



MEDIA ADVISORY

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OLD-TIME THEATRE OVERLOOKING THE OCEAN *Shakespeare's Love's Labour's Lost will be performed at Point Fermin Park*

WHEN: Thursday – Saturday, June 18-20, 2009 8:00 p.m. each night

WHERE: Point Fermin Park 807 Paseo Del Mar, San Pedro

WHAT: Opening weekend for the second of two plays at the 12th annual Shakespeare by the Sea presentation. ***Love's Labour's Lost*** will be performed; "It's love versus reason and all bets are off in this bold and bawdy romp." ***As You Like It*** debuted June 11-13. The free performances are being given at a City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks facility and will continue at Point Fermin Park on Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays through July 11, with the plays alternating each night. All shows will begin at 8:00 p.m., with a pre-show program starting at 7:30 p.m. The productions will go on a tour of other Southland venues for three weeks, returning to Point Fermin Park for one more show each August 7-8.

VISUALS: Shakespearean era costumes, stage decorations, and atmosphere
The players giving energetic performances to delight the audience
A backdrop of the sun setting over the Pacific Ocean

TO GET TO POINT FERMIN PARK: Take the **110 (Harbor) Freeway** south to its terminus at Gaffey St. Exit there and take Gaffey St. south about three miles until it ends, at which point you will be at the entrance to Point Fermin Park. Parking is available there and the performance area will be visible. (*Thomas Guide page 853, grid B2*).

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