

THE CHILTERN SHAKESPEARE COMPANY AND
FOURWAYS THEATRE COMPANY PRESENT

THE COMEDY OF ERRORS

BY WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE

5th - 8th & 12th - 15th

JUNE 2024

INCLUDING TWO
SATURDAY MATINEES

AT HOME FARM,
HALL BARN,
BEACONSFIELD



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Box Office: 01494 573 559



CSC and Fourways are delighted to be back at Hall Barn performing *The Comedy of Errors*, on the delightful Hall Barn estate, located on the edge of Beaconsfield Old Town.

Since 1989 it has been the home for our annual Summer open-air productions and we are back at Home Farm, which is near the house. From this position there is easy access to the ornamental lake, a perfect setting to enjoy picnics with friends before the performance.

Audience seating is raked and covered by a marquee.

Theatrical lighting and sound amplification are used.

Parking

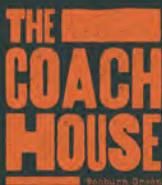
There will be parking marshals on hand to guide you to the appropriate parking for your group or party. Limited disabled parking will be available.

Timings

The grounds will be open at 17:45 for evening performances and 11:45 for matinees. The evening performances will commence at 19:45 and finish approximately 22:15. The Saturday matinees will commence at 13:45 and finish approximately 16:15. Please arrive at the latest 15 minutes before the performance starts, as latecomers may have to wait to be admitted to their seats.

Picnics

Delicious two course picnics, prepared by The Coach House - Wooburn Green (formerly Home Roots), must be ordered at least 48hrs in advance by telephone or online on the CSC website. Alternatively, you are welcome to bring your own food and drinks. (BBQs and other naked flames are not permitted.) Picnic bags and containers should not be brought into the auditorium due to space constraints.



Our delicious picnics can be ordered via the Chiltern Shakespeare website or Box Office (01494 573 559).

Please remember to let us know if there are any special dietary requirements or allergies.

Bar / Confectionery / Ice Creams

The bar will offer wine, soft drinks, and local beers before the performance and during the interval. Confectionery and ice creams will also be available.

Children

This production of The Comedy of Errors provides the ideal opportunity for youngsters to enjoy their first taste of Shakespearian magic.

Concessions

Concessions are available for over 65s, children and full-time students on the Wednesday performances and on both matinees.

For group bookings of 10 or more please contact the box office for further information.

Disabled theatre-goers

Some seats are reserved near the stage for those with hearing or walking difficulties and there are some spaces for wheelchairs. Every effort has been made to make the site accessible. Please book early specifying your needs.

Hearing loop

This is installed to assist those with specialist auditory needs.

Directions

The entrance to Hall Barn can be accessed via Windsor End in Beaconsfield Old Town. PLEASE DO NOT rely on Satnavs. HP9 2SQ is the postcode for the gate and What Three Words are ///basis.badly.mouth.

Tickets

Tickets available from £15 - £25 dependent on your chosen performance and age.

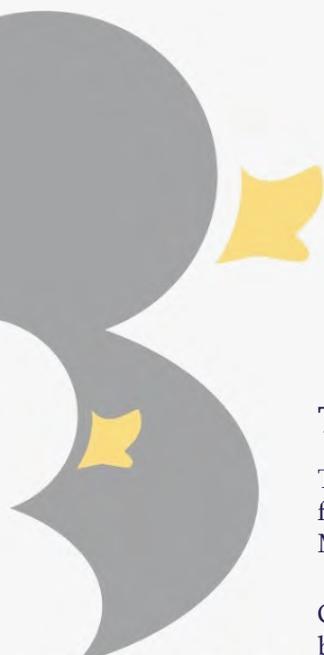
Refund policy and booking changes

We regret that tickets are not generally refundable unless they can be sold to a waiting list in the event of a full house. It may however be possible to exchange tickets for another performance. In either case an administration charge of £2 per ticket will be payable.

To avoid disappointment, book early online via
www.chiltern-shakespeare.co.uk
or phone the credit card hotline 01494 573559
(9am-6pm Mon-Sat).

THE COMEDY OF ERRORS

Two sets of twins, mistaken identities, a notable abundance of pubs and lots and lots of comedic confusion. Join us for Shakespeare's most farcical play set in the melting pot city of Ephesus. Often considered to have more in common with restoration comedy than Hamlet and Henry IV, The Comedy of Errors tells the story of Antipholus of Ephesus and Antipholus of Syracuse as the latter arrives in the exciting city of Ephesus and chaos ensues. This physical and energetic production is a great introduction to Shakespeare for adults and children alike. We hope that this production will offer something exciting and a little different.



The Ducklings Trust

The Ducklings Trust is a charity set up to raise money for equipment and help improve the environment in the Maternity Units at Stoke Mandeville and Wycombe.

Our fundraising continues to help make the units be the best birth environment they can be for families and staff. As well as organising fundraising events, contributions from the public are very welcome. All money raised means that The Ducklings Trust can build on their previous achievements and continue their efforts to support the Maternity Services.

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