

# 12/13

Secondary  
School  
Performance  
Series

The sound of students' voices, excited murmurs and enthusiastic clapping has been heard throughout The Burlington Performing Arts Centre's halls since the fall of 2011. This year's thought provoking theatre and musical spectacle are not only relevant to The Ontario Curriculum, but will challenge, delight and inspire!

*"I see Green Thumb less as a theatre for young people and more as a theatre for formative minds."*

– Morris Panyah

## Out in the Open

by Green Thumb Theatre, BC  
Mon December 3, 2012 at 10 AM  
Recommended Grades: 7-8, 9-12

Adam convinces Stephen, his best friend, to go on a camping trip. When the two boys get lost, their lighthearted banter turns serious and Adam reveals a big secret. The play isn't simply about homophobia, but rather a surprisingly humorous and candid look at the complicated truths of teenage relationships and social pressure.



### Curriculum Connections:

- Character education, empathy and equity
- Social justice, social pressure
- Friendship and the role of relationships in youth

## Helping People Change Behaviour Talk Back Session

The Burlington Performing Arts Centre is proud to partner with j wallace of the Halton District School Board's Equity and Inclusive Education Team to provide students with an opportunity for open and constructive dialogue concerning issues of homosexuality, gender identity, equity and social justice. Immediately after the performance of "Out in the Open," j wallace will conduct a talk-back session that encourages students to explore and express their own experiences in a thoughtful and safe environment where everyone is respected and no judgment is implied.

Recommended Grades: 7-8, 9-12

Duration of Workshop: 60 minutes

Availability: Immediately after performance Monday, December 3, 2012

Price: Free with purchase of "Out in the Open" ticket

Additional Workshops: Limited in-school workshops can be arranged upon request (Additional fee may be applied)

## Scrap Arts Music

Vancouver, British Columbia  
Fri March 8, 2013 at 1 PM  
Recommended Grades: 4-8, 9-12

The Scrap Arts Music quintet bursts onto the stage with ingenuity and astounding musicality. They transform recycled materials from accordion parts to artillery shells into more than 100 unique musical sculptures. The intoxicating mix of movement and spectacle takes musical invention and environmental consciousness to new heights.



### Curriculum Connections:

- Musical improvisation and composition
- Creative use and recycling of found objects
- Movement as it integrates with sound

## The Golden Ticket Program!

The Burlington Performing Arts Centre with the generous support of The Ontario Trillium Foundation is thrilled to initiate our Golden Ticket Program. This program will provide free tickets to students who would otherwise be unable to attend a performance.

The Centre and our neighbouring district school boards are committed to ensuring that all students who want to experience the theatre will have the opportunity. If you are interested in this program and would like more information contact [churchillj@burlington.ca](mailto:churchillj@burlington.ca). Together let's give a student a Golden Ticket to experience the best in the performing arts!



# Stage Your Future: Developing the Next Generation of Arts Industry Professionals

## Co-operative Placements

The Burlington Performing Arts Centre is a hub of cultural activity for Burlington and the surrounding communities and it is imperative that we engage our community's youth about the exciting and rewarding careers available in the performing arts. Starting in the fall of 2012, The Burlington Performing Arts Centre will be offering a minimum of one co-operative placement each semester with our Technical Crew (production, light and sound) with possible options in additional departments.

Co-op Placements are recommended for:

- High School students with an interest in a career in the cultural industry
- Special High Skills Major's (SHSM) in the Performing Arts

Dates: Fall 2012 and Winter 2013

## Production, Sound & Light: A Technical Workshop

This workshop is an exciting opportunity for students with an interest in theatre production to learn and engage hands-on with professional theatre equipment under the guidance of The Centre's highly skilled technical team. Students will work together in small groups and travel through informative and interactive stations showcasing: production, sound, and light, and leave with a greater understanding of the important role of a theatre technician.

The Technical Workshop will help students' gain:

- An understanding of what is involved in putting on a theatre production from the point-of-view of a Theatre Technician
- A practical knowledge of sound & light equipment
- The opportunity to meet and interact with BPAC's Theatre Technicians
- Insight into the career of a Theatre Technician
- A rare backstage tour of The Burlington Performing Arts Centre

First Semester Date: Thursday, November 1st, 2012 at 9:00am-12:30 pm

Second Semester Date: Tuesday, March 19, 2013 at 9:00am-12:30 pm

Price: \$5.00 per student

For more information contact  
The Education Outreach Department at  
churchillj@burlington.ca or  
905.681.2551 ext 6311



# Order Form

## SCHOOL PERFORMANCE SERIES 2012-2013

All shows are 55-60 minutes in length (Q&A to follow)  
All shows are in the Main Theatre. Cost: \$9.50/student

### Out in the Open

- Monday, December 3, 2012 at 1 PM Performance
- Monday, December 3, 2012 at 2 PM Talk Back  
Session with j wallace

### Scrap Arts Music

- Friday, March 8, 2013 at 1:00 pm

### Workshop

- Production, Sound & Light: A Technical Workshop

Name of School: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Booking Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Booking Contact Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Students Attending:

\_\_\_\_\_ x \$9.50 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Grades of Students Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Teachers/Volunteers Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Buses: \_\_\_\_\_

**Note:** Upon receipt of your Order Form, the Education Outreach Coordinator will contact you to confirm all details and payment.



## 4 Ways to Book Your Tickets!

Contact: Joanne Churchill, Education Outreach Coordinator

1. Phone: 905.681.2551 Ext. 6311

2. Fax: 905.681.6002

3. Email: churchillj@burlington.ca

4. Mail: Send your order form to:

The Burlington Performing Arts Centre

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