

Junior Bancroft Players Report for the AGM Wednesday 3rd July 2024

The Juniors are successfully running two groups now. One group meeting on Saturday mornings and the other group meeting on Monday evenings. There are 37 children across the two groups.

The Saturday morning group performed a modern version of “Romeo and Juliet” in February this year, selling out on the Friday evening.

The Monday evening group performed a traditional, all female version of “A Midsummer Night’s Dream”, playing to good houses both nights.

Both groups are combining to perform a short end of season showcase in the studio in July, consisting of a selection of monologues and physical theatre with a short opening dance.

Following on from last year’s Summer Workshop we are very well subscribed again this year. The workshop runs Monday to Friday 10am to 3.30pm for one week during the school holidays, with a performance on the Friday for friends and family.

We have a healthy waiting list that should fill the places of those moving up to “Ensemble” from both groups.

Thanks to everyone who has supported the Juniors this season.

Big thanks to Christine and her team for two absolutely stunning sets. It is really appreciated by myself and the children who definitely step up a level once they have such an amazing set in place. Also thanks to Chris and the Tech Team for their tech support and for creating a fabulous forest lighting design for “A Midsummer Night’s Dream”, which the children were amazed by. It makes such a difference to them to have such a professional set and lighting experience.

Huge thanks to Leanne and Evie, Oscar and Imy for all their wonderful help and commitment.

Thanks also to those who come and help during the production week and for those who support the Juniors by coming to see the shows which is so very very much appreciated.

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