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ABOUT THE RSC DREAM TEAM 2016 PLAYMAKING FESTIVAL

In this very special anniversary year which marks the 400th anniversary of Shakespeare's death, over 1,600 young people are performing in Stratford-upon-Avon as part of the RSC Dream Team 2016 Playmaking Festival. Schools from Warwickshire and across the UK bring their unique versions of *A Midsummer Night's Dream* to The Other Place and The Dell open air theatre as the culmination of a year-long RSC Education project celebrating the nation's best-loved play. This project compliments *A Midsummer Night's Dream: A Play for the Nation* which is performing in the Royal Shakespeare Theatre until 16 July – find out more at www.rsc.org.uk/dream.

RSC Dream Team 2016 Schools were able to pitch for a slot in our very first Playmaking Festival here at The Other Place; over 50 have been chosen to take part. We are welcoming students from many different regions in the country, from Newquay to the Lake District, and the productions bring a spirit of inventiveness and mischief that is a perfect match for the spirit of The Other Place; from gender-swapping *Mechanicals*, to full scale puppet versions of *Titania and Oberon*. The productions also celebrate the diversity of the UK with five different languages used across this two-week festival of work. This is Shakespeare through young people's eyes – a wonderful thing to experience and enjoy.

Erica Whyman, Director, The Other Place

MONDAY 27 JUNE 2016 THE OTHER PLACE

10am – 10.30am – Alveston C of E Primary School
12pm – 12.30pm – Bishopton Primary School
3pm – 3.30pm – The Kingsley School
5pm – 5.30pm – Stratford Girls' Grammar School
7pm – 7.30pm – St. Paul's Catholic College

TUESDAY 28 JUNE 2016 THE OTHER PLACE

10am – 10.30am – Lapworth C of E Primary School
12pm – 12.30pm – Lea Manor High School
3pm – 3.30pm – Corley Centre Coventry
5pm – 5.30pm – St. Paul's C of E Primary School
6.30pm – 7pm – Lings Performing Arts

WEDNESDAY 29 JUNE 2016 THE OTHER PLACE

10am – 11am – Woodside C of E Primary School
12.30pm – 1pm – Hillmorton Primary School
3.30pm – 4pm – Y Bont Faen Primary School
5.30pm – 6pm – Studley High School

THURSDAY 30 JUNE 2016 THE OTHER PLACE

10am – 10.30am – Bridgetown Primary School
12pm – 12.30pm – Newburgh Primary School
3pm – 3.30pm – Hampton Lucy C of E Primary School
5pm – 5.30pm – Stratford-upon-Avon College
6.30pm – 7pm – Simon de Senlis Primary School

FRIDAY 1 JULY 2016 THE OTHER PLACE

10am – 10.30am – Stratford High School
12pm – 12.30pm – Freshford Primary School
3pm – 3.30pm – George Fentham Endowed School
5pm – 5.30pm – Sir John Sherbrooke Junior School
6.30pm – 7pm – Shipston High School

MONDAY 4 JULY 2016 THE OTHER PLACE & THE DELL

10am – 10.30am – Ashford School
12pm – 12.30pm – Aylesbury High School
3pm – 3.30pm – Suffolk New College
5pm – 5.30pm – Bluecoat Academy
5.45 – 6.15pm – Stratford-upon-Avon Primary School – **THE DELL**
6.15pm – 6.45pm – Homewood School – **THE DELL**

TUESDAY 5 JULY 2016
THE DELL

11am – 11.30am – Vandyke Upper School
12pm – 12.30pm – Widden Primary School
1.30pm – 2pm – Crook Primary School
3pm – 3.30pm – Centre Academy East Anglia
5pm – 5.30pm – Cherry Grove Primary School

WEDNESDAY 6 JULY 2016
THE OTHER PLACE & THE DELL

10am – 10.30am – Lings Primary School
12pm – 12.30pm – The Kingswood Secondary Academy
3pm – 3.30pm – Clarendon Academy
5pm – 5.30pm – Clifton Primary School
5.45pm – 6.15pm – Loughborough Grammar School – **THE DELL**
6.30pm – 7pm – Dowdales School – **THE DELL**

THURSDAY 7 JULY 2016
THE OTHER PLACE & THE DELL

10am – 10.30am – Treviglas Community College
12pm – 12.30pm – Abington Vale Primary School
3pm – 3.30pm – Penrice Academy
5pm – 5.30pm – Ormiston Sudbury Academy
5.45pm – 6.15pm – Nelson Mandela School – **THE DELL**
6.30pm – 7pm – Kingswood Academy – **THE DELL**

FRIDAY 8 JULY 2016
THE OTHER PLACE & THE DELL

10am – 10.30am – Great Yarmouth College
12pm – 12.30pm – Wilsthorpe Community School
3pm – 3.30pm – SS Osmund Andrews RCP School
5pm – 5.30pm – St. Joseph and St. Theresa Catholic Primary School
5.45pm – 6.15pm – The Croft Preparatory School – **THE DELL**
6.30pm – 7pm – Chandlings School – **THE DELL**