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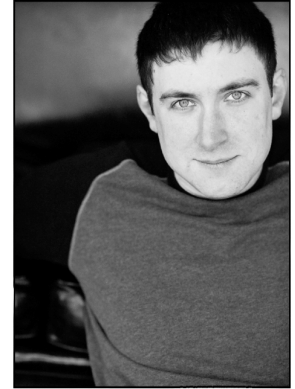
April 2008



A Grand Adventure!

J.J.R. Tolkien's **The Hobbit** takes the stage as Carousel Theatre brings the classic novel to Granville Island this April.

Bilbo Baggins, Gandalf and a band of dwarves lead by Thorin Oakenshield (played by the fearless actor/superhero **Stefano Giulianetti**) embark on a perilous journey through Middle-Earth to reclaim a treasure trove of gold from the dragon, Smaug. On the way they face many obstacles and challenges as they meet Gollum and goblins and trolls (Oh my!).



Jessie Award-Winning Actor Stefano Giulianetti plays Thorin in Carousel Theatre's The Hobbit

The impressive cast includes **Kristian Ayre** (as the Hobbit), **Craig Erickson**, **Stefano Giulianetti**, **Josue Laboucane**, **Ashley Liu**, **Tamara McCarthy**, **Parnelli Parnes** and **Luc Roderique** and is directed by **Jack Paterson**. An epic staging not to be missed!

The Hobbit plays at the **Waterfront Theatre** on Granville Island **April 11th to May 3rd, 2008**. To order tickets for a public performance, call the Carousel Theatre box office at **604.685.6217**

HOBBIT PUBLIC PERFORMANCES

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					Apr 11 7:00pm	12 2:00pm 7:00pm
13	14	15	16 7:00pm	17	18 7:00pm	19 2:00pm 7:00pm
20	21	22	23 7:00pm	24	25 7:00pm	26 2:00pm 7:00pm
27	28	29	30 7:00pm	May 1	2 7:00pm	3 2:00pm 7:00pm

PARK THE VAN!

Stefano Giulianetti and the cast of Axis Theatre's The Emperor's New Threads are putting the touring van in park for a while after logging many kilometers and an impressive list of accomplishments. The exceptional team (performers **Stefano Giulianetti**, **Josue Laboucane**, **Tanya Podlozniuk** and Stage Manager **Dorothy Jenkins**) boasts **four Jessie Award nominations** with **two wins** for *Outstanding Design* and *Ensemble Performance* and 210 performances to over 50,000 children and adults across BC in just over a year. Locally the show played the Vancouver East Cultural Centre (twice!) earning Giulianetti glowing reviews:

"A winning combination of hyperkinetic and clumsy" - Kathleen Oliver, Georgia Straight.

Their hard work and spirited energy has also earned the production nationwide notoriety that has translated into a seven-month tour across Canada in the fall. News about whether or not the coveted cast will be returning to the show has not yet been released.

BASIC FACTS

Height
Ideal

Weight
Perfect

Hair
Sultry

Eyes
Dreamy

Age
Flexible

Demeanor
Striking

Smile
Winsome

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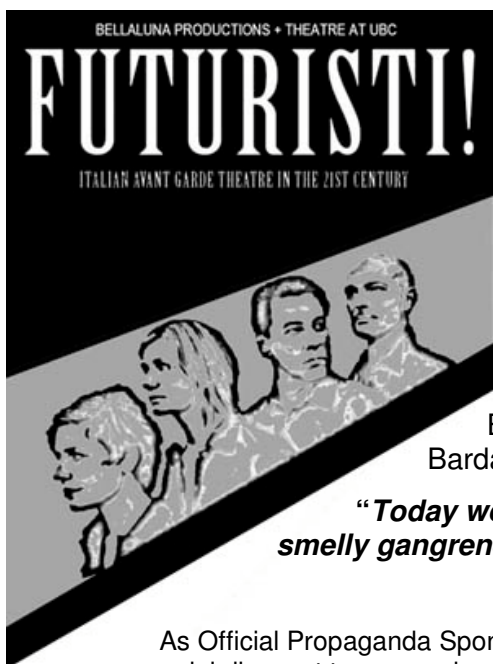
FUTURISTI!

Theatre at UBC and BellaLuna Productions are pleased to announce seven evenings of Italian Futurist Theatre.

BOLD MANIFESTATIONS, AVANT GARDE EXPRESSION, ABSURDIST COMEDY, PROVOCATIVE REALISM...



**STEFANO GIULIANETTI:
MODERN FUTURIST**



...all combine to provide an unforgettable evening of theatre.

After full houses and great acclaim

last October, BellaLuna triumphantly returns Futuristi! to the

Frederic Wood Theatre **May 31st to June 7th, 2008** at 8pm.

"**FUTURISTI!**" brings the Avant-Guard Theatre of Italian Futurism to the modern stage 100 years since its revolutionary beginnings. With theatre *SINTESI* [short, explosive playlets] newly translated from the original 1909-1939 Italian texts, BellaLuna takes the audience on an unpredictable exploration of the modern era.

The stellar cast includes the BellaLuna core ensemble (Susan Bertoia, Louis Chirillo, Stefano Giulianetti, Marco Soriano), Beverly Bardal, Joe Procyk, Kris Tung, Astrid Varnes and more.

"Today we establish futurism, because we want to free this land from its smelly gangrene of professors, archaeologists, and antiquarians."

– F.T. Marinetti, from The Manifesto of Futurism as published in Le Figaro (1909).

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For reservations, call the Theatre at UBC Box Office at **604-822-2678**

The Touring-est Italian Variety Show – EVER!

Ever since The Best Italian Variety Show – EVER! first hit the stage in 2005 audiences all over BC have been asking for a second helping! So this past March BellaLuna served up two sold-out shows in Vancouver at **Winterruption Festival** on Granville Island and an encore booking at **Wild at Art Festival** in Squamish. This larger-than-life comic variety show features comedians, game shows, masked characters, sexy dancers, opera divos and hosts bigger than their own egos – all created and performed by the BellaLuna Ensemble (Susan Bertoia, Louis Chirillo, Stefano Giulianetti, Marco Soriano).

The show has delighted Italian and non-Italian audiences alike in Trail, Kamloops, Campbell River East Vancouver and North Burnaby. Look for upcoming dates next season, as BellaLuna will be hitting the road once again!

Famous Commedia Proverb: "The best way to predict the future is to help create it."

BellaLuna Productions
Artistic Director, Susan Bertoia
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BellaLuna Core Ensemble:
Susan Bertoia, Louis Chirillo,
Stefano Giulianetti, Marco Soriano