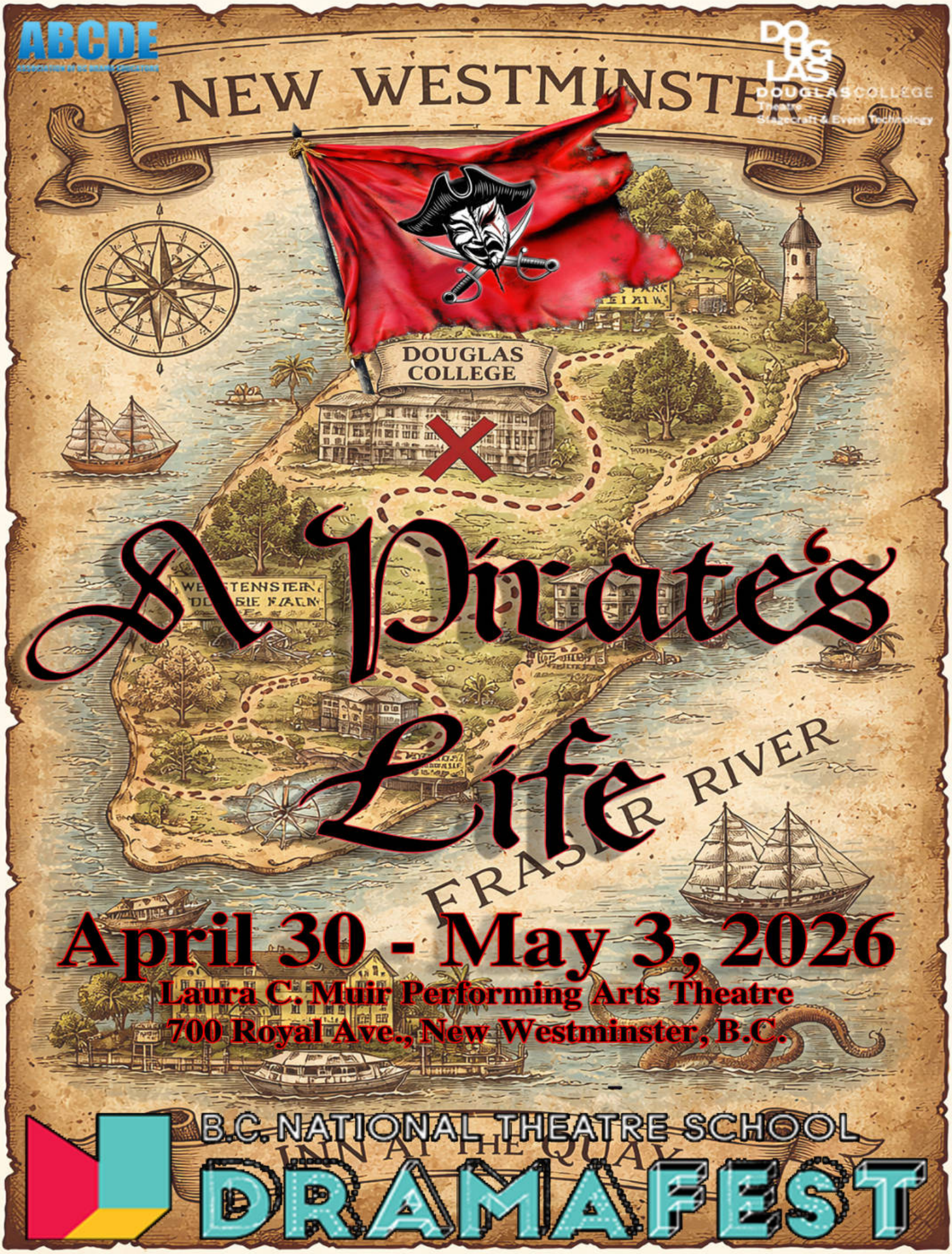

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A Pirate's Life
FRASER RIVER
April 30 - May 3, 2026
Laura C. Muir Performing Arts Theatre
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A Legacy of Stories, A Future in Motion

For more than 40 years, young people across British Columbia have been coming together to tell stories. Shaped by the ABCDE Provincial Drama Festival and carried forward today through the NTS DramaFest, this legacy has evolved through changing partnerships while remaining rooted in its core purpose: creating space for youth to explore, express, and connect through theatre.

And still, across all those years, something essential has remained unchanged.
Young people are still figuring out who they are. Still gathering in hallways, classrooms, and rehearsal spaces. Still searching for ways to express the big, complicated feelings that come with navigating the world. The tools may look different today — but at the heart of it, the impulse is the same.

To connect.
To create.
To belong.

That thread runs through every chapter of this festival's history in British Columbia. Across the country, this year also marks 80 years of the festival in Ontario — a reminder that these stories, in all their local uniqueness, are part of something larger.

The world around us may have shifted — rapidly and at times unpredictably — but the desire to gather and tell stories together remains constant.

And yet, here you are — choosing to collaborate. Choosing creativity over silence. Choosing theatre as a way to make sense of who you are and who you're becoming.

This year, we invite you to embrace A Pirate's Life. Not just as a theme, but as a spirit — one of adventure, courage, and charting your own course. Pirates are explorers. They challenge expectations, form unlikely crews, and navigate uncharted waters. In many ways, that is what theatre asks of you, too.

The NTS DramaFest is rooted in the belief that theatre grows through community. It thrives when we gather with openness, courage, and care. The moments you experience this week — the nerves, the laughter, the realization that I belong — are the spark that has carried this work forward for generations.

And that spark is why we feel hopeful.
So welcome. Let's continue the story together.

The NTS DramaFest Team
Erika Kierulf, Caitie Graham, Lila Ciesielski and Richard Lee

To the participants,to the parents, teachers, mentors, and our generous supporters:

Thank you for supporting high school theatre!

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Supporting Partner

A.B.C.D.E.

The Association of B.C. Drama Educators (ABCDE) is a Provincial Specialist Association in the B.C. Teachers Federation. The key objectives of the ABCDE are to:

- Support, encourage, and develop dramatic activity, interest, and knowledge among children and youth in B.C.
- Facilitate communication among and to act as spokesperson for all those engaged in Drama/Theatre education.
- Encourage, promote, and facilitate further training for Drama/Theatre teachers, instructors, and leaders.
- Promote actively the establishment and/or improvement of training courses for teachers of Drama/Theatre, instructors, and leaders.
- Collect monies by way of fees, contributions from the public, donations, grants, gifts, benefits, devices and bequests for the purpose of supporting the aims and objectives of the Association.

The ABCDE is a supporting partner for the BC NTS DramaFest each year. This Festival is a testament to the impact that Drama has on the lives of young people in this province. We thank you for supporting Drama Education in your community!

Delegate List

Performing Delegates

Opening	Riverside	19
Zone 2	Smithers	19
Zone 9	Imagine	24
Zone 10	Wellington	30
Zone 12	Langley Fine Arts	25
Zone 14	Port Moody	18
Zone 16	Crofton House	10
Youthwright	G.P. Vanier	11
Youthwright (2 shows)	Okanagan Mission	10

Non-Performing Delegates

Brookswood	31
Carihi	5
St. George's	8
Terry Fox	12
W.J. Mouat	13
Frances Kelsey	1
Other Important People	**5**
Total:	**241**

Festival Crew

Tarek Diabmarzouk	Riverside Alumnus / Crew Chief
Maya Barber	Brookswood
Katty Allison	Brookswood
Will Morgan	G.P. Vanier
Anna Eliasson	Langley Fine Arts
Melania LeGrier	Langley Fine Arts
Dimitry Ksenofontov	Port Moody
Corban Coello	Riverside
Kassidy Smith	W.J. Mouat
Hannah Vanderhoek	W.J. Mouat

Organizing Committee

Festival Coordinator	Sharon Conrad
Festival Coordinator	Gordon Hamilton
Festival Coordinator	Katie Everson
Festival Coordinator	Mitch Deeming
Festival Coordinator	Jake Guy

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Festival Welcome

The British Columbia National Theatre School DramaFest, along with the Douglas College Departments of Theatre and Stagecraft & Event Technology recognize and acknowledge the QayQayt (Ki-Kite) First Nation, as well as all Coast Salish Peoples, on whose traditional and unceded territories we live, we learn, we play, and we do our work.

The British Columbia National Theatre School DramaFest offers high school drama/theatre students and their teachers the opportunity to showcase their theatrical work, see the work of others, network, learn, play, and be re-energized through an intense immersion in Drama and Theatre.

This year's Festival is brought to you once again by the Fab Five! Each member of our team has specific duties relating to the organization of the Festival and we work collaboratively to offer our delegates a fantastic four day drama/theatre experience, led with workshops, play performances, social events, informal gatherings, spontaneous creative interludes, food, and fun!

We welcome you!



Sharon Conrad

B.C. NTS DramaFest Coordinator & ABCDE Liaison



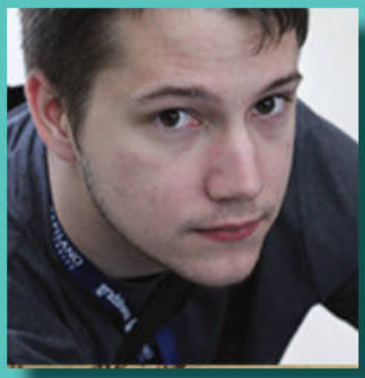
Gordon Hamilton

B.C. NTS DramaFest Coordinator & ABCDE Liaison



Katie Everson

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Mitch Deeming

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ABCDE President's Message



Christine Knight
President
Association of BC Drama Educators

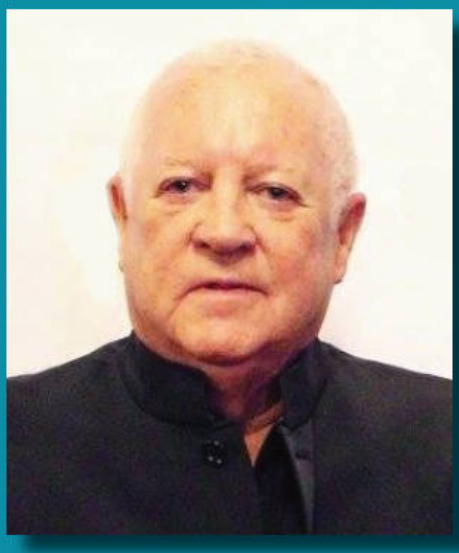
Welcome to the 2026 BC National Theatre School Drama Festival. This is an annual celebration of the accomplishments of theatre students from around British Columbia. Throughout the past months ABCDE teacher members and their students have gathered at annual zone festivals around the province and shared their one act plays. Adjudicators at each zone event chose one play to represent that region, and those are the pieces that will be showcased here over the next few days. In addition to watching the selected Zone plays, we will get to see the selected work from young playwrights who entered the ABCDE Youthwright competition. All of the productions will also get the incredible opportunity to work with this year's adjudicator, Alana Hawley Purvis.

Being part of this festival is an experience that you will remember for years to come. Whether you are here as part of a Zone festival show, an ABCDE Youthwright play or as a delegate, we are excited for you to be able to share the next few days working together, celebrating each other's work, learning, having fun and making new friends. While you are in the workshops, soak up all the learning you can. We are very lucky to have so many amazing theatre professionals who want to share their skills with you.

This festival would not be possible without a dedicated team who spend months putting all the pieces together for what will certainly be a memorable weekend. On behalf of the ABCDE, a heartfelt thank you goes out to the festival team Gordon Hamilton, Sharon Conrad, Katie Everson, Mitch Deeming, and Jake Guy.

The ABCDE would also like to thank Douglas College for their continued support and for allowing us to gather in this beautiful facility each year. It's good to be back. And of course, we are grateful to National Theatre School for their generous sponsorship!
Enjoy!

Wayne Fairhead Spirit of the Festival Award



The Wayne Fairhead Spirit of the Festival Award is presented at the DramaFest to the individual or group who is/are: passionate about Drama, kind, considerate, hard-working, team players, problem-solvers, active listeners, willing to take theatrical risks, aware of the needs of others, and not afraid to jump in and learn from all experiences.

Wayne Fairhead
Executive Director Emeritus of
the NTS DramaFest

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Colleen Maybin
Director of Performing and Fine Arts



Welcome to DramaFest at Douglas College!

I am thrilled that Douglas College is once again hosting the celebration of creativity and talent that is DramaFest. This festival is not just an opportunity to showcase your hard work and dedication; it's a chance to connect with other students from across the province who share a love of theatre.

Throughout the festival, you will have the opportunity to participate in workshops, attend performances, and stretch your artistic skills. I encourage you to take full advantage of everything on offer and to challenge yourselves to learn and grow during your time here.

Remember, this is a safe space to express yourselves, explore your passion for the performing arts, and create lasting memories. Embrace every moment, support one another, and enjoy the magic of storytelling through theatre.

Once again, welcome to Douglas College! I look forward to seeing your performances and experiencing the incredible talent that each of you brings. Break a leg!

Dr. Colleen Maybin
Director of Performing and Fine Arts
Douglas College



Adjudicator

Alana Hawley Purvis



Alana is a professional actor, director and vocal coach who has worked throughout North and Central America. She is a graduate of The Stratford Festival's Birmingham Conservatory and holds her MFA from the American Academy for Classical Acting, as well as her ARCT in Voice from the Royal Conservatory of Music.

A member of ACTRA/UBCP and CAEA, Alana has two decades of professional acting experience, working in both theatre and film/T.V. Alana runs the voice classes in The University of British Columbia's BFA Theatre & Film Program and specializes in Trans vocal care with her coaching company, Your Voice. She currently serves as Head Voice & Text Coach at Bard on the Beach, Western Canada's largest professional Shakespeare Festival.

Alana served on the 2023 Canadian Screen Awards Jury and was nominated for Best Actress in a Feature Film at the 2022 Canadian Screen Awards. She is a recipient of the Royal Conservatory of Music's National Gold Medal in ARCT Speech Arts and Drama Performance and the National Gold Medal for ARCT Teachers. Alana is a proud member of the National Voice Association of Canada and, most importantly, she is thrilled to be here celebrating the passion and creations of these beautiful artists here at The NTS Drama Fest!

Learn more at: alanahawlepurvis.com, @alanahawleypurvis

Congratulations on participating in this year's National Theatre School Drama Fest! Each of you should be so proud of your commitment to the pursuit of your passions and to the enrichment of our Canadian artistic landscape and community. I am so excited to be able to support you in this theatrical journey. Be bold, take risks, work together and above all, find delight in the love of communication. See you soon!

Sincerely, Alana

Outstanding & Alternate Productions from ABCDE Zone Drama Festivals

Each year the ABCDE oversees Regional High School Drama Festivals throughout eighteen geographic zones in the province. In total, these festivals involve thousands of Drama students and their teachers in producing shows for their schools and communities. Each Regional/ Zone Festival is adjudicated by a Theatre professional and the shows that have been selected as Outstanding Productions are the ones that you will see over the three evenings of the festival.

We congratulate these students and their teachers for their commitment to excellence in Theatre.

Zone 2 - Northwest
ELEKTRA
Smithers Sec., Smithers
Drama Teacher:
Mr. Kyle Tennant

Zone 9 - Upper Fraser Valley
THE LADY OF SHALOTT
Imagine Integrated Arts & Technology Sec., Chilliwack
Drama Teacher:
Ms. Penny Miller

Zone 10 - North Island
WHERE THE SKY MEETS THE SEA
Wellington Sec., Nanaimo
Drama Teacher:
Ms. Kristin Thomas

Zone 12 - Langley
DARCY'S CINEMATIC LIFE
Langley Fine Arts School, Langley
Drama Teachers:
Ms. Lindsay Mitchell &
Ms. Katie Everson

Zone 14 - TriCities
LOVE AND INFORMATION
Port Moody Sec., Port Moody
Drama Teacher:
Mr. Jesse Meredith

Zone 16 - Vancouver
TRAP
Crofton House School, Vancouver
Drama Teacher:
Ms. Catriana van Rijn

Youthwright Productions

Each year ABCDE sponsors Youthwright, the Provincial Playwriting Competition for high school students. Submitted plays are adjudicated and the playwrights whose plays have been selected as Outstanding are invited to produce their play for the BC NTS DramaFest. Congratulations to the following young playwrights who have brought their shows to this Festival!

GOOD MOURNING LOVE
Playwright: Ace Parkin
G.P. Vanier Sec., Courtenay
Drama Teacher:
Ms. Lori Mazey

PERFECT POT ROAST
Playwright: Evie Prasad
Okanagan Mission Sec., Kelowna
Drama Teacher:
Mr. Ryan Grenier

THE WEDDING REHEARSAL
Playwright: Matteo Sulko
Okanagan Mission Sec., Kelowna
Drama Teacher:
Mr. Ryan Grenier

Schedule

THURSDAY, APR. 30

TECHNICAL REHEARSALS & LOAD-INS

9:30 am - 12:30 pm	BROOKSWOOD & LFA	Festival Prep
10:00 am - 3:30 pm	For ALL shows: Please unload your set through the Theatre Loading Dock and into the Scene Shop (Rm. N3290) in this time period.	
10:45 - 12:00 pm	PORT MOODY	TECH
12:05 - 1:20	CROFTON HOUSE	TECH
2:00 - 3:15	IMAGINE	TECH
3:20 - 4:35	RIVERSIDE	TECH

FESTIVAL CHECK-IN

1:30 - 3:30 pm	Go to Rm. N4140 - STUDIO THEATRE to pick-up your registration materials (bags, t-shirts, name tags).
4:00 pm	Hotel Check-in begins

EVENING SHOWCASE

5:30 pm	Theatre Box Office Opens			
5:45	House Opens Laura C. Muir Theatre			
6:00	**AHOY, ME HEARTIES!**	Opening	Riverside Sec, Coquitlam	(10 mins.)
6:25	**THE LADY OF SHALOTT**	Zone 9	Imagine Sec., Chilliwack	(25 mins.)
7:05	**TRAP**	Zone 16	Crofton House School, Vanc.	(45 mins.)
8:05	**LOVE AND INFORMATION**	Zone 14	Port Moody Sec, Port Moody	(50 mins.)
8:55	Award Presentations & Prize Draws		Festival Team	(15 mins.)
9:10	Public Adjudication Summary		Ms. Alana Hawley Purvis	(15 mins.)
9:25	Closing Remarks		Festival Team	(10 mins.)

Between each show, there will be 15 minutes for the strike and lay-in of the productions.
During this time the Festival Team will have Prize Draws and Presentations.

10:00 - 10:45 pm: **WELCOME ABOARD!** For All Delegates
Location: Inn at the Quay Ballroom 2nd Floor
Meet your fellow seafaring scallywags to engage in theatrical piratical antics of great fun and song!

11:00 pm Good Night! - All Delegates in their own rooms

PLEASE BE RESPECTFULLY QUIET WHEN ENTERING THE HOTEL AND YOUR ROOMS AT NIGHT

Schedule

FRIDAY, MAY 1

MEALS & WORKSHOPS

6:30 - 7:30 am	Breakfast @ THE BOATHOUSE	Delegate Group: JOLLY ROGER
7:45 - 8:30	Breakfast @ THE BOATHOUSE	Delegate Group: BLACK PEARL
8:45 - 8:55	Morning Mtg. College Concourse	All Delegates
9:00 - 10:30	Workshop #1	All Delegates
10:30 - 10:45	Snack Break	Theatre Foyer
10:45 - 12:15 pm	Workshop #2	All Delegates
12:15 - 2:00	Lunch @ Food Trucks	All Delegates
2:00 - 3:30	Workshop #3	All Delegates
3:30 - 5:45	Dinner Break - delegates on their own	
4:00 - 5:15	ABCDE Teacher Appreciation Reception @ THE BOATHOUSE	

TECHNICAL REHEARSALS

Please enter your TECH through the back hallway of the Theatre.

12:05 - 1:20 pm	OKANAGAN MISSION
2:00 - 3:15	SMITHERS
3:20 - 4:35	OKANAGAN MISSION

PRIVATE ADJUDICATIONS - Rm. N4308

12:20 - 12:50 pm	IMAGINE
12:55 - 1:25	CROFTON HOUSE
1:30 - 2:00	PORT MOODY

EVENING SHOWCASE

5:30 pm	Theatre Box Office Opens			
5:45	House Opens Laura C. Muir Theatre		All Delegates	
6:00	Welcome & Intro to Guests		Festival Team	(10 mins.)
6:10	**PERFECT POT ROAST**	Youthwright	Okanagan Mission Sec., Kelowna	(15 mins.)
6:40	**ELEKTRA**	Zone 2	Smithers Sec., Smithers	(40 mins.)
7:35	**THE WEDDING REHEARSAL**	Youthwright	Okanagan Mission Sec., Kelowna	(15 mins.)
7:50	Award Presentations & Prize Draws		Festival Team	(15 mins.)
8:05	Public Adjudication Summary		Ms. Alana Hawley Purvis	(15 mins.)
8:20	Closing Remarks		Festival Team	(10 mins.)

Between each show, there will be 15 minutes for the strike and lay-in of the productions.
During this time the Festival Team will have Prize Draws and Presentations.

Tonight's productions: Please load out to the Scene Shop or to your vehicles. Ensure dressing rooms are clean.

9:30 - 11:00 pm **OPEN MIC DELIGHT!** For All Delegates

Location: Inn at the Quay, Ballroom 2nd Floor

Take the floor to present your talent(s) to a supportive and enthusiastic audience or cheer on your peers - as we showcase musical, dramatic, comedic, and original acts!

Register your act by Friday at lunch!

11:15 pm Good Night! - All Delegates in their own rooms!

PLEASE BE RESPECTFULLY QUIET WHEN ENTERING THE HOTEL AND YOUR ROOMS AT NIGHT.

Schedule

SATURDAY, MAY 2

MEALS & WORKSHOPS

6:30 - 7:30 am	Breakfast @ THE BOATHOUSE	Delegate Group: BLACK PEARL
7:45 - 8:30	Breakfast @ THE BOATHOUSE	Delegate Group: JOLLY ROGER
8:45 - 8:55	Morning Mtg. College Concourse	All Delegates
9:00 - 10:30	Workshop #4	All Delegates
10:30 - 10:45	Snack Break	Theatre Foyer
10:45 - 12:15 pm	Workshop #5	All Delegates
12:15 - 2:00	Lunch	Food Trucks
2:00 - 3:30	Workshop #6	All Delegates
3:30 - 5:45	Dinner Break	All Delegates on their own

TECHNICAL REHEARSALS

Please enter your TECH through the back hallway of the Theatre.

12:05 - 1:20 pm	LANGLEY FINE ARTS
2:00 - 3:15	G.P. VANIER
3:20 - 4:35	WELLINGTON

PRIVATE ADJUDICATIONS - Rm. N4308

12:20 - 12:50 pm	SMITHERS
12:55 - 1:25	OKANAGAN MISSION
1:30 - 2:00	OKANAGAN MISSION

EVENING SHOWCASE

5:30 pm	Theatre Box Office Opens			
5:45	House Opens Laura C. Muir Theatre		All Delegates	
6:00	Welcome & Intro to Guests		Festival Team	(10 mins.)
6:10	**WHERE THE SKY MEETS THE SEA**	Zone 10	Wellington Sec. Nanaimo	(40 mins.)
7:05	**GOOD MOURNING, LOVE**	Youthwright	G.P. Vanier Sec., Courtenay	(15 mins.)
7:35	**DARCY'S CINEMATIC LIFE**	Zone 12	Langley Fine Arts School, Lang.	(40 mins.)
8:15	Award Presentations & Prize Draws		Festival Team	(15 mins.)
8:30	Public Adjudication Summary		Ms. Alana Hawley Purvis	(15 mins.)
8:45	Special Awards Presentations & Closing		Festival Team	(30 mins.)

Between each show, there will be 15 minutes for the strike and lay-in of the productions.
During this time the Festival Team will have Prize Draws and presentations.

ALL productions: Please load out everything before 10:00 p.m. Ensure dressing rooms are clean.

10:30 pm - 12:30 am **DAVY JONES' ROCKER!**
Location: Inn at the Quay, Ballroom 2nd floor
Celebrate the final night of the festival in style at our pirate themed dance party!
Costumes (as simple or elaborate as you choose) are encouraged as treasured prizes are up for grabs!

11:00 pm Food Served

12:45 am Good Night! - All Delegates in their own rooms

PLEASE BE RESPECTFULLY QUIET WHEN ENTERING THE HOTEL AND YOUR ROOMS AT NIGHT.

Schedule

SUNDAY, MAY 3

8:00 - 11:00 am Breakfast: On your own

Delegates depart. See you next year!

PRIVATE ADJUDICATIONS

Location: Inn at the Quay, Riverside Room 2nd Floor

8:30 - 9:00 am	WELLINGTON
9:05 - 9:35	G.P. VANIER
9:40 - 10:10	LANGLEY FINE ARTS

PLEASE FILL OUT OUR FESTIVAL SURVEY LINK: TBA

Please fill out the survey: https://forms.gle/TXh2Y9NsJnFFEBgw8

Theatre Etiquette

We are so fortunate to be invited to present our shows at the Douglas College Theatre and we thank you for being respectful of this facility as you enjoy the three days of productions.

Being a member of a theatre audience is a shared experience. While the actors and crews of each production have their jobs to do, so do you as an audience member in order to ensure a positive experience for everyone.

- Remove your hat as you enter the theatre.
- Turn off all electronic devices.
- Refrain from eating or drinking ANYTHING during a performance.
- Refrain from speaking to your neighbours during a performance.
- Keep your feet off the seats in front of you.
- Enjoy your experience by listening and watching the performance actively.
- Remember that you are in a theatre and not a gymnasium, therefore enthusiastic applause is the way in which you show your appreciation to the performers for a job well done.
- If you need to leave the Theatre for any reason during a performance, please exit through the back doors and the ushers will allow you to return to your seat at an appropriate time.
- Flash photography is prohibited during a performance.
- Use of any recording devices or apparatus that interferes with other audience members during a performance is prohibited.
- Those who have permission to do video recording of a show must be in the back of the theatre and not in the seats where it will interfere with all other audience members and the adjudicator.
- Only actors and crew members of each production are permitted on the stage.

Riverside Secondary School
Festival Opening



AHOY, ME HEARTIES!

A Thunderous Welcome, Written by Ms.Coco Roberge
Performed by 16 spirited pirates from
Riverside Secondary/River's Edge Theatre

Captain Sam Snifflebottom **(Sofia Feigelstock)** - *the one in charge, probably*

Firstmate Mikey Nightshade **(Corban Coello)** - *second in command, somehow*

Minnow Nightshade **(Andy Stoyanova)** - *the daredevil pirate*

Davy Jones (**Kaz Ingelman)** - *a lovesick navigator*

Jacquimo Fontaine **(Ella Lingham)** - *the ship's chef*

Pearl Pierna **(Magdalena Torres-Zelaya)** - *a wooden leg in her left boot*

Evalyn Sly **(Caitlyn Chen)** - *a trickster from a wealthy family*

Finlay Bright, known as Junior **(Andy Shih)** - *a kid pirate, by accident*

Madame Poopsie **(Mythili Garikiparthi)** - *a stowaway*

Samuel Seabury, known as Cannonball **(Sean Arvisais)** - *a pacifist pirate*

Hamish Stoond, known as Bagpipes **(Gabriel Law)** - *a musician turned pirate*

Angry Jim **(Dara Zandizadeh)** - *a short-tempered pirate with a hook*

Maggie McSorley **(Alex Harris)** - *a truly clueless pirate*

Bonnie O'Slappy **(Heloise Alves-Munro)** - *a pirate whose best friends are fish*

Charlie Crow, or Chuck **(Charlee Whitman)** - *a skilled pirate on the lam*

Preggy Peggy **(Olivia Arvisais)** - *A very pregnant pirate mom*

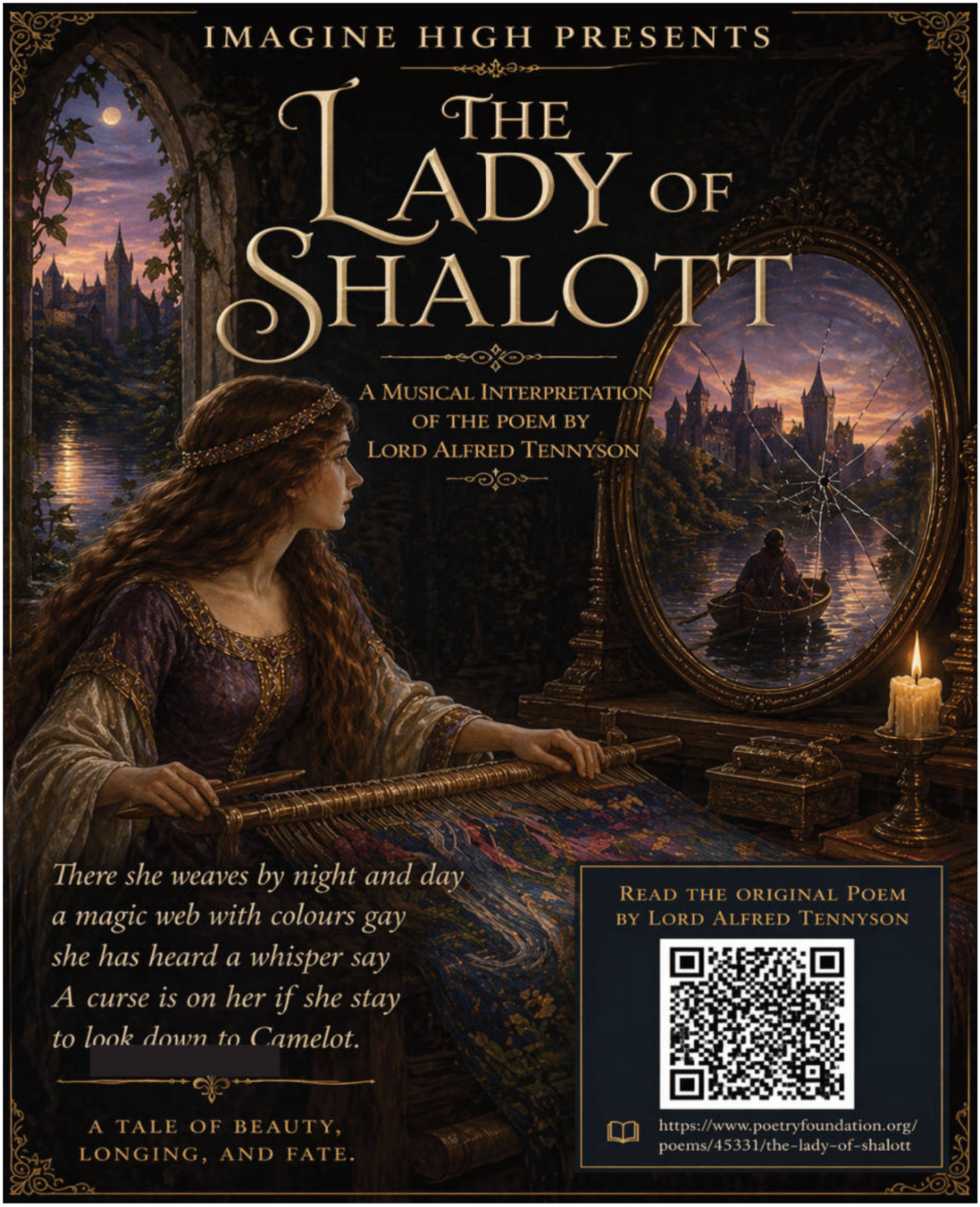
Booth Crew + Support team: **Artin Rafati and Kaitlyn Schultz**

With songs by Canadian icons, The Irish Rovers and Blue Rodeo.

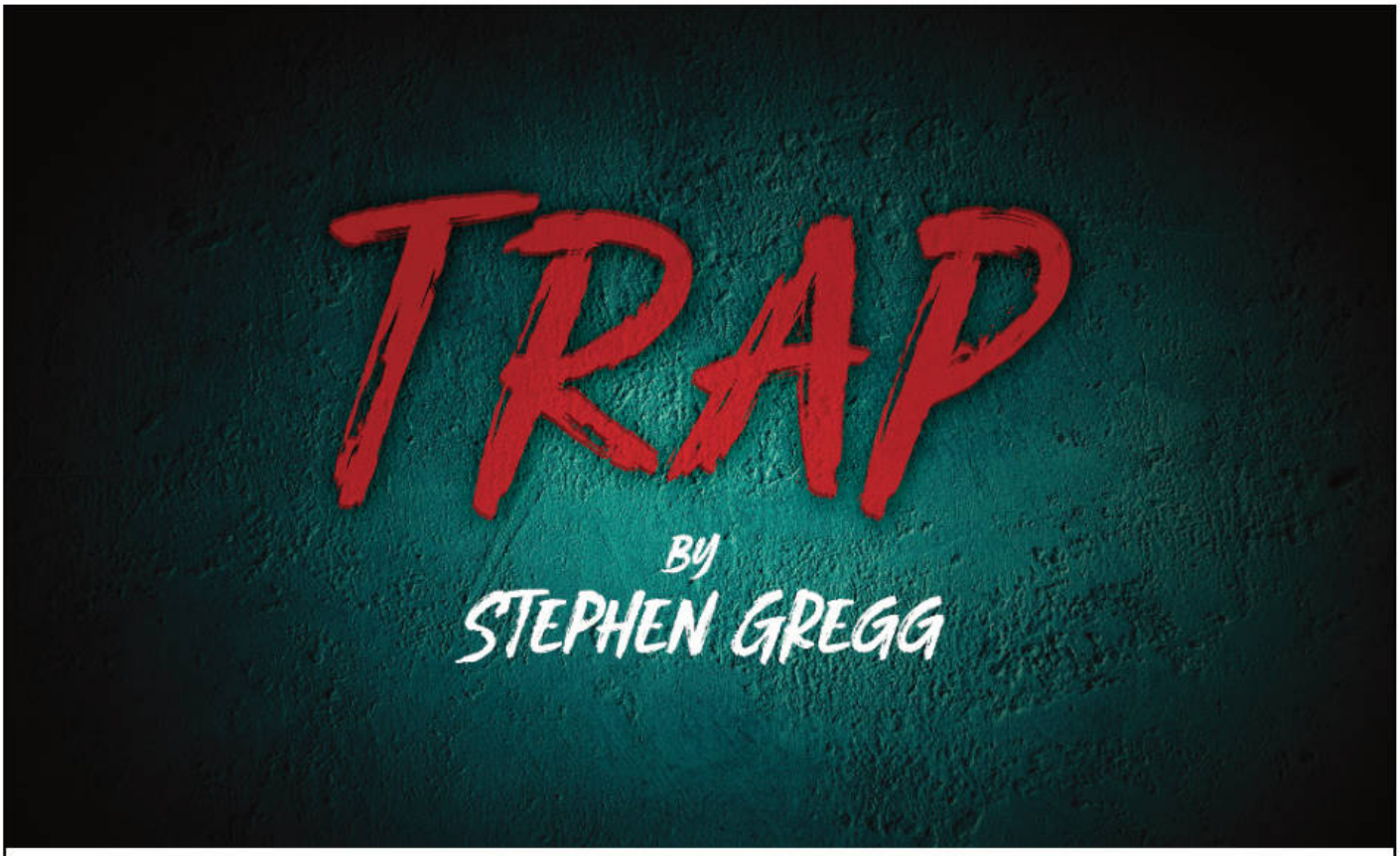
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With gratitude to the entire BC NTS Dramafest family




IMAGINE HIGH PRESENTS
THE LADY OF SHALOTT
A MUSICAL INTERPRETATION OF THE POEM BY LORD ALFRED TENNYSON
There she weaves by night and day
a magic web with colours gay
she has heard a whisper say
A curse is on her if she stay
to look down to Camelot.
A TALE OF BEAUTY, LONGING, AND FATE.
READ THE ORIGINAL POEM BY LORD ALFRED TENNYSON
https://www.poetryfoundation.org/poems/45331/the-lady-of-shalott

Crofton House School
Zone 16



CAST

HARPER ARATO	*Kenosha Siberling-Johnson, Ensemble 1 & 2 Clifton*
AVA BHURA	*Marion Jay, Real Kenosha*
MARIA HERAS	*Ephrain Salas*
IRIS LU	*Ensemble 3 & 4, Danalynn Morse, Principle Harte, Richenoch Baynor*
SARAH QUEREE	*Ensemble 5, Candalaria Ortiz, Kendra Siberling-Johnson*
MAX QUINTORO	*Ensemble 1 & 4*
BELLA SUK	*Donovan, 911 Operator*
ZOE YU	*Sergeant Brock, Heche*
MS. CATRIANA VAN RIJN	*Teacher*
ANGELA ZHANG	*Angela*

CREATIVE TEAM

MS. CATRIANA VAN RIJN	*Director*
HARPER ARATO	*Student Director*
	Projection Design

Produced by special arrangement with Playscripts, Inc (www.playscripts.com)

Port Moody Secondary School
Zone 14

Port Moody Secondary Presents...



by caryl churchill

A play about how we connect in the modern age

CAST

Abigail Tinham
Alex Serban
Caoimhe Karl
Emma Robertson
Konstantin Nedelchev
Kristin Barnes
Linden Later
Lisa Naumov
Lorena Riccio Palmieri
Mackenna Olson
Tae Lee
Tessa Gagnier
Winkie Chan
Woori Kim

CREW

Yeoeun Ahn
Dimitry Ksenofontov

DIRECTOR

Mr. Jesse Meredith

Okanagan Mission Secondary School
Youthwright

Okangan Mission Secondary

The Perfect Potroast

Written and Directed by
Evie Prasad

Cast

Harry -
Landon Caul

Bonnie -
Evie Prasad

Dorothy -
Renita Ali

David -
Carter Roth



Crew

Producer
Ryan Grenier
and OKM
Theatre
Company

Stage Manager
Emma
Bigelow

ASM
Cassia
Mirbach

Setting - Dining Room,
50's, Late fall

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Smithers Secondary School
Zone 2

Smithers Secondary School
Presents

ELEKTRA

Written by: Elizabeth Brendel Horn

Directed by: Kyle Tennant

CAST

Elektra Taylor Delwisch
Doctor/Clytemnestra Amelia Rittinger
Orestes/Nurse Blake Calhoun
Nurse/Chrysothemis Sierra Jones
Agamemnon/Nurse Syd Hodgson
Aegisthus/Chorus Griffin Kernel
Young Elektra/Chorus Payton Harding
Young Orsestes/Chorus Conner Whalen
Chorus Katya Gonzalez
Chorus/Nurse Soleil Brookes
Chorus/Nurse Ivy Wright

CREW

Stage Manager Katie Maxwell
ASM Annika Braaksma
ASM: Neva Willman
Stagehand: Yeva Nelligan
Stagehand: Seanna Seaborn

Lighting Katie Maxwell
Sound Nevaeh Kernel
Costume Designer: Seanna Seaborn

Special Thanks to: Melissa Kernel, Denise Libscombe, Jason Rittinger, Darlene Jefferson, ad Kent Delwisch,

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Say 'I do'… if you can

The Wedding Rehearsal

Written and Directed by: Mattea Sulko

Stage Manager: Brynn Burchett

CAST

Danny – Mattea Sulko

Robert – Carter Roth

Ella – Renita Ali

Father of Groom – Landon Caul

Mother of Bride – Anhelina Arinkina

Officiant – Katherine Pearce

James – Angela Wogeperez

Produced by: Mr. Ryan Grenier and
OKM Theatre Company

Wellington Secondary School
Zone 10

Wellington Secondary Presents: Where the Sky Meets the Sea

CAST

Astra: Milana Dronova
Carissa: Molly Racz
Irene: Bowen Danbert
Tobias: Jax Dershin
Luka: Leroy Dershin
Chorus 1: Justice McCormack
Chorus 2: Essence Prestage
Chorus 3: Quill Davis
Chorus 4: Lily Davalos
Chorus 5: Amelia Brown
The Oracle- Amy Hirschberger
Fury 1 -Heidi Friesen
Fury 2 - Isabelle Corfield
Fury 3 - Stella McClinton
One of the Sea - Lochlan Clifford
One of the Sky - Emmalee Armour
Ocean Chorus 1 - Sophia Bodnaruk
Ocean Chorus 2 -Alexis MacDonald
Ocean Chorus 3 - Ryen Wallace

CREW

Stage Manager: Parker Johansen
Lighting Operator: Leela McKay
Sound Operator: Anna Chadd
Mic operator: Vicky Kerry
Costumers: Wattson and Sam
Set Builders: Heidi and Avery Friesen, Alaska Ibarra, and Molly Racz
Furies: Heidi Friesen, Avery Friesen, Amy Hirschberger, and Molly Racz
Person of the Sea: Kristin Thomas, Finn Thomas, Isla Davie, Amelia Brown, Quill Davis, and Anna Chadd
Person of the Sky: Wattson May and Sam Lambert
Poster Design: Isla Davie

Special thanks to: Glen and Natasha Friesen and Loretta Robinson
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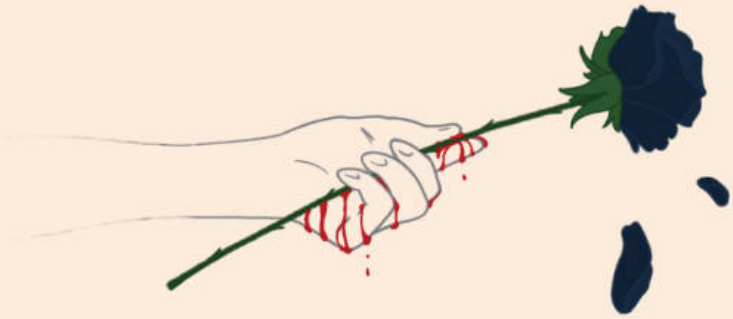
Playwright: Mandy Conner
Directed and Designed by: Mrs. Kristin Thomas
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G.P. Vanier Secondary School
Youthwright

G.P. Vanier Theatre Presents

Good Mourning, Love

By Ace Parkin



Cast

Beatrice	*Clay Eldstrom*
Davey	*Oliver Power*

Production Team

Direction & Production Design	*Ace Parkin*
Costume Design	*Ace Parkin, Savannah Humphrey, Clay Eldstrom, Oliver Power*
Lighting Design & Operation	*Will Morgan*
Program Design	*Ace Parkin*
Stage Management	*Selina Nagle, Will Morgan*
Stage Crew	*Savannah Humphrey, Olivia Neufeld, Nova Vegt, Jordyn W. Patterson, Luca Gilbert*
Sound Operation	*Mr. Robinson Wilson*
Set Aquisition & Transport	*Ms. Lori Mazey*
Teacher Mentor	

Special Thanks

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Langley Fine Arts School
Zone 12

LFAS JR THEA. CO PRESENTS:

DARCY'S Cinematic LIFE

BY CHRISTA CREWDSON



Starring:

Zoe Elliot – as **DARCY (costume team)**
Leo Best - as **CHAD (sound team)**
Teagan Sergeant – as **MOM (costume team)**
Tyran Van Niekerk – as **DAD (set & props team)**
Aida Osieru– as **TONY & Ms. Nibbs (sound team)**
Anna Duguay – as **LIZA (costume team)**
Lily Porter – as **VICTORIA (costume team)**
Aubrielle Bibeau – as **TIFFANY (lights team)**

ENSEMBLE:

Avery Brais – as **JUDGE, GAP WORKER, RENEE THE MOOCH (lights team)**
Irish Craig - as **MR. FRANK the BUS DRIVER, FARMER (set & props team)**
Violet Hunziker – **GAIL, TWIN, FLOWER SELLER (lights team)**
Manuela Kosar Orellana – as **TWIN, SOUTHERN LAWYER, KID on SCOOTER (sound team)**
Joona Leewood – as **LENNY THE LONER, PARALEGAL, JIM (set & props team)**
Kai Leinbach – as **BAILIFF, Mr. B & MR. D (lights team)**

Crew:



Artistic Director: Mrs. Lindsay Mitchell (teacher)
Student Director, Lighting Mentor & Stage Manager- Jaxon Fowler-Brown
Student Director, Sound Mentor & Op - Gabi Willemse
Lighting Op: Andie Hughes
Backstage: Oisin Adams, Haunnah Brynjolfson, Anna Eliasson, Rian Heacock, Melania LeGrier



A Pirate's Life

Workshops Offered

Acting for Film / Kathleen Duborg / Rm. N3408

Arrr! Make a Pirate Prop! / Caro Alarie / Rm. N3290 - Scene Shop

Contemporary Costume Design / Alexa Fraser / Rm. N4217

Directing through Movement and Play / Cydney Uffindell-Phillips / Rm. N3302

Diverse Dramaturgical History / Linnea Perry / Rm. N3412

En garde! Running with Rapiers! / Robinson Wilson / Rm. N1100 - Gym

Improvisation: Learning through Play / Matt Clarke / Rm. N4140 - Studio Theatre (Fri.)

Intro to Motion Capture / Chloe Payne / Rm. N4140 - Studio Theatre (Sat.)

Introduction to Voice Acting / Marÿke Hendrikse / Rm. N4213

Living the Circumstances with Crosspoints / Stephen Atkins / Rm. N4360

Moving Stories / Keri Minty / Rm. N4370

Musical Theatre / Jonny Michel / Rm. N3285 - Studio A Band Rm.

Nailing the Dance Call / Taylor McKee & Julia MacLean/ Rm. N3260 - Dance Studio

Pirates! Intro Make-up Ideas / Daemon Cadman / Rm. N3110 - Dressing Rms.

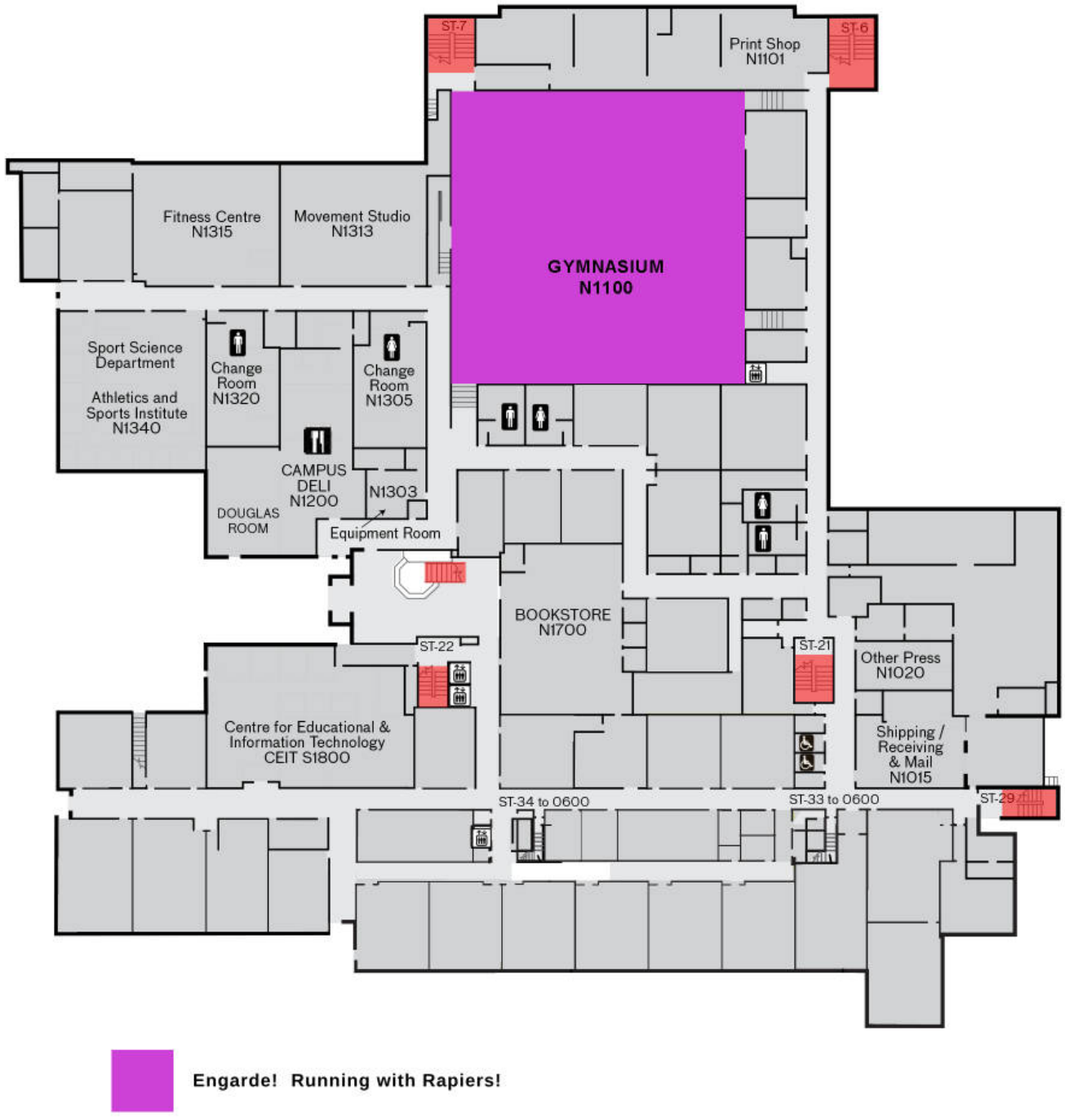
Private Adjudications / Alana Hawley Purvis / Rm. N4308

Professional Readiness / Kelly Phillips / Rm. N4100 - Theatre

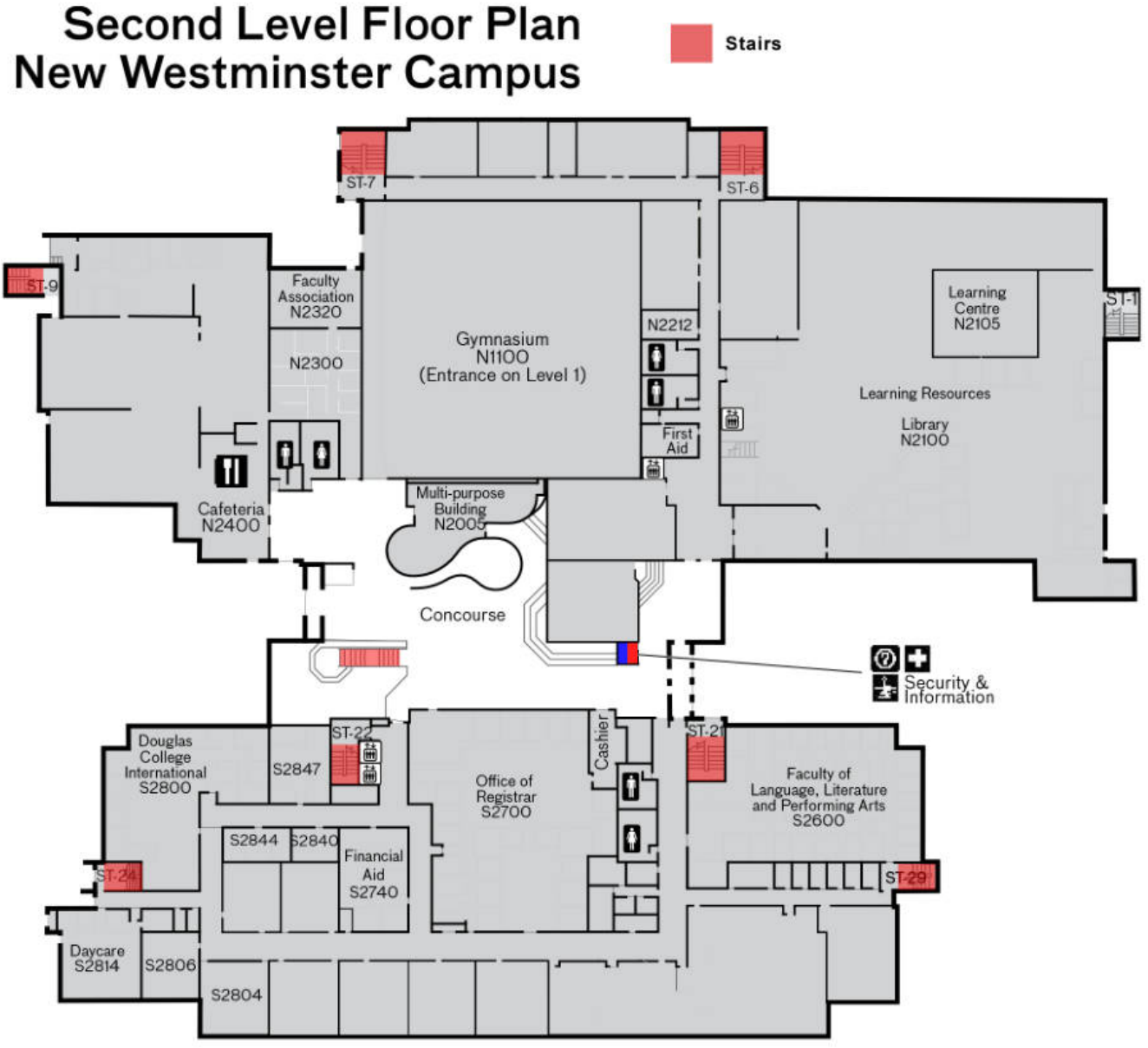
Writing a Scene: Playwriting Basics / Christine Quintana / Rm. N4215

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First Floor Plans
New Westminster Campus



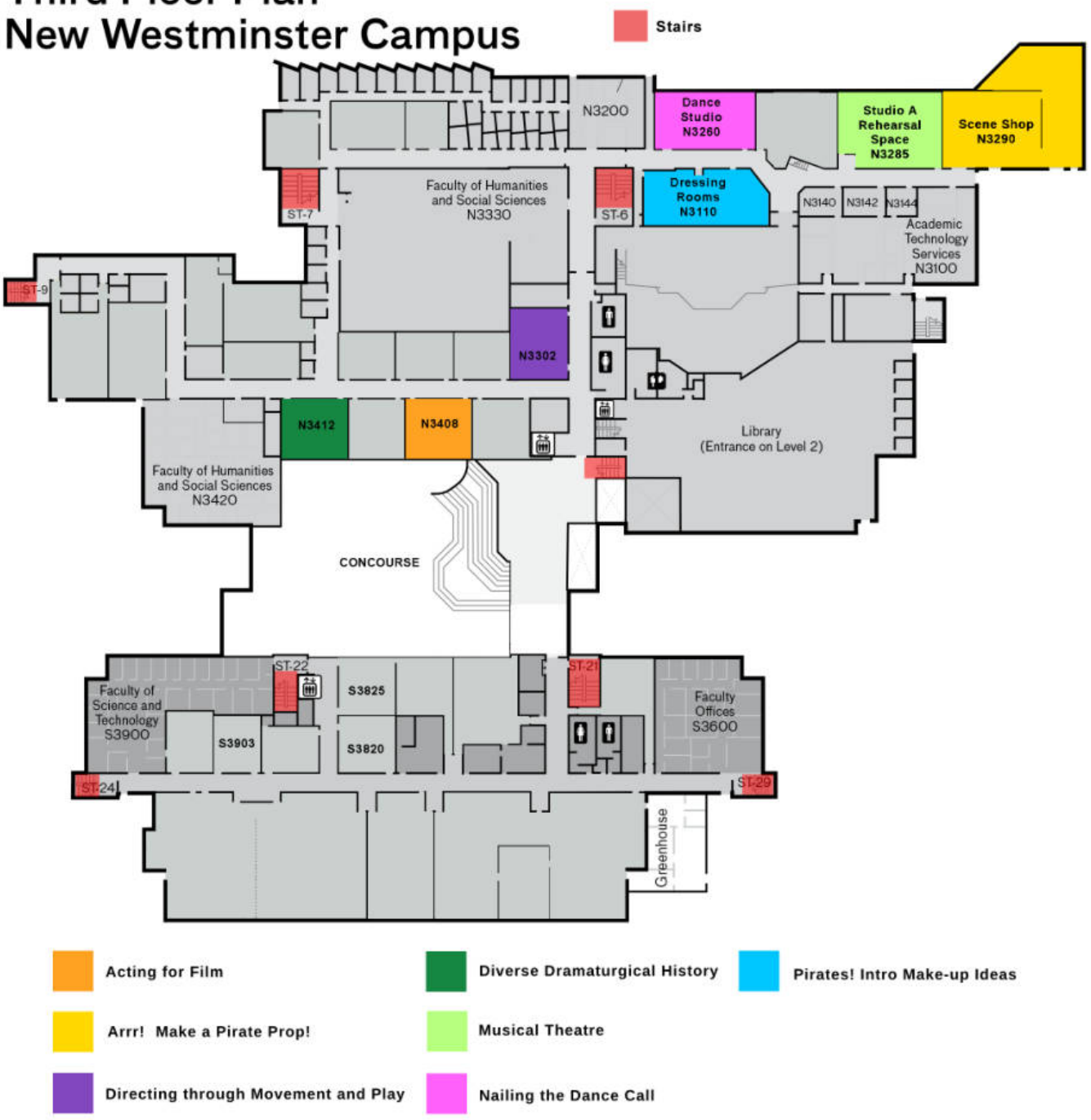
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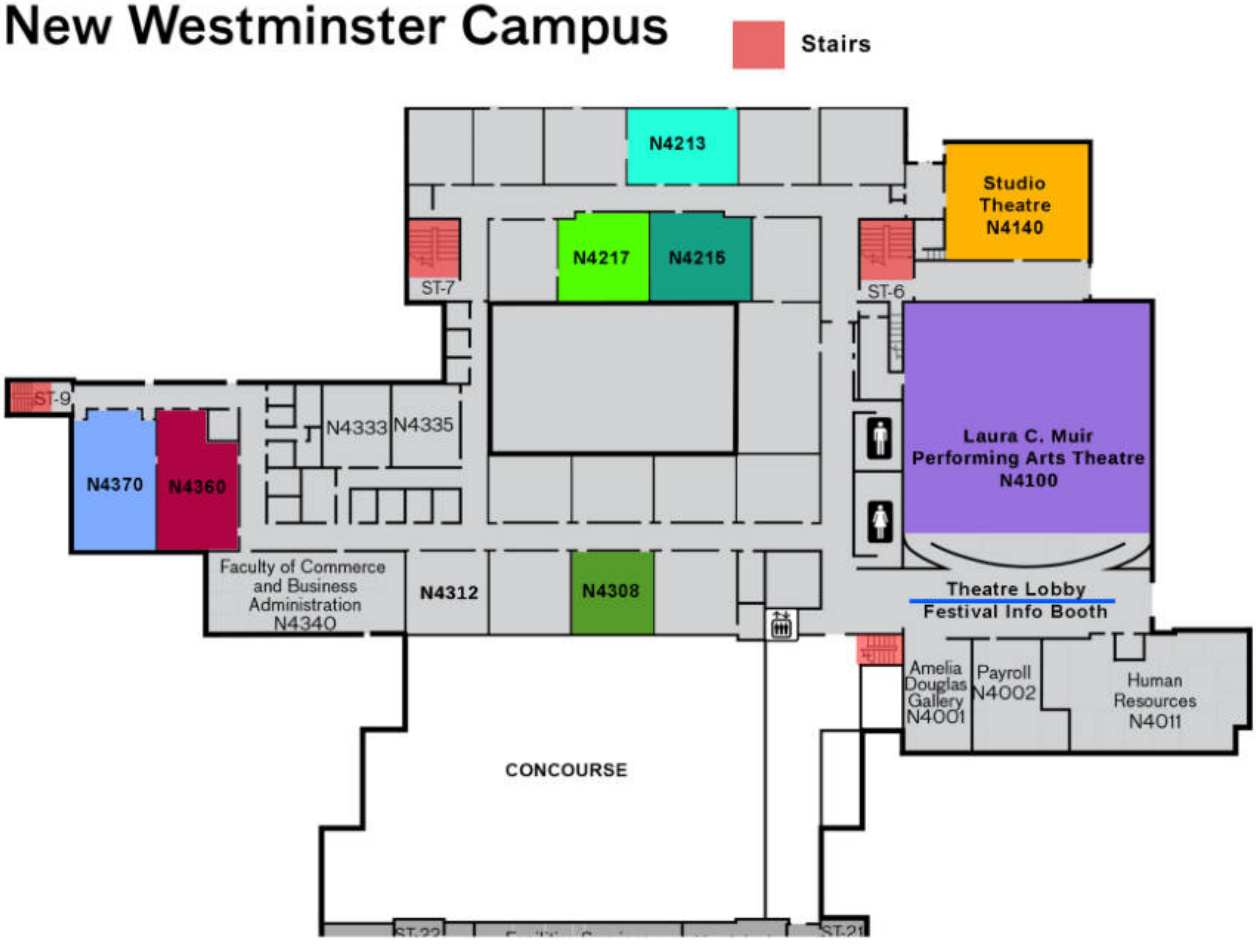
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Third Floor Plan
New Westminster Campus



Douglas College Campus Floor Plan

Fourth Floor Plans
New Westminster Campus



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- Contemporary Costume Design
- Improvisation: Learning through Play (Friday)
- Intro to Motion Capture (Saturday)
- Introduction to Voice Acting
- Living the Circumstances with Crosspoints
- Moving Stories
- Professional Readiness
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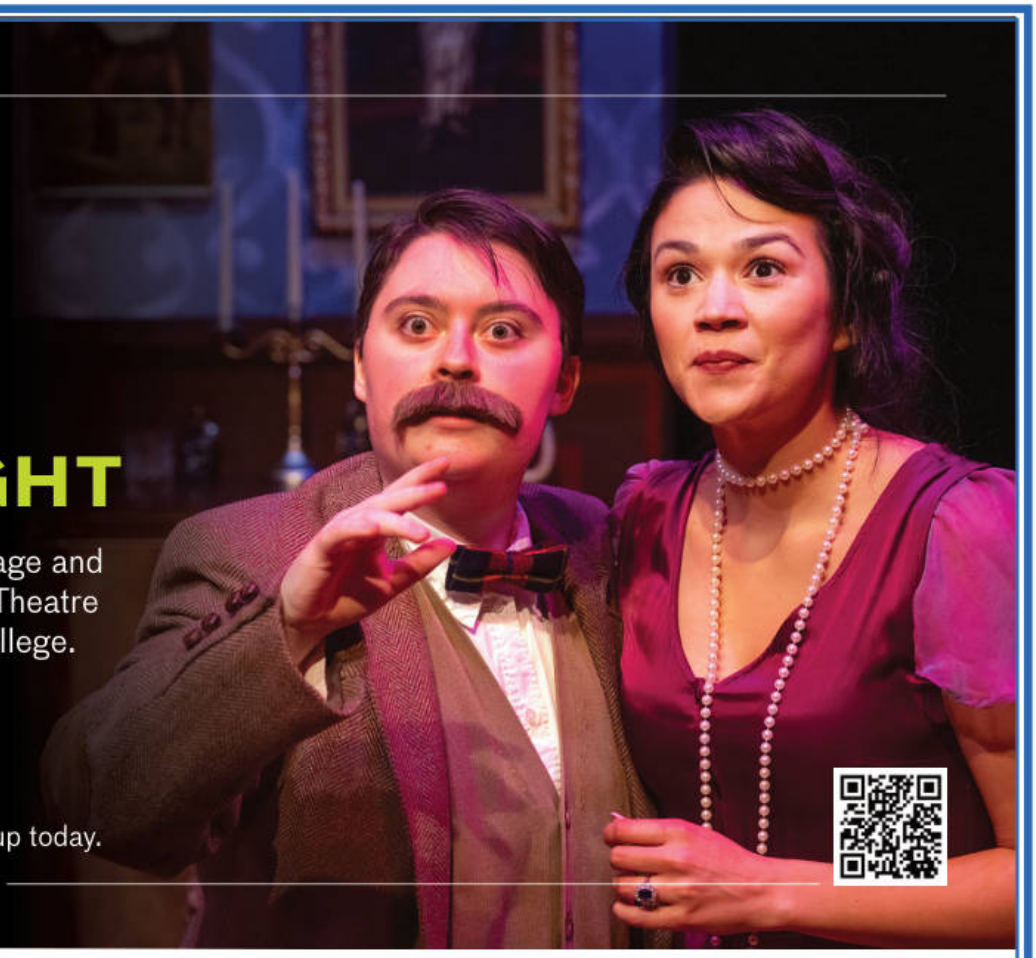
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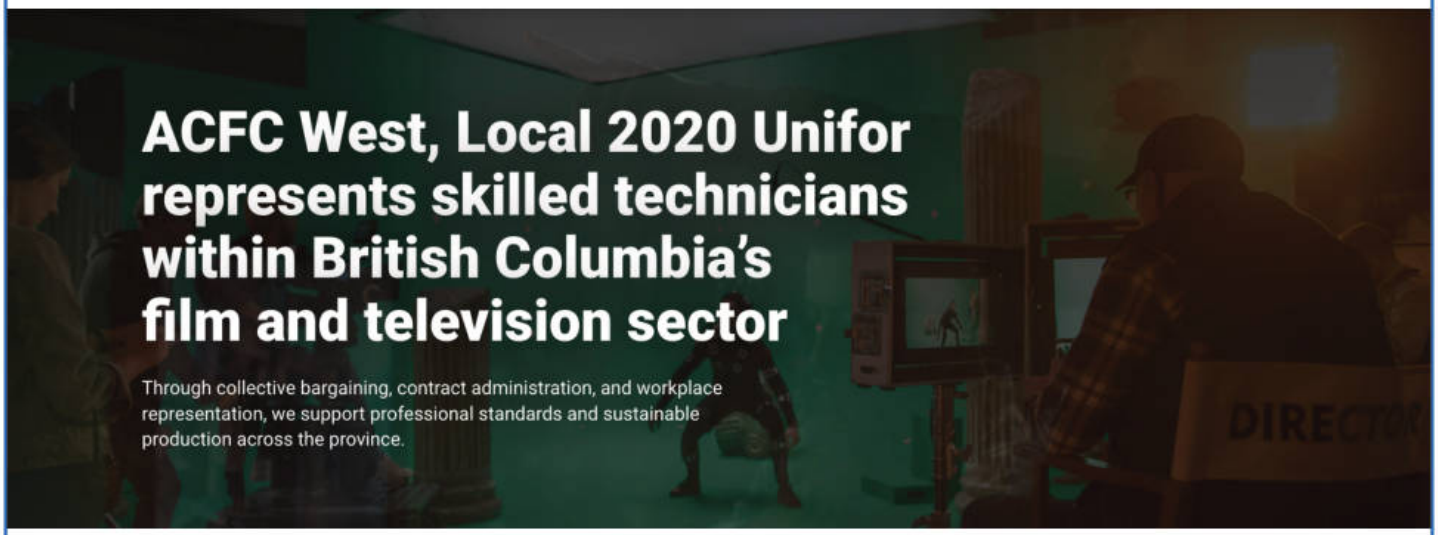
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