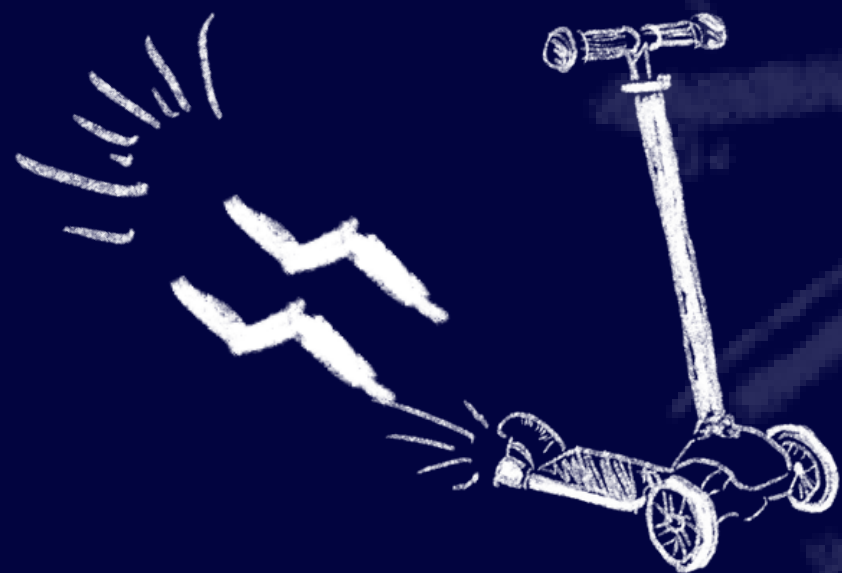


Scoot Theatre

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WHAT IS SCOOT THEATRE?



(By Artistic Director - Max)

Scoot is a not-for-profit rural touring theatre company. We specialise in family-friendly productions for audiences aged 5-19.

Scoot was my way of trying to get our local community back together again after months of being in lockdown.

OUR STORY



(By Max)

On a bike ride with my little boy in the first lockdown, we cycled past our local cricket club and it struck me that it could be the perfect venue for some outdoor theatre.

So that summer, our sixty-minute, family-friendly production of **A Midsummer Night's Dream** toured to 8 cricket clubs for 2 weeks, reaching 2500 people.



What People Say About Scoot

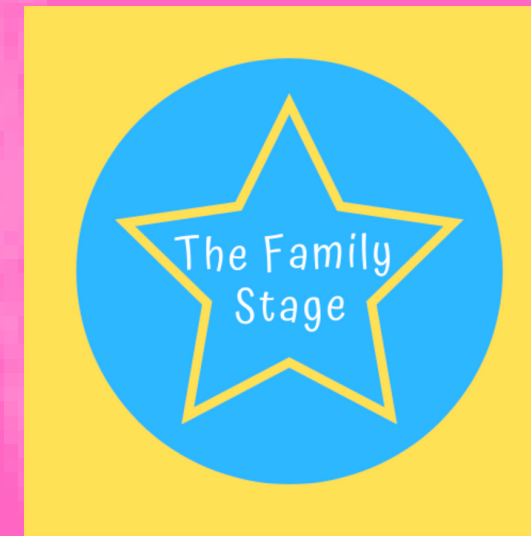


The Telegraph

"I loved it. Well played, perfectly pitched, alfresco production"



"There are lots of laughs to be had, a few cricket jokes and live music, which lends itself beautifully to both the play and the delightful setting."



"We can safely say that Scoot will surprise you...we're completely converted by their accessible adaptations which are unpretentious, silly fun."

"It was superb - excellent entertainment, great for adults and kids (as a great intro to Shakespeare) but can't recommend this enough."
AUDIENCE MEMBER

(Not my mum)

Reaching First-Time Audiences



Over **5000** people have now seen a Scoot show; a high percentage of whom are first time audiences **aged 5-18**.



We have big plans for the next few years and we are expanding our strategy for engaging young people with theatre in the South East.

Cricket Club

Shakespeare



This summer we will be producing a two-week tour of our sixty-minute, family friendly version of **A Midsummer Night's Dream** again and reaching a larger area of the South East.

So far we have been booking dates in:

Dorking, Walton-on-Thames, Headley, Farnham, Henley, the Isle of Wight, Bury St Edmunds, Chertsey, Banbury, Maidstone and Maidenhead, and we are aiming to reach **3500** people.



Scoot Youth

Interested in Performing Arts?

SCOOT

** open to ages 11 - 19 **

YOUTH

** led by professional actors **

WEEKLY SATURDAY SESSIONS

FROM APRIL 2022,

10 AM TILL 12 NOON

AT RIVERHOUSE BARN ARTS CENTRE
walton on thames

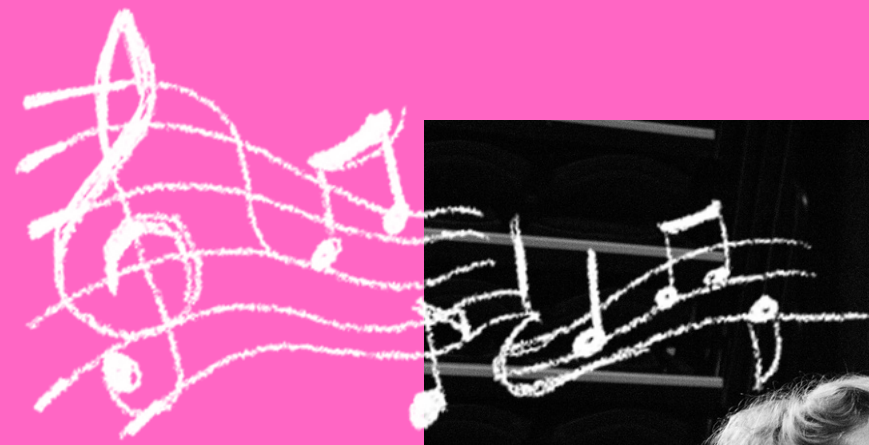
£150 FOR 10 WEEK TERM

** limited number of bursaries available **

As part of our long term strategy to engage young people with theatre, this year we have also set up **Scoot Youth** - our young company for anyone aged **11-19**.

At Scoot Youth our members will not only improve their acting skills but also develop **soft skills**, such as **resilience and grit** and explore the importance of "**growth mindset**", so that we help them become **confident, empathetic** young people, equipped to make a positive impact on the world.

Cycling Play



We are also adapting a very well-known children's book that will tour next summer to **bike cafes** and **bike shops**, for very young audiences.

It will be a sustainable production, with all set and props designed from bike parts. The aim of the show is to encourage young people to get out on their bikes with their families as often as possible!



We are planning two **Research and Development** weeks for this project and we're working with **Farnham Maltings** to actively engage children in the creation of the show by workshopping ideas at local primary schools.

Why We Need Your Support

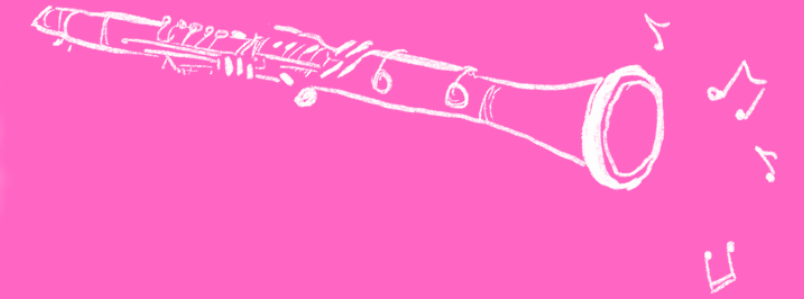
We are a **not-for-profit organisation** and we currently do not receive funding. We need to raise **£15,000** to make these projects happen.

THIS WILL COVER:

- ✧ **2 Weeks** of rehearsal costs for our Cricket Club Shakespeare Tour of **A Midsummer Night's Dream** this summer.
- ✧ The creation of **4 bursary** places to **Scout Youth**, so that 4 young people can join us for a term free of charge.
- ✧ **2 weeks** of **Research and Development** so that we can work with local primary school children to create our cycling play ready to tour next summer to bike shops and bike cafes.



Why Support Scoot?



- * A unique and exciting opportunity to **support the local community**, particularly young people aged 5-19 either through seeing a Scoot show or involvement with **Scoot Youth**.
- * **Distinctive exposure** in the theatre and cricket worlds of the South East!
- * A unique and memorable way to **entertain existing/prospective clients**, or a great way to reward staff!
- * Access to around **3500 audience members** every season, particularly families.
- * Ensure that Scoot can continue to **engage and inspire young people** for many years to come!

Sponsorship Benefits



- ✧ Your **logo** on all printed **flyers and posters** with logo and company info on our website, reaching **thousands** across the South East via theatre and cricket club marketing.
- ✧ The opportunity to a place **stand/banner** at all performances, reaching a potential **500 audience members** per day.
- ✧ **20 tickets** for staff/clients for the season.
- ✧ The chance to support the **local community!**

Sponsorship Packages

Summer Sponsor

£500

Enjoy all of the sponsorship benefits stated previously for the duration of our summer season tour of **A Midsummer Night's Dream**

Scoot Youth and Summer Sponsor

£750

Enjoy all of the sponsorship benefits for the duration of our summer season tour of **A Midsummer Night's Dream**, as well as annual sponsorship and benefits of supporting **Scoot Youth** for a year

One Year Sponsor

£1000

Enjoy all of the benefits of our **Scoot Youth and Summer Sponsorship**, as well as all benefits again next year when our cycling play goes on tour in the summer!

How Do I Sponsor?

*If you are interested in sponsoring Scoot then please do get in touch with Max at:

scoottheatreuk@gmail.com

* It may be the most convenient way for you to sponsor would be to support our

Crowdfunder page, by clicking below:

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**THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR
YOUR TIME**

