

Living Shakespeare Course 30 July to 2 August 2024

This is a timetable of events for which arrangements have been made by the Shakespeare Birthplace Trust. Classes will last approximately one hour unless indicated otherwise.

The venue for the course is Hall's Croft in Old Town, Stratford-upon-Avon. Please enter via the far right hand door.

Tuesday 30 July

- 1.30 pm Doors open
- 2.00 pm Welcome and introduction to the course with Dr Nick Walton (Shakespeare Birthplace Trust)
- 2.10 pm 'Mary and Anne and Susanna, and Judith and Joan, and Elizabeth, and Will' a talk by Rev. Dr Paul Edmondson (Shakespeare Birthplace Trust)
- 3.00 pm Refreshment break
- 3.30 - 4.30 pm Pre-performance talk on *Pericles* by Dr Jennifer Waghorn (Shakespeare Birthplace Trust)
- 7.30 pm Performance of *Pericles* at the Swan Theatre
[ticket optional]

Wednesday 31 July

- 10.00 am Group post-performance discussion on *Pericles* chaired by Dr Jennifer Waghorn
- 11.00 am Refreshment break
- 11.30 am RSC Q&A session on *Pericles* chaired by Dr Jennifer Waghorn
[subject to actor availability]
- 12.30 pm Lunch - own arrangements
- 2.00 - 3.00 pm Pre- Performance talk on *As You Like It* by Dr Darren Freebury-Jones (Shakespeare Birthplace Trust)

5.00 pm Performance of *As You Like It* at The Holloway Garden Theatre
[ticket optional]

Thursday 1 August

10.00 am Group post-performance discussion on *As You Like It* chaired by Dr Darren Freebury-Jones

11.00 am Refreshment break

11.30 am Visit to 'Hidden Voices: The Lives of The Women Who Made Shakespeare' exhibition at Shakespeare's New Place - *bkg. ref. SHL-HD8-GBDC*

12.30 pm Lunch - own arrangements

2.00 pm 'Shakespeare to Stanislavsky and Beyond: the Craft of Acting' with Dickon Tyrrell (Actor)

3.00 pm Refreshment break

3.30 - 4.30 pm Pre-Performance on *The School for Scandal* with Dr Gill Day (Independent Scholar)

7.15 pm Performance of *The School for Scandal* at the Royal Shakespeare Theatre [ticket optional]

Friday 2 August

10.00 am Post-performance discussion on *The School for Scandal* chaired by Dr Nick Walton

11.00 am Refreshment break

11.30 am RSC Q&A session on *The School for Scandal* chaired by Dr Nick Walton [subject to actor availability]

12.30 pm Course ends