

NEWS RELEASE

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Theatre at CUE Presents...

This fall Theatre at Concordia is excited to share *Haroun and the Sea of Stories* adapted for the stage from Salman Rushdie's award-winning children's novel by Tim Supple and David Tushingham.

This fantastical tale follows Haroun on a quest to save his father's gift of story. He travels from a city so ruinously sad that it has forgotten its name to the mythical moon of Kahani where the streams of story begin. On his journey, Haroun befriends many wondrous creatures and faces the dark forces of silence. *Haroun and the Sea of Stories* is a celebration of imagination, storytelling and freedom of speech. The production is ideal for families.

The production is directed by Caroline Howarth, Concordia's Chair of Fine arts. Costumes are by Betty Kolodziej who has created wonderful costumes for numerous productions around Edmonton including many for CUE and Opera Nuova. The production design is by Concordia's multi-talented Technical Director Josiah Hiemstra.

Haroun and the Sea of Stories features student performers and production crew from the drama program and across the Concordia community.

The performances will take place in the newly refurbished Al and Trish Huehn Theatre. We are very pleased to acknowledge the generous donation of the Huehn family to Concordia's drama program. The opening night performance will include the dedication of the theatre and a reception hosted by CUE's Alumni Association following the show.

Show Times:

Friday, October 28 at 7:30
Theatre Dedication before the show and Alumni Reception after the performance
Saturday, October 29 at 7:30
Sunday, October 30 at 2:00
Friday, November 4 at 7:30
Saturday, November 5 at 7:30
Sunday, November at 2:00

Al and Trish Huehn Theatre
Concordia University of Edmonton
73 Street & 111 Ave

Tickets Available from Tix on the Square
and at the Door
Adults: \$ 20
Students & Seniors: \$ 15
Group pricing available on request

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