GENTRAIN SOCIETY SPECIAL EVENT



Romeo and Juliet

Shakespeare Santa Cruz

The Grove at DeLaveaga Park

Santa Cruz, California

Sunday, August 19, 2018, 1:00 p.m.

\$85 Per Person

Next Gentrain Society Theater Trip Announced

Our next Gentrain Society play trip will be to the beautiful outdoor theater in Delaveaga Park in Santa Cruz on **Sunday, August 19, 2018**, to see Shakespeare's *Romeo and Juliet* at a **1 p.m.** matinee performance.

Romeo and Juliet is one of Shakespeare's most popular and oft-performed plays. It is perhaps the most beautiful play about young love in the English language, created during the "lyrical period" of Shakespeare's career, which also included Richard II and A Midsummer Night's Dream. But it is also about growing up, in both archetypal ways and in the particular circumstances of a deadly feud between powerful families in Verona; and it is in the context of their warring families that the young lovers must try to negotiate the difficult passage from adolescence to maturity. Finally, it explores some of the mysterious connections between love and death.

As always, Grant Voth will provide a class on *Romeo and Juliet*, in LF101 from 1 to 3 p.m. on Friday, August 17, designed to enhance understanding and enjoyment of the play.

The bus will leave the MPC Parking Lot B on Fishnet Road at 10:30 a.m. The plan is for each participant to bring their own picnic lunch (including wine) to enjoy the Grove prior to the 1:00 p.m. performance. The Grove has very limited lunch concessions available.

The cost is \$85.00 per person which includes bus transportation, play ticket, and the class given by Grant Voth prior to the event. Please make your check payable to the "MPC Gentrain Society" and mail to Wayne Cruzan, 75 Via Chualar, Monterey, CA 93940. Please put your telephone number on your check. Questions? Call Wayne at 831-375-2371.