



Feast of food, wine, and theatre

CAFE Shakespeare at Forest Hill Vineyard is billed as a feast of theatre, food and wine. Simon Clarke will direct the Albany-based youth performance company, Southern Edge Arts, in a show which includes a dinner from 6.30pm on Sunday, March 1.

For an insight into the inspired prose and vibrant performance one should imagine Hamlet wearing his cap backwards and reciting: "To be or not to be?" to an Eminem backing track.

Likewise Romeo and Juliet meeting for the first time online: "Romeo is now friends with Juliet Capulet", "is no longer listed as single".
"All the world's a stage"

Shakespeare mused, never dreaming how literally Bollywood would take him.

The atmosphere at Café Shakespeare is 400 years old.

Fire-casters, jugglers, stilt walkers, acrobats, actors, musicians, food and festivities make up the mix for this relaxed

dinner and show event.

While some performers tumble and roll or bend over backwards to entertain, others fuse the athleticism and poetry of Shakespeare's language with their own cultural references, brilliance and wit.

Some even manage both at the same time.

Southern Edge Arts presents Café Shakespeare with the Perth International Arts Festival - Great Southern and as a Taste Southern event.

