Town Hall

Nov 18th

November

Mon Nov 24 – 7pm TH 141

- Medea Talkback
- All are welcome! Pizza!

Last day of scheduled class Wed Nov 26

Thurs Nov 27

- Make up class for Thanksgiving Monday
- Schedule will be that of a Monday

December exams schedule

DART 1F93 (Wed. Dec. 10 09:00 11:00 WCIBDS)

DART 2F41 (Thu. Dec. 4 09:00 12:00 WCIBDS)

Second Session 2009

Audition Workshop

Friday, Jan 16, 2-4:30 pm ST 107

- Run by Duncan Stewart, Director of Casting for the National Artists
 Management Company (NAMCO)
- Selections will be made by performance instructors

Productions next session

- Independent production: Proof Jan 22 & 23
- Mainstage: Smash Feb 12-14
 Reading Week Feb 16-20
- 4F56: March tba
- Student Initiative: DESS Connections: Mar 12
- Showcase: Mar 21
- One Acts: Mar 27 & 28
- Student Initiative: Brock Musical Theatre: Mar 27
- 3F77 outcome: Mar 31 at Carousel; Apr 2 at Brock

D3 courses

DART 2P02, 3P03, 3P09, 3P10, 3P54, 3P96, 4P10

DART 2P97: Canadian Theatre (Barry Freeman)

DART 3P90: Postcolonial Theatre (Jacqueline Taucar)

DART 3P92: Scriptwriting (David Copelin)

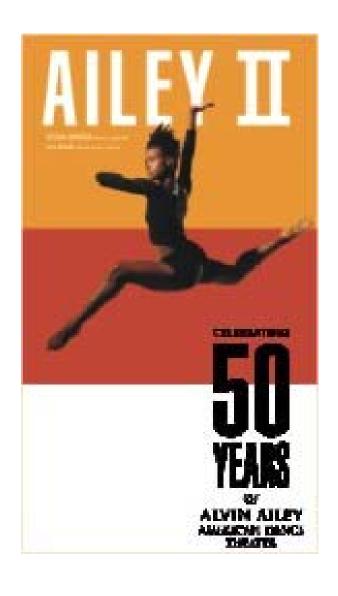
STAC 3P14: Dramatic Creation for Contemporary Cultural Practice

Field trips will be charged to D3 classes early January.

D3 Field Trips

- Will be charged to materials fees shortly
- Rusalka trip cancelled; reversal of fees for 2F41, 3F61, 3P54

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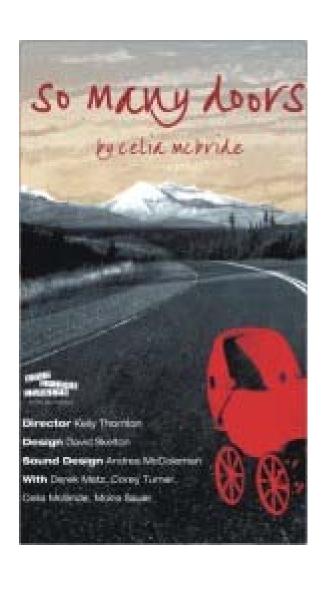


Sat. Jan. 24, 2009

Best of the famous dance company.

1F99

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Sour Brides Theatre

Sat. Jan 31 2009

2P97, 3P54, 3P92

Lyndesfarne Theatre Projects



Directed by Kelly Daniels - Featuring Ric Reid as Teach.

Set in a pawn shop on the south side of Chicago, this hard hitting comedy tells the gritty story of a coin heist gone wrong. Mamet's first critically acclaimed play – but certainly, not his last. Warning: Course Language.

February 28 – March 23, 2009
Sullivan Mahoney Courthouse Theatre
101 King Street, Downtown St. Catharines
Tuesday - Saturday at 7:30 pm
Wednesday & Friday matinee at 12:00 noon;
Sundays at 2:00 pm

Preview Performances February 26 & 27

Admission

General Admission: \$25 Students and Seniors: \$15 Tuesday Evenings: Pay What You Can (suggested minimum \$10)

Preview Tickets: \$10

TALKBACKS

Join us on Sunday afternoons following our matinee performance in an intimate theatre talkback with the company. Participate in conversations about the theatrical experience, about what goes into creating a role, choosing a play, what goes on behind the scenes, and anything that comes to mind.

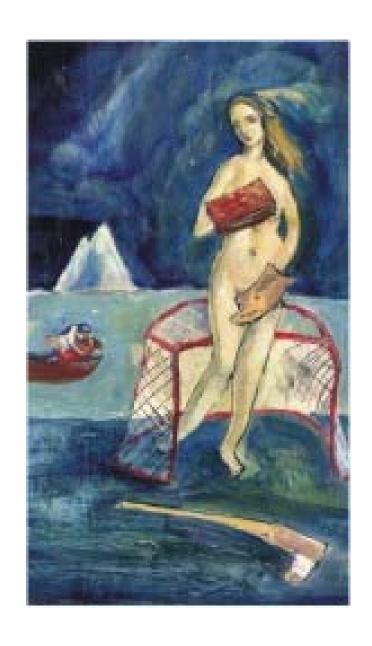
at 905-938-1222 for information.

American Buffalo by David Mamet

Feb 25-Mar 5 2009

1F99, 2F50, 3F50, 3F94, 3P54, 3P92

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One Yellow Rabbit Theatre & The Rheostatics

Fri. Mar. 6, 2009

1F99, 2F50, 2P97, 3F50, 3F94, 3P09, 3P92, 3P96, 4F56

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CIRCA 46 Circus Acts in 45 Minutes

Wed. Mar. 18, 2009

1F99, 2F50, 3F94, 3P09, 3P96

Production Calendar

Production Schedule.xls

Audition Process for 09/10

- Auditions required for 2F50, 3F50, 4F56, mainstages 09/10, Stratford courses (TBA)
- Held in April
- Details to be posted on wiki and around department

Spring/Summer courses

- DART 2F04: Introduction to Mime (will be held as 3 week intensive in May, usually M-F, 10-4 pm)
- Possibly a Voice or a DESS class TBA

Spring/Summer courses

Stratford Intensive Courses

DART 3P51: Voice and Text

DART 3P91: Shakespeare in Performance

Required: DART 2F50, DART 2F94, end of year DART audition; preference to Performance Concentration students; preferable to have completed 3F50;

10 spaces available for DART 3P51

Dates: July 20th – August 8th

Other summer programs

- One Yellow Rabbit summer intensive
- Banff summer programs
- In The Soil April 17-24: see call for proposals information on the wiki (closes Jan 30, 2009)

See bulletin boards for more details

Independents 09/10

- Forms available in the office
- Think ahead to next year
- Closed for this year, except for lunch time readings

DART student representative

- Second semester plans:
 - Coffee house?
 - February social?
- DART student representative elections for 09/10 year to be held last 2 weeks of D3

Marketplace and impact on DART

- Plans for infill of courtyard for new "marketplace" food services area
- Seating for up to 500
- Heavy work to happen in the summer; finishes in D2 2009
- Good communication with Facilities and architects on project; working with an acoustic consultant

Proposed Curriculum Changes

- Move from model of Streams to Concentrations
- Proposed concentrations:
 - Performance
 - Production and Design
 - Drama in Education
 - Applied Theatre
 - Theatre Praxis

Advantages

- Clarifies progression through the years
- Focuses program of study
- Will be added to degree awarded (Honours degree in DART with concentration noted)
- Enough flexibility within the concentrations to accommodate typical current patterning

Impact on you?

- You may stay with the calendar year you came in on
- You may switch to "concentrations" model if it doesn't disrupt your course planning too much (see Alisa)
- Some new first year courses
- Most upper year courses will stay as they are (DART 2F92 reduced to DART 2P92)

Academic Advising

- Alisa Cunnington Academic Advisor (<u>acunning@brocku.ca</u>; ext. 4279)
- You are required to
 - apply for 4th year (need 15 credits and 70% major average for honours)
 - apply to graduate (last day to apply to graduate: Monday, February 2 for Spring convocation)

Counselling and Advice

- Advice and support on variety of topics, social and academic issues
- Student Development Centre ST 400 (make appointment ext . 4750)
- See also: http://www.brocku.ca/sdc/counselling/appointment.php
- Also see Chair: mmoser@brocku.ca; ext. 3213