



The Wait is Over—Welcome Back to the Rippon!

This summer, be part of the grand reopening of the Mary Rippon Outdoor Theatre. The historic charm of the Rippon is unchanged, but you'll enjoy upgraded audience amenities in the Hellem Building. Plus, we're staging two plays again in the newly renovated Roe Green Indoor Theatre. I can't wait to be back... and to see you there!

Tim Orr
Producing Artistic Director
Colorado Shakespeare Festival



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sheet for more details!**

Season tickets on sale starting **Oct. 27.**
Single tickets on sale starting **Dec. 1.**
The 2026 season opens on **June 7!**



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**COLORADO
SHAKESPEARE
FESTIVAL**

2026 Plays

MARY RIPPON OUTDOOR THEATRE

TWELFTH NIGHT

By William Shakespeare

Directed by Kevin Rich

All the classic elements of a Shakespeare comedy in one play: chaos, mistaken identity, a wise fool, love — and lots of laughs.

SHAKESPEARE IN LOVE

Based on the screenplay by Marc Norman and Tom Stoppard and adapted for the stage by Lee Hall, with music by Paddy Cunneen
Directed by Terri McMahon

Inspiration begets passion begets comedy in this witty, wise adaptation of the Oscar-winning film classic.

ROE GREEN THEATRE (INDOORS)

JULIUS CAESAR

By William Shakespeare

Directed by Shelly Gaza

Power, conspiracy and betrayal in ancient Rome become an intriguing reflection of contemporary politics.

FRIENDS/ROMANS/COUNTRYMEN

World premiere by David Davalos

Directed by Tim Orr

This world premiere finds the funny in “et tu Brute” and the Ides of March — after all, *Julius Caesar* wasn’t a tragedy for *everyone* involved.

Season Ticket Options

WEEKDAY WILL

All four main plays on any Tuesday through Friday. **25% discount.**

FULL SEASON PACKAGE

All four main plays, any date.
20% discount.

PICK 2 OR 3

Pick two or three main plays with no date restrictions. **15% discount.**

CHOICE 4+ or 6+

Selections from across most year-round CU Presents performances.
15% off for four or 20% off for six or more.

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A COLORADO TRADITION COMES HOME

Summer 2026



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WELCOME BACK!



IT'S THE MOMENT YOU HAVE BEEN WAITING FOR.

The Colorado Shakespeare Festival returns to the beloved Mary Rippon Outdoor Theatre. Opened in 1939, the Rippon has been lovingly refreshed and is ready to welcome you back to gather, to laugh, and to share theatre outdoors under the stars once again.

For nearly 70 years, generations of theatregoers like you have discovered the magic of summer nights in Boulder, with joy, romance, and drama unfolding in the shadow of the Flatirons. Summer 2026, we return to those roots and begin a new chapter with classic Shakespeare and daring new works. This season, we come full circle.

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2 Caesar 1:30p.m. 12N 7:30p.m.	MARY RIPPON OUTDOOR THEATRE Twelfth Night (12N) Shakespeare in Love (SIL) * Preview Performance			ROE GREEN THEATRE (INDOORS) Julius Caesar (JC) Friends/Romans/Countrymen (F/R/C)		