

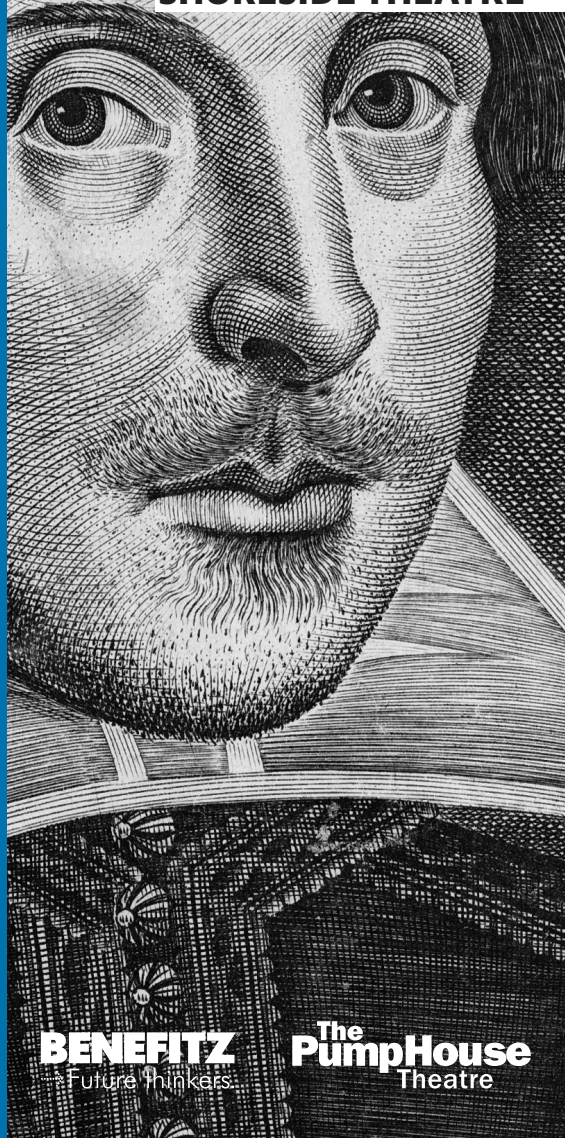


AUCKLAND SHAKESPEARE IN THE PARK 2022

**THE MERCHANT OF
VENICE & THE TWO
GENTLEMEN OF
VERONA**

22 JAN - 19 FEB 2022

**PRESENTED BY
SHORESIDE THEATRE**



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THE MERCHANT OF VENICE

The Merchant of Venice

The wheels of this clever and controversial comedy are set in motion when Bassanio, a poor nobleman in Venice, needs money to woo the beautiful heiress Portia. He asks his friend Antonio for a loan, but Antonio has invested his funds in ships overseas. The moneylender, Shylock, offers the cash on the condition that he will take a pound of Antonio's flesh if the loan is not repaid within three months. Antonio goes bankrupt and Portia steps in, disguised as a young male lawyer, to save the day.

The Cast

The Merchant of Venice

PORTIA
SOLANIO
PRINCE OF MOROCCO
GRATIANO
LORENZO
BALTHAZAR
SALERIO
STEPHANO/MESSENGER/JAILER
JESSICA
ANTONIO
SHYLOCK
GOBBO
TUBAL/LEONARDO/BARMAN/JAILER
PRINCE OF ARRAGON / DUKE OF VENICE
NERISSA
BASSANIO

Meg Andrews
Michelle Atkinson
John Charlton
Mat Dawidowski
Tobias Furmanski
Kim Kindley
Jordan Henare
Jessica Keesing-Styles
Megan Hails
Jason Moffatt
Ben Plummer
Monique Rabie
Chris Smith
Paul Thompson
Adele Tunnicliff
Mark Wilson

Production Team

The Merchant of Venice

DIRECTOR
STAGE MANAGER
ASST STAGE MANAGER
COSTUME DESIGN
LIGHTING DESIGN
SOUND DESIGN
SET DESIGN
PROPS
ORIGINAL MUSIC
CHOREOGRAPHY

Trevor Sharp
Kim Kindley
Hannah-Jayne Rodokal
Lyn Carlisle
Zac Ridley & Matt Goldsbro'
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Trevor Sharp
Dave Kindley & Kim Kindley
Megan Hails
Monique Rabie

THE TWO GENTLEMEN OF VERONA

The Two Gentlemen of Verona

Valentine and Proteus, two firm friends from Verona, find their relationship put to the test when they both fall in love with the same woman. When Proteus's father sends him away from Verona and the woman he loves, he finds himself falling for Valentine's beloved, Silvia. Both men forget their friendship and wrangle for her affection, but, after a series of mishaps and mistaken identities, the two couples are reunited and reconciled in marriage.

The Cast

The Two Gentlemen of Verona

VALENTINE

PROTEUS

JULIA

LUCETTA

SPEED

ANTONIO

PANTHINO

LAUNCE

DUKE

SILVIA

THURIO

SIR EGLAMOUR

HOST

OUTLAWS

Max Easey

Christopher Raven

Äria Harrison-Sparke

Cassandra Atkinson

Kierron Diaz-Campbell

Stuart Tupp

Iona Taylor

Bess Brookes

Terri Mellender

Gabrielle Dally

Lauren Wilson

Stuart Tupp

Iona Taylor

Cassandra Atkinson, Iona Taylor & Isabella Pezza

Production Team

The Two Gentlemen of Verona

DIRECTOR

STAGE MANAGER

ASST STAGE MANAGER

COSTUME DESIGN

LIGHTING DESIGN

SOUND DESIGN

SET DESIGN

PROPS

INTIMACY ADVISOR

James Bell

Steph Curtis

Siobhan Donnelly

Äria Harrison-Sparke

Eloise Eng & Martha Carey

Eloise Eng & Martha Carey

Äria Harrison-Sparke & James Bell

Äria Harrison-Sparke & Steph Curtis

Phillipa Hibbs

Production Technical Team

PRODUCTION MANAGER

TECH MANAGERS

TECH CONSULTANTS

TECH ASSISTANTS

SET CONSTRUCTION

PHOTOGRAPHY

MARKETING CO-ORDINATOR

PUBLICITY

FRONT OF HOUSE

Jeff Philp

Zac Ridley & Martha Carey

Anton Reinauer & Jeff Philp

Eloise Eng, Matt Goldsbro', Ashton Webber, Zac Ellett

Paul Saussey

Matthew Diesch, Anton Reinauer & James Bell

James Bell

Luke Wilson @Elephant Publicity

James Bell, Trevor Sharp, Catherine Boniface & Volunteers

Content Warning:

This year our plays contain themes of anti-semitism and sexual assault which may trigger trauma for some people. We have been mindful of this in our efforts to adapt past beliefs and social norms represented in the script for modern audiences.

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