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**A MIDSUMMER NIGHT DREAM OPENS JUNE 22<sup>nd</sup>**  
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**OUTSTANDING ARTISTS TAKE TO THE STAGE IN  
A Midsummer Night's Dream**

Opens June 22<sup>nd</sup> runs to July 16

By **William Shakespeare** Director **David Ferry**

Set and Lighting Design by **Glenn Davidson** Costume Design by **Meghan Bennett**

Featuring **Don Allison, Art Hindle, Christopher Morris, Alon Nashman, Irene Poole, Cara Ricketts,**  
and **Jamie Robinson**

With **Maev Beaty, Tim Campbell, Lisa Codrington, Robert Dunsmore-Van Wart, Brendan Gall,**  
**Chris Sas, and Stuart Wiber**

With the acting company arriving in Newmarket this Saturday, Resurgence Theatre Company prepares to open this year's York Shakespeare Festival with **A Midsummer Night's Dream** on June 22<sup>nd</sup>. After three weeks of rehearsals in Toronto, the outstanding cast of Resurgence alumni and newcomers touch down in Fairy Lake Park this Saturday for the last days of preparation before dazzling audiences with their **Dream**.

Resurgence's Artistic Director **David Ferry's** unique interpretation of this classic is the perfect example of the vision and talent that earned him 10 Dora Mavor Moore nominations this year alone for his productions of *The Last Days of Judus Iscariot* and *Hank Williams: The Show He Never Gave*. Again joined by Set and Lighting Designer **Glenn Davidson** (nominated for Best Designer and Best Lighting Designer) the creative team is promising magic amidst the trees in Fairy Lake Park this summer.

**LOVERS, ACTORS, FAIRIES, ROYALS WEAVE A DREAM IN THE MIND OF A CHILD**

Among the ensemble are Gemini Award winner **Art Hindle** (*Bottom*), rising talents **Jamie Robinson** (*Oberon*), **Cara Ricketts** (*Titania*) and **Lisa Codrington** (*Puck*), and Resurgence alumni **Christopher Morris** (*Lysander*) and **Irene Poole** (*Hermia*). **Ms. Poole's** sensational performance in Resurgence's *Much Ado About Nothing* earned her critical acclaim by audiences. A Dora Award Winner and current nominee for Best Actress, **Poole** will be featured later this summer in *Talley's Folly* along with the brilliantly funny **Alon Nashman**.

**Mr. Nashman** lead's the Players in **Dream** in the role of *Peter Quince*, and is joined by **Don Allison** (*Egeus/Robin Starvling*), **Brendan Gall** (*Flute*), **Chris Sas** (*Snug*), and **Stuart Wiber** (*Snout*). Finally exceptional performances by, **Maev Beaty** (*Hermia*), and **Tim Campbell** (*Demitrius*) ensure this **Dream** is not to be missed. Join our *Changeling Child* (**Robert Dunsmore-Van Wart**) as he dreams our **Dream** this summer.

**JOIN THE DREAM ON JUNE 22<sup>nd</sup> – PRESS TICKETS AVAILABLE**

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Consulting Artistic Director David Ferry

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