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May 29, 2009

**ORLANDO SHAKESPEARE IN PARTNERSHIP WITH UCF – SUMMER ACTIVITIES
AT ORLANDO SHAKES!**

Bring the whole family to see SNACK

Associate Board Wine Tasting

Special Broadway Cares/Equity Fights AIDS Benefit -- One Night Only

Summer Camps

Benefit Orlando Shakes by dining out at Cuba Libre

SNACK - June 4 - 14

**A PB&J THEATRE FACTORY PRODUCTION PRESENTED BY ORLANDO
SHAKESPEARE THEATER**

SNACK is a fun filled romp through the world of food in which a soda jerk tries to win his love with the perfect cup of coffee, a hungry businessman goes on a quest for satiation, and some unruly bananas go... well, bananas! Fun for the whole family, food has never been so funny!

Dates & Times

Thurs., June 4 at 7 p.m.

Fri., June 5 at 7 p.m.

Sat., June 6 at 7 p.m.

Sun., June 7 at 2 p.m.

Thurs., June 11 at 7 p.m.

Fri., June 12 at 7 p.m.

Sat., June 13 at 2 p.m. & 7 p.m.

Sun., June 14 at 2 p.m.

Location

John & Rita Lowndes Shakespeare Center

812 E. Rollins Street

Orlando, Florida 32804

Pricing

\$15 Tickets

\$12 Seniors, Students & Groups

\$55 Family Snack Pack - Perfect for a Family of Four, includes: four sodas and two king-size candy bars

Call the box office for tickets at 407.447.1700

Purchase Tickets online at www.orlandoshakes.org

WINE TASTING FROM AROUND THE WORLD WITH THE ASSOCIATE BOARD

Orlando Shakespeare Theater Associate Board is hosting its SUMMER WINE TASTING in just 22 days!

Date & Time

Thursday June 25th
6-8 PM

Location

Total Wines
2712 East Colonial Drive
Orlando, FL 32803

Pricing

\$20 for nine wine, beer and spirits stations in addition to great appetizers from local restaurants. Discounts and special savings will be available during the event on featured brands. AND all the proceeds go to benefit the Orlando Shakespeare Theater!

Go to www.orlandoshakes.org for more information!

BROADWAY CARES/EQUITY FIGHTS AIDS AT ORLANDO SHAKES -- ONE NIGHT ONLY!

The Orlando Shakespeare Theatre will host a one-night benefit for Broadway Cares/Equity Fights AIDS with a presentation of this year's Fringe hit, ***ELEGIES for ANGELS, PUNKS, and RAGING QUEENS***. Presented by Checkerboard Productions.

One Performance Only!

Sunday, May 31, 2009
8 p.m. -- Mandell Theater

Location

John & Rita Lowndes Shakespeare Center
812 E. Rollins Street
Orlando, FL 32803

Pricing

\$10 -- CASH ONLY AT THE DOOR

Reservations can be made by calling Checkerboard Productions: 407-403-0266
Please do not call the Shakespeare box office to reserve!

Broadway Cares/Equity Fights AIDS (BC/EFA) is the nation's leading industry-based, not-for-profit AIDS fundraising and grant making organization. BC/EFA is the on-going,

committed response from the American Theatre community to an urgent worldwide health crisis. By drawing upon the talents, resources, and generosity of this community, BC/EFA raises funds for AIDS-related causes across the United States. Since its founding in 1988, BC/EFA has raised over \$140 million for critically needed services for people with AIDS, HIV or HIV-related illnesses.

SUMMER CAMPS FOR ALL AGES - RUNNING JUNE 8 - AUGUST 9

Our camps take each student on a personal journey through the world of Shakespeare. All camps conclude with a public performance.

Contact

Bob Dolan, Education Director at 407.447.1700 x 208 for information and registration or visit the website at www.orlandoshakes.org

CUBA LIBRE

Cuba Libre Restaurant and Rum Bar is offering OST patrons a special opportunity a special coupon will allow you to donate 20% of your entire party's food purchase to Orlando Shakespeare.

Cuba Libre is located at:

Pointe Orlando

9101 International Drive

Orlando, FL 32819

407-226-1600

www.cubalibrerestaurant.com

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