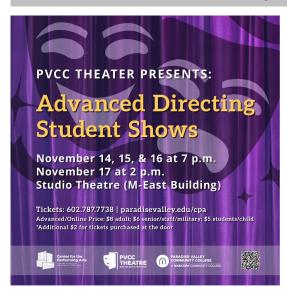
## Paradise Valley Community College Theatre Department





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Director: Carson Hayes, Billie Kurth & Jessica Parsons

Auditions for: The JoJo Show, Farmtastic, & The Gentlemen Players Present: The Fights of Shakespeare

October 1, 2024; 6:30pm-8:00pm

Callbacks: October 2, 6:15pm-8:30pm

Where: Studio Theater Building M-East 18401 North 32nd Street,

Phoenix, AZ 85032

## **Contact:**

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**Casting Protocol**: Go to www.paradisevalley.edu/theatre and select Auditions from left menu. Sign up for an audition time slot

**Prepare:** Auditions are cold read monologues. Monologues will be available.

Rehearsals Begin: Week of October 7 – rehearsal times vary per show.

**Performance Times:** November 14, 15, 16 @ 7:00pm and 17 @ 2:00pm

## Play Synopses:

The JoJo Show by Carson Hayes, Directed by Carson Hayes

Plot Summary: Jojo has an uncontrollable ability to shift into different realities. Some new, some old, some involving a mysterious woman. When he is forced to deal with a daunting realization that leaves him feeling hopelessly anxious, he will need to find the strength in himself to be self aware enough to move forward.

**JOJO** - 20's. Unorganized Dennis Reynolds type, first priority is the sarcastic bit.

TANNER - 20's. Go with the flow, caricature Stoner friend

JOJO'S MOM - 40's. A wise mother who knows a thing or two, because she's seen a thing or two

THE WOMAN IN RED - 20 - 30's. A snarky, mysterious guide.

## FARMTASTIC! By Billie Kurth, Directed by Billie Kurth.

Plot Summary: Two pregnant couples and a single-mom-to-be on their overnight stay at Mama Clementine's FARMtastic Pregnancy Retreat get acquainted with each other and the farm, go through physical and emotional hardships, learn from the holistic and free spirited Mama Clementine, and take part in fun dynamics in the group.

MAMA CLEMENTINE- 46 year old woman, hippie-dippie, free spirited, runs the pregnancy farm retreat where this play takes place, one with the animals, pregnancy expert

RUBY- 30 year old woman, 36 weeks pregnant, @ this retreat alone, soon to be single mother, very positive and great to be around, a family and friend oriented girl

BECKETT- 33 year old man, JUNE's husband of 10 years, always worried about JUNE, loves his wife, known JUNE since childhood, wholesome dude

JUNE- 35 year old woman, BECKETT's wife of 10 years, pregnant with twins, 17 weeks along, known BECKETT since childhood, very comfortable with BECKETT

**HALLIE**- 26 year old woman, RAYELIN's wife of 3 years, can have an attitude/jealousy, influencer, 13 weeks pregnant, obsessed with RAYELIN

**RAYELIN**- 26 year old woman, HALLIE's wife of 3 years, influencer, has a confident and masculine energy, obsessed with HALLIE

The Gentlemen Players Present: The Fights of Shakespeare by Jessica Parsons & Zachary Ross, Directed by Jessica Parsons

Plot Summary: The Players are sharing their love of Shakespeare's stories with the audience through some of the bard's most infamous fights. Along the way they learn from each other and Shakespeare's characters about the power of staged violence to demonstrate love, power, and revenge.

**PERSON 1:** An experienced swordsperson of multiple styles with a general understanding of Shakespearian verse. Quick witted and slightly pessimistic, he loves to fight but he hates to lose.

PERSONS 2 & 3 are precast