safai (Jacqes)— "This play pulls my pants down and taunts me."

Dan Quayle (Vice-President)—"I should have brushed up on my Latin."

Andrew Costell (Touchstone)—"Stimpwiddle woke up that quiet summer morning to find himself plummeting down from the top of the Sears Tower."

Charlie Taylor (Jacques du Boys)—"I am looking forward to some really great performances. Thank you, Jim and everyone who made this play possible."

Kobie Crawford (Amiens)—"When Irish eyes are smiling,..."

PROGRAM NOTES

Philipp Blume (Duke Senior)—"I'll start at the beginning: My first love was Mother Nature, and this affected my taste in clothing quite drastically. Nevertheless, the tights weren't my idea."

Paul Oliver (Duke Frederick)—"Oh how much more doth beauty beauteous seem for that sweet ornament which truth doth give. The rose looks fair but fairer we it deem for that sweet odour which doth in it live. Thanks for coming. Enjoy the show!"

Gabe Quinn Bauriedel (Orlando)— "Subliminal message: Thank you for your gentle (Get a bike!) reception of our play (no cosines). After the show (open 'til ten!), relax. Spend some money. You owe it to yourself (top of the hill, Daly City). You are my beacon of hope!"

Teela Pulliam (Rosalind)—"It ain't easy being green!"

Cynthia Wong (Celia)—"Notice how many times Shakespeare just leaves Celia on stage—Rachel has dubbed me 'Stage Slug II.' O wonderful, wonderful, and most wonderful wonderful, and yet again wonderful, and after that, out of all whooping! I love you, Mommy Andy Daddy Tina Eric Dennis Alice!"

Thea Gold (Adama)— "My hair scarce can speak; by my teeth, I swear it."

Jennifer Pratt (Denise)—"Oh! You know what that re- Darn! It doesn't remind me of anything."

Jason Epstein (Charles)- "Yo! This play's deep!"

Melissa Fialer (Sir Oliver Mar-text)— "When the day hits the night, we will sit by candle-light. We will laugh we will sing, when the saints go marching in."

Charles Cohen (Lord)— "Acting is a many pointed thing with little rafia-like attachments hanging off the end in a sort of mauve glossy embossment."

Sarah Maxwell (Phebe)—"She's back, she's mad as hell, and she isn't going to take it anymore. As You Like It II: Phebe's Revenge."

Courtney Shropshire (Lord)—"Make sure Dave and Sarah don't break. BOSIO! Oh yes Reza, play with my feather. Why are there so many songs about raisins? Viv—you are my friend, but you're also my lover."

Brion Moss (Technical Director)—"It's not just a job, it's a death sentence."

The Gunn High School Theatre Department is currently engaged in a fundraising campaign for the purpose of purchasing a much needed lighting system for the studio theatre (next door). Our As You Like It Opening Night Gala was our most ambitious element of this effort thus far, but was only one of the many avenues we are pursuing, which include grant applications, sales campaigns and car parking. Donations to the Gunn High School Theatre Lighting Fund are of course welcome.

Be sure to see Gunn Theatre Department's

Student Directed One-Acts

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