



# TOTTERING **BIPED** theatre

PRESENTS...

## A MID SUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM      MID SUMMER NIGHT: A DREAM



AUG 16 - 20 @ DUNDURN CASTLE  
AUG 23 - 27 @ FIELDCOTE PARK  
AUG 30 - SEP 3 @ DUNDURN CASTLE

ALL PERFORMANCES AT 7PM    ALL TIX PAY - WHAT - YOU - CAN    DETAILS@TOTTERINGBIPED.CA



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## MEET THE CAST AND CREW

Trevor Copp	Director
Raymond Louter	Assistant Director
Alyssa Campbell	Stage Manager
Ava Robitaille	Assistant Stage Manager
Kit Simmons	Technical Director
Kristina Ojaperv	Costume Consultant
Claud Spadafora	Puck
Jesse Horvath	Theseus/Titania
Kendelle Parks	Hippolyta/Oberon
Zach Parsons	Bottom
Alma Sarai	Hermia
Rebecca Durance Hine	Helena
Natasha Ramondino	Lysandra/Mustardseed
Matt Lazaris-Brunner	Demetrius
Michael Hannigan	Egeus/Peter Quince
Sean Parkinson	Flute/Cobweb
Desmond Lazar	Snout/Moth
Severine Salvador	Starveling/Peaseblossom
Morgan Hilliker	Overall Understudy



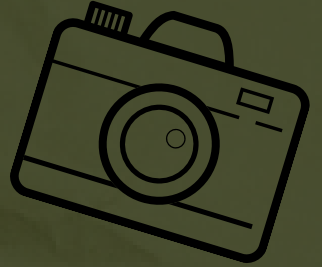
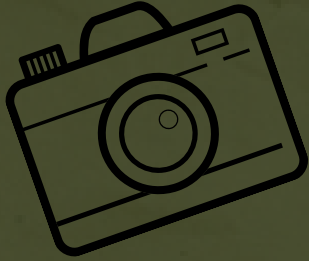


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THROUGHOUT THE SHOW, TAG US

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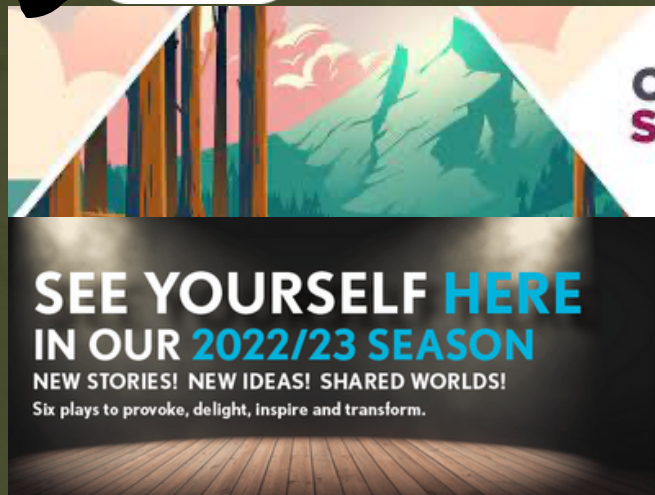
SPECIAL THANKS

MELANIE GILLIS AND STUDIO G

SUE AND JOHN AND JESSE GREENE



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## Will the Dream Return?

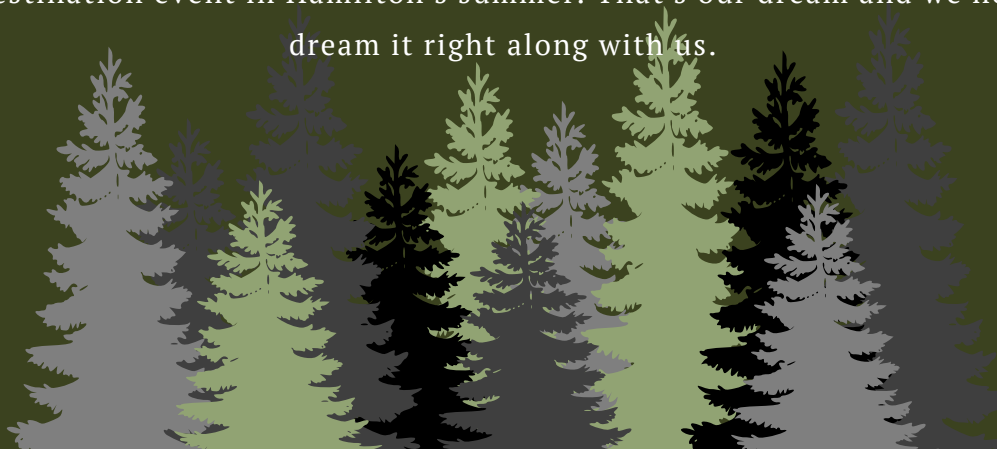


COVID laid quite a few challenges at our feet. Without the support of the RBG as we had for 4 years prior to the pandemic, we struggled to find a new home for our work - and we hope that this new partnership will last. The space is lovely, the opportunities are exciting - but we honestly don't know if we can make it back in 2023.

A key part of our mandate for this and all our shows is that artists are properly paid for their work. This project is Hamilton's #1 employer of emerging theatre artists, a gap in our local Arts ecology that we identified as key to growing the local professional theatre scene. This production has employed 17 artists for over a month, costs which make up the majority of our 80K budget by far. The quality that you see onstage stems from our belief that in order for the Arts to flourish it needs the respect and compensation that one would expect in any professional field. In order to mount this production, we've had to dig deep into our reserve funds with the hope that key donors and funders will recognize the value of this work and help us continue.

We're looking for some champions - and they can come in many forms. First, if you or anyone you know can consider personal or corporate sponsorship we are a full charitable status organization; we'd love to talk about how we could recognize you/your organization for helping us. We also seek donations for things like billeting for out-of-town artists, theatre equipment, printing services, truck rentals, event planning materials, and more. Contacting your local City Councillor to express support for this work would go a long way.

Most of all: please talk about this experience. We could easily sink tens of thousands into marketing; our hope is that by investing in the quality of the work instead you'll step in and help spread the word. There is no reason at all that this can't evolve into a major destination event in Hamilton's summer. That's our dream and we hope you'll dream it right along with us.





Spend your pre-show or intermission exploring the hidden ghosts, fairies, and stories of Dundurn! Scan the QR code above or visit [PlayThisHamilton.com](http://PlayThisHamilton.com) to experience Tottering Biped's new audio and augmented reality project:

**PLAY THIS: Hamilton. It's free!**

Try your hand at ghost hunting near the castle; explore the magical world hidden in the historic gardens; or learn about the stories of Dundurn through the verbatim writing of former resident, Sophia MacNab.

You'll find our three audio experiences for Dundurn geo-located across the castle grounds (making them a bit of a scavenger-hunt to find!) Each piece runs 8-10 minutes.

MON. DEC 5th, 2022 at 7:30pm  
West Highland Baptist Church  
1605 Garth St. Hamilton, ON

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