

CYGNET COMPANY WORKING WITH SCHOOLS

Patron: Peter Brook
Autumn 2011

JACK and THE BEAN STALK & other tales

For the fourth year running the Cygnet Company is delighted to present a half term treat of classic folk tales retold and simply staged.

When Jack's cow Milky White has to go to market he trades her for a sack of magic beans and so his adventures begin.....

Using traditional storytelling and playful physicality the Cygnet ensemble will take you on a journey into the weird and wonderful world of Classic Tales.

The harmonious way in which the actors related to each other was brilliant!
Mark Lovett - St David's Primary School, Exeter - *Just So!* 2009

October 27, 28 at 2pm October 29 at 11am & 2pm All tickets £5



For all Junior Schools:
Please tell
parents and children

MY VERY OWN STORY

Alan Ayckbourn

Directed by Alistair Ganley

Percy has a tale to tell. He has the contract, the props and the right theatre! But so does Peter! And so does Paul! Whose *Very Own Story* will we hear? And what will it be?

Alan Ayckbourn's delightful family play gives us all three tales, told with witty banter, comic situations and a wonderful fairytale ending. Join the Cygnet Company for a jolly playful Festive treat.

December 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 at 7.30pm January 4, 5, 6, 7 at 7.30pm
Matinees December 3 & 10 at 2.00pm January 7 at 2.00pm

Tickets £10 (£8, £6) Matinee all tickets £7 School Groups 10+ £5



PANTO alternative
Suitable Age 7 +

AS YOU LIKE IT

William Shakespeare February 2012

Directed by Amanda Knott

Shakespeare's delightful romantic comedy is brought to life in a zesty new production by Amanda Knott.

Banished by Duke Frederick, Rosalind and Celia disguise themselves and escape to the Forest of Arden. Romantic adventures ensue as they meet a love-lorn shepherd, a love-struck shepherdess as well as a melancholy lord and finally find true love with Orlando and Oliver.

An accessible and enchanting introduction to Shakespeare at Key Stage 3 or for study from GCSE to A2

February 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 at 7.30pm

Schools matinees, pre-show workshops and post-show discussions also available

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The Cygnet Company work to create accessible and truthful productions of classic and modern texts with a wide appeal. The company of actors, drawn from across the UK and internationally, work at the New Theatre on a three year programme exploring all aspects of theatre and performance. Cygnet has offered a nationally recognised professional training in the heart of Exeter since 1980.



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