



## **Middle School, High School & College Age Students**

**A Midsummer Night's Dream and Festival**, produced by NJAI, will be held at **Verona Park on July 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>**, (rain date July 26<sup>th</sup>), Lakeside and Bloomfield Avenues, Verona.

The weekend festival is a culmination of an eight-week period of six performance and technical workshops, combining professionals in all disciplines, with school-age children from the region, across the economic and cultural spectrum, including those with a variety of physical abilities.

Auditions and interviews for participation will be held in mid-March. Date and location will be released shortly and will be found at [WWW.NJAI.org](http://WWW.NJAI.org).

**Acting/Performance** – audition required. Participate in acting workshops and rehearsal with professional actors and Shakespeare specialists. Role in the Play. Ages 10+. People with disabilities welcome.

**Dance/Movement** – audition required. Work with professional choreographer on original dances and stylized movement techniques for the play. Work with actors on movement within the piece. Perform in Play and during festival. Ages 10+. People with disabilities welcome.

**Music/ Performance** – audition required. Develop pieces from the Mendelssohn score with professional music director, work on pieces from the mid-19<sup>th</sup> century. Perform music for the play and during festival. Ages 14+. People with disabilities welcome.

**Technical Arts** – Interview required. Classes with production Technical Director in Lighting, Sound, Costume & Set Design and production planning. Serve as Assistant Technical Directors for the production and festival. Ages 12+.

**Broadcast Media** – Interview required. Work with NJIT Media Coordinator and experienced media educators in planning a production schedule, learning camera technique, and on-location taping strategies. Tape the workshop programs, festival and play. Create final products in post production. Ages 13+. People with disabilities welcome.

**Publicity/Marketing** – Interview required. Work with publicist of major recording label, and other public relations professionals. Learn about and prepare press releases, marketing materials, define POP opportunities, social marketing techniques, public relations and media management. Serve as media coordinator at event. Ages 14+. People with disabilities welcome.

**For more information log on to, [www.njai.org](http://www.njai.org), or speak to your teacher.**