

2010

SUMMER SHAKESPEARE CONSERVATORY

AGES 8-18

DEFY YOUR EXPECTATIONS

CAL SHAKES

CALIFORNIA SHAKESPEARE THEATER



Surprise yourself.

The Summer Shakespeare Conservatory is rooted in the same passion for artistic exploration that guides Cal Shakes' Main Stage productions. We ask our students to set aside limits: to be courageous and open to surprise as they immerse themselves in the immediacy and power of Shakespeare's plays. We offer opportunities to engage creatively with professional artists and fellow students through expressive language, acting process, active investigation of historical context, and public performance.

Working with professional teaching artists—experienced teachers who are artists in their own right—Conservatory students spend the morning studying acting, voice, physical comedy, stage combat, movement, improvisation, text, and more; and afternoons in rehearsals, where all the disciplines come together to create a fully-realized, specially-adapted public performance of a Shakespeare play on the final day of the Conservatory.

Transportation to and from Summer Shakespeare Conservatory locations

In order to assist our students with transportation, the following shuttles will be available before and after each program:

Holy Names High School (Oakland): From Rockridge BART to the camp site

Bentley Upper School (Lafayette): From Lafayette BART to the camp site

Shuttle Passes may be purchased with registration for a nominal fee. Please contact us for more information.

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Open Houses:
Meet faculty, see the campus,
ask questions!

February 16, 6:30-8pm
Bentley Upper School, Lafayette

February 23, 6:30-8pm
Saint Ignatius College Preparatory,
San Francisco





SUMMER SHAKESPEARE CONSERVATORIES

“I cannot think of any other conservatory like it. It’s the best possible experience a young actor could get.”

—Parent of a Summer Shakespeare Conservatory student

Early Bird Discount
available for first-time participants only. Register by March 1 to receive:
\$25 off Two-Week Conservatory
\$75 off Five-Week Conservatory

Bentley Upper School LAFAYETTE

Our **Five-Week** Conservatory* is the most intensive of our offerings, providing theater enthusiasts the complete Cal Shakes experience, with master classes, field trips, and two full days of hour-long Shakespeare performances at the end of the program. The **Two-Week** Conservatory is a condensed version, also rigorous in structure, and culminating in a day of 30-minute Shakespeare performances by each age group.

Five-Week Conservatory June 21–July 24 \$1350
Two-Week Conservatory July 26–August 6 \$500

NEW!

Saint Ignatius College Preparatory SAN FRANCISCO

Our first year in San Francisco finds us right off the Hwy 1 corridor at Saint Ignatius—easily accessible from both the North Bay and South Bay—for a **Four-Week** Summer Shakespeare Conservatory*. Participants immerse themselves in a wide variety of theater disciplines—including master classes by theater professionals—as well as daily rehearsals culminating in a day of 45-minute Shakespeare performances at the end of the program.

Four-Week Conservatory July 12–August 6 \$1200

Holy Names High School OAKLAND

We are back at Holy Names for the fourth year in a row, offering a **Two-Week** Conservatory perfect for those with a passion for theater but whose schedule constraints don’t allow them to attend a longer session. Participants spend the morning studying acting, improvisation, stage combat, and more; afternoons are reserved for rehearsals, culminating in a day of 30-minute Shakespeare performances at the end of the program.

Two-Week Conservatory June 28–July 9 \$500

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All Summer Shakespeare Conservatory participants receive complimentary tickets to all Cal Shakes productions, and family members can subscribe for half-price. See website for details.

Scholarships available; please inquire.

SEE TRANSPORTATION INFO ON BACK FLAP.

*Enrollment into Four- and Five-Week Conservatory is dependent on an interview; audition not required. Please call or email to set up a meeting time.

Dates, times, locations, and prices subject to change.

“These five weeks have been more effective than three years of high school theater classes.”

—Summer Shakespeare Conservatory student



Pictured: 2009 Summer Shakespeare Conservatory participants in performance; photos by Jay Yamada.