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HAMPTWORTH LODGE

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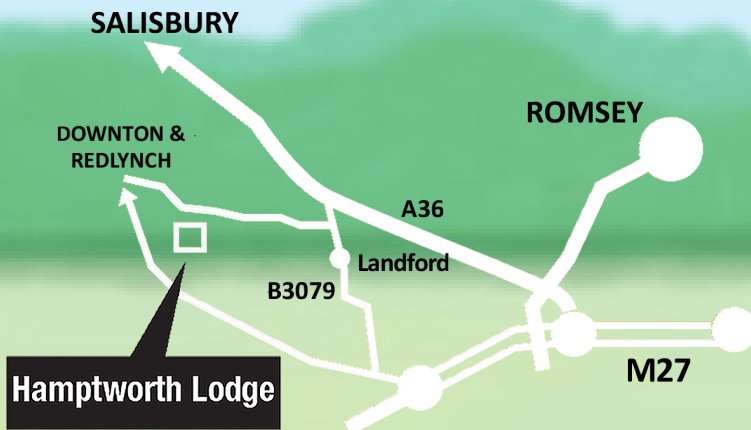
How to Get There...



From Junction 2 of the M27, take the A36 to Salisbury for 5.5 miles.

Turn left into Lyndhurst Road (B3079) for 0.42 miles.

Turn right into Hamptworth Road for 2 miles, following signs for Redlynch & Downton and passing the Cuckoo Inn.

The play will be signposted from here.



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'The Importance of being Earnest' is part of the Romsey Festival 2014

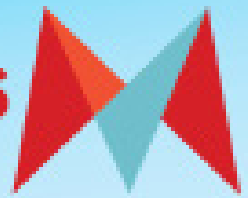


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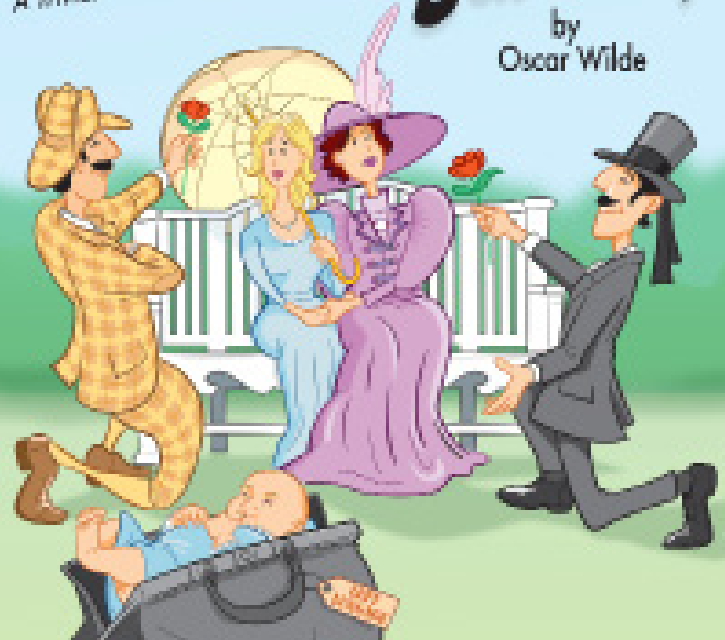
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A Trivial Comedy for Serious People

by
Oscar Wilde



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HAMPTWORTH LODGE

Landford SP5 2EA (between Romsey and Salisbury)

Wednesday 16 - Saturday 26 July 2014

At 7.30pm

Matinee Sun 20 July at 3pm

BOX OFFICE : 023 8071 1818

www.ticketsouth.co.uk

This is an amateur production

Reg charity no 900067

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Director Brian Stansbridge

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Oscar Wilde's '**The Importance of Being Earnest**' takes a big pointy stick of satire and jabs the ridiculous late Victorian upper classes squarely in the ribs. It is undoubtedly Wilde's funniest work and every single joke is at the expense of the petty snobbery, social mores, ludicrous slavery to fashion and gullibility of the idle rich. You won't be laughing with these ludicrous characters – you will be laughing at them – over and over and over again.

The play is set against the backdrop of the beautiful gardens and terrace of **Hamptworth Lodge**. Come early, bring a picnic and enjoy a hilarious theatrical experience.

Ticket Prices

Wednesday 16	7.30pm	£10
Thursday 17	7.30pm	£12
Friday 18	7.30pm	£15
Saturday 19	7.30pm	£15
Sunday 20	3.00pm	£15
Monday 21	No Performance	
Tuesday 22	7.30pm	£12
Wednesday 23	7.30pm	£12
Thursday 24	7.30pm	£12
Friday 25	7.30pm	£15
Saturday 26	7.30pm	£15

Group Bookings – 10% on 10 or more tickets
(except Friday and Saturday)

Disabled concession – contact box office
Students £10

Tickets Now Available

online at: www.ticketsouth.co.uk (Out and About)

by phone: **023 8071 1818**

group bookings: **023 8071 1812**

or in person from the **Mayflower Theatre Box Office** and
Romsey Heritage Centre, Church St, Romsey SO51 8DF

THIS IS AN OPEN AIR PRODUCTION

Patrons are welcome to picnic in the beautiful gardens of Hamptworth Lodge from 6pm (1.30pm on Sunday 20 July). You are advised to bring low back chairs, rugs etc., as **NO SEATING IS PROVIDED**. We suggest you also bring jumpers or coats, as it can get cold even on the warmest of evenings. Any decision to cancel a performance due to bad weather will not be taken until the performance start time; patrons may then be offered a ticket for another night. **NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN**. Hamptworth Lodge is a private home not generally open to the public and there is no public access prior to the performance dates. Ample free parking and toilet facilities will be provided with provision for disabled patrons. There is a short walk of approx. 100 metres to the performance area. Hot and cold refreshments will be available to buy. No unaccompanied children under 16. No dogs (except guide dogs). Note: We are not licenced to sell alcohol on site, but patrons are welcome to bring their own.

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