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Writing and Performing Residency Class Offered at Legacy Commons in Palmdale
by Will Geer Theatricum Botanicum

PALMDALE – The Will Geer Theatricum Botanicum’s Antelope Valley Theatre Program is offering a “Writing and Performing Residency” class on Thursdays now through Nov. 20 from 9:30 to 11 am at *Legacy Commons for Active Seniors, 930 E Avenue Q-9, Palmdale*

“Your life, your thoughts, your experiences----these are the makings of the most meaningful theatre,” said Outreach Coordinator Frank Weidner. “Work with Theatricum teaching artists to craft monologues/poetry from your own experiences. Pieces will be a performed at the Community Festival on Nov. 22 at the Antelope Valley College Performing Arts Theatre, 3041 W Ave K, in Lancaster.”

Participants must be 55 years or older.

Other classes offered by the Will Geer Theatricum Botanicum’s Antelope Valley Theatre Program include:

Elizabethan Dance Workshop

Thursdays, Oct. 30 thru Nov. 20, 12:30-2 pm

Legacy Commons for Active Seniors, 930 E Avenue Q9, Palmdale

Get on your feet and experience the elegant and exuberant dances of the Elizabethan Renaissance. A wonderful way to meet and get to know folks in your community!

Participants will perform a dance at the Community Festival on Nov. 22. Participants must be 55 years or older.

Fencing and Stage Combat Workshop

Wednesdays Oct. 22 thru Nov. 19, 3:30-5:30pm

Palmdale Oasis Recreation Center, 3850 E Avenue S, Palmdale

Work with Theatricum fight choreographers to learn the basics of stage fencing and combat. Parries, thrusts, foot stomps and nose tweaks --- fight and live to play another day! Participants will perform fights at the Community Theatre Festival on November 22.

All ages welcome---teenagers encouraged to participate.

There is a one-time enrollment fee of \$10 for the classes. To enroll in any of the classes below, email avtpreserve@gmail.com or call Outreach Coordinator Frank Weidner at 920/918-1706.

About the Will Geer Theatricum Botanicum:

The mission of the Will Geer Theatricum Botanicum is to elevate, educate and entertain audiences of all ages by presenting thought-provoking classics, socially relevant plays, and education programs in a beautiful, natural outdoor sanctuary for the arts. By passing on a sense of history to young people and adults alike, great works of art inform their present and inspire their future. A true renaissance theatre, we offer (at affordable prices) a diversity of programming from Shakespeare to poetry to folk music to the development of future playwrights – all to help understand the world we live in and to embrace our shared humanity.