North Lakes Actors perform at QPAC

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YOUNG NORTH LAKES STARS will eloquently step out of the classroom and onto the stage as part of ASPA-FTV's production of *LA LA Land... Not all those who wander are lost. –J.* R.R. Tolkien. The show debuts on the 21st June at the Cremorne Theatre QPAC.

Students from the North Lakes Creative Theatre Production class who meet every Thursday Night at the North Lakes State College will co- star alongside five other ASPA-FTV ensemble groups form across Brisbane.

The show is an eclectic collaboration of six short plays, each encompassing an original interpretation of the title *LA LA Land... Not all those who wander are lost.* – *J* R.R. Tolkien

Teacher/Director Talia Rowley has been guiding the North Lakes Cast over the past few weeks as they begin the creative process, which starts by creating the script.

"Students have had the opportunity to interpret the title and come up with a group devised theme to which each script will be organically devised from" Talia said.

"This is a unique and innovative experience for our young actors as it exposes them to the many aspects of the Performing Arts Industry. Actors rarely have the opportunity to be involved in the script writing process so this is an industry first for our young creatives" she said.

The North Lakes Cast has developed an interesting take on the title.

"After a few weeks of brain storming the group decided to set their play amongst the chaos of a kooky hair salon. The characters; A group of high school kids, have landed themselves an internship at a local hairdresser. However, this salon has come straight out of LA LA Land; from its weirdly wonderful hair-do's to the creatively kooky staff- this place is proving to be anything but normal!" Talia said.

Tickets will be available from the QPAC Box Office and group tickets can be arranged for school and community organizations.

"We are really trying to get support from the Community this year" Talia said.

"So much hard work and dedication goes in to our performances from the scripts to the costumes, to the stage set and lighting design, We want the wider community to see what can be done when a group of passionate kids put their minds to it – with a little help from our Teachers and Crew she said.

Students keen to get involved in this creative journey with ASPA-FTV have one more week to enrol. Other courses are also available for all levels of experience.

For more information please contact Director Renata Einhaus on 0432055966



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