



GUILDFORD SHAKESPEARE COMPANY

A Midsummer Night's Dream

Directed by
Lotte Wakeham



15 June - 1 July 2017

Racks Close, Quarry Street, Guildford

The Two Gentlemen of Verona

Directed by
Charlotte Conquest



14 - 29 July 2017

University of Law Gardens

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Guildford Shakespeare Company invite you to join them for a summer of love with two of Shakespeare's gloriously colourful comedies

A Midsummer Night's Dream

Directed by **LOTTE WAKEHAM**
Designed by **ANDREW RILEY**

The 1960s are drawing to a close and the euphoria of the Summer of Love has cast its spell on the youth of the city. Seeking to escape their repressive society, four young lovers find themselves lost in a mystical wood populated by warring faeries, mischievous sprites and an earnest group of amateur actors, one of whom seems to have grown a donkey's head...

In the heart of Guildford, GSC invite you to join them on an adventure into the town's best kept secret; Racks Close. This wooded wilderness, just a stone's throw from the Castle, will be the perfect setting for Shakespeare's magical, comic masterpiece.

Racks Close

Quarry Street, Guildford GU1 3XZ

Thursday 15 June - Saturday 1 July

Evenings 7.30pm | Sat mats 2.30pm (17, 24 June)

Relaxed Performance Sat 17 June 2.30pm

No performances Sundays

The Two Gentlemen of Verona

Directed by **CHARLOTTE CONQUEST**
Designed by **NEIL IRISH**

Young love! It's so complicated isn't it? Proteus loves Julia and Valentine loves Sylvia... but when Proteus also falls in love with Sylvia, it all begins to go horribly wrong.

Shakespeare's earliest play bursts into life with all the energy of what it is to be young and in love. Banishment, betrayal, girls disguised as boys, the politest band of outlaws and a scene-stealing dog combine in this rarely seen, joyous romantic comedy. Charlotte Conquest (*Grimms' Fairy Tales*, *The Comedy of Errors* and *The Taming of the Shrew*) returns to direct, with a glamorous 1950s Italian setting.

University of Law Gardens

Portsmouth Road, Guildford GU3 1HA

Friday 14 - Saturday 29 July

Evenings 7.30pm | Sat mats 2.30pm (15, 22, 29 July)

Audio Described Performance Sat 29 July 2.30pm

No performances Sundays

Tickets

Full	£25	Children under 16	£16.50	Family	£80
Concession	£21	<i>Dream</i> preview	£18	(2 full, 2 children)	
(Over 60, Equity, Students, Jobseekers, Registered Disabled)		(Thu 15 June)			

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£5**

when you book both plays
see website or contact Box Office for details

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