

2018-2019 Programs Education Annual Report

FOR STUDENTS & TEACHERS

Our team of **40 teaching artists** reached **47 schools** during the 2018-2019 school year.

4 TEACHING ARTISTS

The teaching artists are energetic and knowledgeable about their subject.

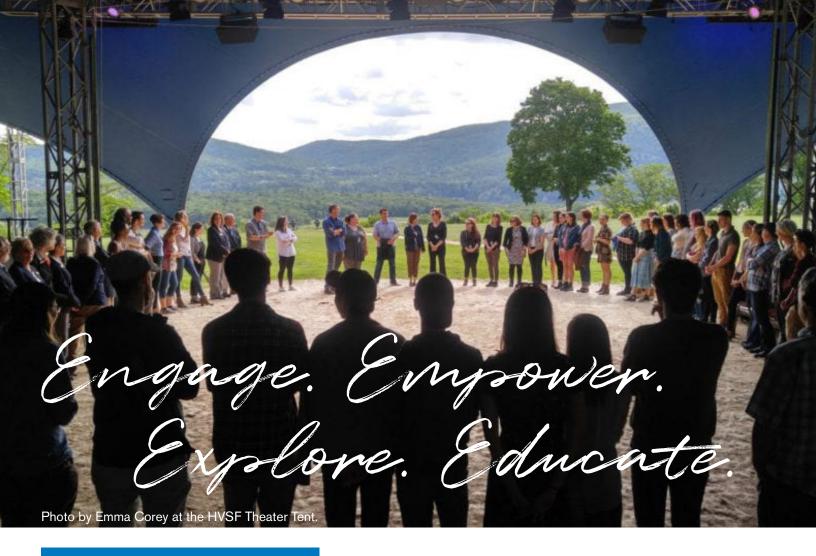
Ms. Sanderson,
8th Grade Teacher
at Port Chester Middle
School

7 SCHOOLS
REACHED IN
THE 2018-2019
SCHOOL YEAR

Excellent classroom experience...Outstanding energy and facilitation.

Ms. Hannigan,9th & 10th Grade Teacherat Peekskill High School





HVSF EDUCATION 2019

The Education Department at HVSF provides year-round programming. For schools and communities this year, we reached over **20,000 students**, teachers, community members, and families.

Love working with HVSF! I can't imagine teaching Shakespeare without it.

Ms. Schleifer,9th Grade Teacher atYonkers Montessori Academy





It will make my future readings of Shakespeare easier to understand.

Erin H.,9th Grade Student at Peekskill High School

ABOVE RIGHT: Teaching artist Monica Jones Diaz at Riverside High School. Yonkers, NY. Photo by Ross Corsair.

LEFT: Students at Haldane Middle School. Cold Spring, NY. Photo by Ross Corsair.

SHAKESPEARE WORKSHOPS & PERFORMANCES

53

WORKSHOPS

31

IN-SCHOOL **PERFORMANCES**

16,000+

STUDENTS SERVED

We provided 53 workshops that served over 6,000 students. Our 5-day Shakespeare residency program reached 20 schools. Our workshops reached elementary schools, middle schools, high schools, colleges, and universities in the tristate area.

We provided 31 in-school performances that served over 16,000 students. Every performance was accompanied by additional resources such as the JULIUS CAESAR Study Guide and a live talk back with the cast.

SCHOOLS & UNIVERSITIES SERVED IN 2018-2019:

Arts High School

Beacon High School

Bell Middle School

Bronxville Middle School

Bryam Hills High School

Bulkeley Middle School

Chester Elementary

Edgemont Jr/Sr High School

Farragut Middle School

Fox Lane Middle School

H.C. Crittendon Middle School

Haldane Middle School

Hastings High School

Howard B. Mattlin Middle School

JC Arts High School

John Jay High School

Lakeland High School

Lourdes High School

Manitou School

Masters School

Mercy College

Mt. Pleasant Blythedale

Nanuet High School

New Rochelle High School

North Hunterdon Regional High School

North Shore Hebrew Academy

Orville Middle School

PEARLS Hawthorne School

Peekskill High School

Plainview Old-Bethpage Middle School

Port Chester Middle School

Schecter Middle School

Seven Bridges Middle School

Sleepy Hollow High School

Snyder High School

St. Barnabas High School

USMA - West Point

White Plains Middle & High School



PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



We provide year-round training opportunities for professional development such as our Teachers' Institute and Teacher Resource Workshops.





We hosted

37

professional theater artists over the course of three days at our 2018 annual Teaching Artist Training.





For Communities & Families

We offer pre- and post- show engagement activities throughout the summer at the HVSF tent.



It gives me great pride to see my daughter take ownership of the works of Shakespeare. She feels at home under the tent.

Cristi Marchetti,HVSF Audience Member

RIGHT: Cristi and her daughter. Photo by Tony Brickner.

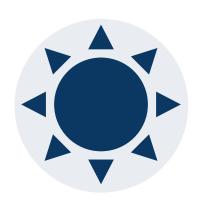
FAMILY NIGHT

250+

People attended two Family Nights, featuring free interactive workshops and audience enrichment materials



SHAKESPEARE SUMMER CAMP



Our two weeks of Shakespeare Summer Camp served 45 campers with workshops taught by professional theater artists.





TOURING PRODUCTION: JULIUS CAESAR



1,000+

audience members booked tickets for two free matinee performances of JULIUS CAESAR. We provided additional enrichment materials, created for all-ages.



12

touring performances at community venues throughout the tristate area.



2,300+

people throughout the region saw the touring performance.





FREE FRIDAY NIGHT PROLOGUES

13
FRIDAY NIGHT PROLOGUES

Friday Night Prologue discussions served 400+ patrons with 20+ speakers, ranging from cast members, directors, dramaturgs, professors, authors, and more. Including...

Jason O'Connell, Playwright and Company Member

Benjamin Dreyer, author of *Dreyer's English*, presented with Split Rock Books

Christine Scarfuto, Acting Director of the MFA Playwriting Program at Hunter College

Dr. Seth Herbst, Assistant Professor of English, West Point

Martine Green-Rogers, President of LMDA and SUNY New Paltz Associate Professor of Theatre Arts

THANK YOU TO OUR SUPPORTERS

The Hudson Valley Shakespeare Festival extends a warm thank you to all of our supporters for their generosity. With this support, HVSF is able to provide arts education opportunities with students and members of the community many of whom experience Shakespeare and live theater for the very first time at HVSF.

We wish to thank every person who chose to raise their paddle at our Gala or buy a raffle ticket this season. 100% of these proceeds support HVSF Education and Engagement Programming.

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