## Marin Shakespeare's Teen Touring Company 2023 Presents

# William Shakespeare's HAMLET



Director/ Adaptor: Elana Kepner

Assistant Director/ Stage Manager: Lillian-Rose Wichman

Fight Director: Jamin Jollo

Costume Designer: Luisa Frasconi

Set Assistance: Jodi Branham, Jason Coale

Marin Shakespeare Company Managing Director: Lesley Currier

Fight Captain/ Weapons: Gus Wiltsee

Set Crew: Hyacinth Taylor, Rio Lindner

Costume Crew: Calla Hollingsworth, Zoe Haas-Tate

**Prop Crew:** Tillie Solomon

Poster Design: Gus Wiltsee, Tillie Solomon

Special Thanks to Jon Tracy



<u>Setting:</u> The Royal Court of Denmark, Elsinore Present Day

The play runs 50 minutes without an intermission.

There will be a 10 minute Q & A with the actors at the end of the performance.

#### Cast

#### (in order of appearance)

HORATIO, Friend to Hamlet Hyacinth Taylor

HAMLET, Prince of Denmark Calla Hollingsworth

MARCELLUS, an Officer Zoe Haas-Tate

BERNARDO, an Officer Tillie Solomon

GHOST of Hamlet's Father, Gus Wiltsee

Late King of Denmark

CLAUDIUS, King of Denmark,
Brother to the Late King

GERTRUDE, Queen of Denmark, Rio Lindner

Hamlet's Mother

LAERTES, Elder Daughter of Polonius Zoe Hass-Tate

POLONIUS, Lord Chamberlain Hyacinth Taylor

**OPHELIA,** Younger Daughter of Polonius Tillie Solomon

ROSENCRANTZ, Classmate of Hamlet Tillie Solomon

GUILDENSTERN, Classmate of Hamlet Zoe Haas-Tate

PLAYER KING, an actor in Zoe Haas-Tate

"The Murder of Gonzago"

PLAYER QUEEN, an actor in Hyacinth Taylor "The Murder of Gonzago"

GRAVEDIGGER Tillie Solomon

OSRIC, a Courtier Tillie Solomon



# **Director's Notes:**

What an amazing adventure working with this small, but incredibly mighty group of talented young actors on Shakespeare's most famous play. With their curiosity, they have brought these 400 year old characters to life in a gorgeous and relevant way. Thank you parents, family and friends for supporting our cast during the process. And thank you to all of our tour audiences for sharing the magic of live theatre with us. "The play's the thing..."

- Elana Kepner, March 2023



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We acknowledge the Coast Miwok people, on whose unceded lands this organization resides.