

Denver Public Schools 26th Annual

Shakespeare Festival 2009-2010 Beginning Our 2nd Quarto!

Tentative Schedule for the Shakespeare Seminar Wednesday, November 4th, 2009

CELEBRATING OUR TWENTY-SIXTH YEAR, BEGINNING OUR SECOND QUARTO!

We are using Workshop Fees for all Presenter, Handouts and Food. No Budget Money is spent on these activities.

**DON'T MISS OUR GREAT SEMINAR ON NOVEMBER 4TH AT CEC FROM 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM ON:
THE DYNAMICS OF SHAKESPEARE !**

sem-i-nar n: a single session, often one-day meeting devoted to presentations on and discussions of a particular topic, at an advanced or professional level.

9:00 – 9:30 a.m. - Continental Breakfast w/ Danish, Muffins, Juice, Coffee, Tea, Fruit

Room 212 –214 - General Session - Information on the Black Swan Boutique, the fantastic Silent Auction and the Free Gourmet Buffet at the Shakespeare Reception – Terri Freund

[See the DCPA site, eShakespeare for information and forms Beginning Our Second Quarto:

<http://eshakespeare.dcpa.org/> Call Tam Frye (303.446.4897) if you want your name entered, or Email tfrye@dcpa.org Forms on site <http://shakespeare.dpsk12.org>].

9:30 - Shakespearean Warm-ups Using Othello: The DCTA'S "ACTivating" Shakespeare led by Hilary Blair, Allison Watrous, Tam Frye

10:30 - Living History Scene Performance of a scene from Shakespeare's OTHELLO: Casio & Iago. Actors: Jake Walker, Michael Kane.

10:45 - Short Break

11:00 - Othello Living History Analysis into Hot Seat Exercise led by Jake Walker, Michael Kane, Jamie Ann Romero, Marti Steger

11:30 - Shakespearean Court Dance – 30 minutes taught by Laurence Curry

12:30 - 1:25 pm - Gourmet Lunch in the Eliot Street Café, 1st floor of the CEC.

(If you wish to tip for excellent service, place it in the Tip Jar at the Cashier's.)

**Chef Tom Bruce, Hostess Antje Sliger, Pastry Chef Steven Fling and Assistant John Walker
MENU: A Mixed Green Salad & House Dressing, Fettucine Alfredo with Roasted Chicken
(or Vegetarian Plate with vegetables.) Homemade Rolls, Butter and choice of Tea or Coffee.**

RSVP with your choice of Menu, so they have ingredients on hand.

[Fettucine (feto ch ēnē (also fettucini) noun, pasta made in ribbons.]

**Steven Fling's Traditional Othello Cake. A Chocolate Cake, with coffee liqueur and hazelnuts,
With chocolate frosting on a finely decorated plate.**

**Go directly to the Café at 12:30 pm and return to 212 quickly
for the next session at 1:40 pm.**

1:40 – 2:40 pm – Session to be arranged.

2:40 – 2:50 pm- Short Break

2:50 – 3:50 pm – Tim Grant will present methods of performing the language of the Renaissance in the Original Canon and blocking for maximum effect.

3:50 – 4:00 pm - General Session if needed for Questions and Answers

I have some books, posters, recordings etc. in the Arts Resource Room, 3rd Floor South at Fox St. for Shakespeareans to check out to use in classrooms. Call Christa Taylor, 720.423.8112 for information & hours.

Don't forget the Steering and Coordinator's final meeting on February 2nd, 2010 at CEC in Room 212 from 8:30 am until 11:30 am. I will try to get you out so you only use a half-day. Every participating school must have a representative present in order to be in the Festival. All forms will be handed out. Sample Shirts will be available for \$14 for S-XL and \$16 for XXL. See Ann, Dennis or Terri to buy whatever you need.

Shakespeare Guides are available if you need one @ \$25. It includes updates and forms for 2010. You do not need one if you have an old one. Forms will be available at the February Mandatory meeting and on the Internet Sites. All checks should be made out to Shakespeare Festival and sent to Joe Craft at 1330 Fox Street, Denver 80204, Ph 720.423.8278 or Fax 720.423.8279. E-mail joe_craft@dpsk12.org Call & I will have the Guides ready for 11/4/09. They will have a CD of all the music found in the music section. All forms will be sent to you in January via E-Mail if you need them. You may also copy them from <http://eshakespeare.dcpa.org/> or <http://shakespeare.dpsk12.org>. If you want to access the eShakespeare site, the login is your name, [first initial then last all small letters with no space. If you can't get in, use jcraft in a pinch. Poster at left. Shirt design is taken from a section with 7 favorite posters displayed.

**USE STREETS IF LOTS ARE FULL! NO SMOKING ON THE CAMPUS
USE THIS FORM AS YOUR INVOICE AND TO RSVP WITH NAMES
SEND YOUR CHECK FOR \$30.00 FOR EACH ATTENDEE MADE
OUT TO SHAKESPEARE TO: JOE CRAFT, 1330 FOX STREET 2ND
FLOOR SOUTH, 80204. PHONE 720.423.8278, FAX 3720.423.8279 OR
SEND AN EMAIL TO THE SCHOOL ADDRESS: joe_craft@dpsk12.org**

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The 2009-2010 Seminar location is The Fred N. Thomas Middle College and Career Education Center, 2650 Eliot Street from 8:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. in Room 212 on Wednesday, November 4, 2009, including presenters, handouts, Continental Breakfast with Fruit, Coffee or Tea, a Gourmet Lunch in the Eliot Street Café, located on first floor, and a magnificent new dessert and entertainment, for only \$30.00 each.

Please send your check for \$30 to Joe Craft at Fox Street, made out to Shakespeare Festival, for RSVP to the workshop by 10/19/09 or ASAP. I am limiting it to approximately 60 participants. You are welcome to experience this exciting venue, including interested friends and visitors. Please call me soon and give me names of all the attendees and their Menu choice. Parents are welcome to attend, as is for those who will be directing scenes and working with the students or just seeking more information and collegiality. **Please register by name so I can keep track and specify Regular Menu or Vegetarian. If you have any dietary restrictions, indicate below so I can inform the Chef at CEC.** Menu selection _____

Name _____ Restrictions? _____

RECEIPT (duplicate if necessary)

Received from _____ School,

\$ _____ registration fee for _____

attending the Shakespeare Seminar **THE DYNAMICS OF SHAKESPEARE!**
November 4th, 2009 at CEC, 2650 Eliot Street, Room 212, 8:30 am - 4:00 pm.

Signed J. Joe Craft, Festival Director _____