

# NEWS

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Thespians at The Evergreen State College will welcome the coming of Spring May 7, 8, and 9 with four presentations of William Shakespeare's best-loved comedy "A Midsummer Night's Dream".

The first entirely student produced and directed show in Evergreen's history, "A Midsummer Night's Dream" will be presented at 8 p.m. all three days and in a special 2 p.m. matinee May 8. Admission to the productions, which will be staged on the fourth floor of the Evans Library, is \$1 for the general public and 50¢ for students.

Directed by Laurel White, an Olympia graduating senior, the play offers a lively and romantic plot touching on the "wonders of love, both mutual and unrequited", and involves a bit of magic, fairy mischief and a night in the Athenian woods.

Cast in the production are David Couch and Peggy Knapp in double roles as Thesus/Oberon and Hippolyta/Titania, respectively; Peter Clausen as the mischievous fairy Puck, and Geof Alm, as Bottom and as the Athenian handyman. Young lovers are played by J.C. Wills, Cheryl Wickland, Len Carr and Betsy Wellings. Susan Sill of Raymond is assistant director and John McLaughlin has designed and constructed the set.

Advance tickets are available at the Evergreen Bookstore, Rainy Day Records and Yenny's Music Center. Tickets will also be available at the door.

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