

# THE MARLOWE

## The Marlowe Creative Companies

Welcome!

We hope you are looking forward to the autumn term, whether returning to us or a new member. Inside this letter you will find all the information you need to know for the coming term and beyond.

### The Marlowe Kit

As of this term, all of our classes (excluding The Marlowe Dance Company) will now be in our new location, The Marlowe Kit (previously the Canterbury Heritage Museum). The Marlowe Kit will become a centre for celebrating Kent's rich heritage of stories and storytellers; a live space of performance, exhibitions and conversations. We hope that you are as excited as we are.

### Getting there...

18-19 Stour Street  
Canterbury  
CT1 2NR

### Closest car parks

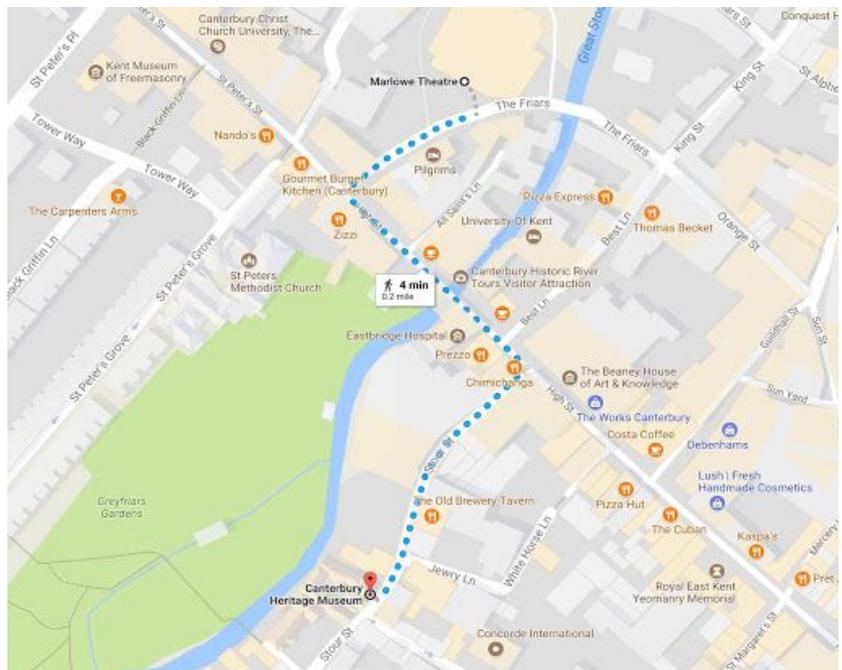
- Rosemary Lane
- Castle Street
- Whitefriars

### Launch festival

Over the month of April, we will be running a launch festival to celebrate the opening of The Marlowe Kit: inspired by Kentish writers, objects and spaces. We'll be focusing on this theme over the next two terms, and in each of you company sessions, so that everyone plays a part in the unveiling of this new space.

### Participant discounts

Participant discounts are available for all companies on a range of shows in our Studio by quoting the promo code given to you by email. You will then only have to pay £8.75 for a ticket. To find out which shows, visit our website.



### **Arts Award**

Over the next two terms, the Apprentice and Senior Companies will be working towards achieving a Bronze Arts Award. This project is a great opportunity to look further into an artistic source that interests you.

### **Coming soon...**

The Marlowe's next community production is *Return Of The Unknown*, an 18-month performance project working alongside groups from across Kent. The project seeks to discover what the First World War means to us in Kent today, revealing what we have forgotten and returning the 'Unknown' to public consciousness. The work will culminate in what will be The Marlowe's most ambitious community production yet, in November 2018, to mark the 100 year anniversary of the armistice at Dover Admiralty Pier - the site of the repatriation of The Unknown Warrior.

*Look out for more information on this on the participant noticeboard to get involved!*

### **Instagram, Twitter and Facebook**

Don't forget, we now have a 'marloweyouth' and a 'marlowepeople' page on Instagram, Twitter and Facebook. Please like them to keep up to date with all of our activity.

#### Instagram

@ themarloweyouth

@ themarlowepeople

#### Twitter

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#### Facebook

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### **Participant noticeboard**

What with a new website and now a new space, we have also refreshed the participant noticeboard. This is now the go-to for all term dates and communications relating to all companies. We will still be contacting you by email but please check the noticeboard regularly as we will be keeping it updated with all The Marlowe news.

### **Absence policy**

Theatre is very much a team game and we value commitment to the companies we work with extremely highly. If you are unable to make one of our weekly session please let us know as soon as you can via email to **MLWParticipation@marlowetheatre.com**. If we do not receive notification of an absence it will be listed as unauthorised and as stated in our code of conduct we reserve the right to cancel any places following repeated unauthorised absences (usually three within one term) as it has a detrimental effect on the progress and cohesion of the whole group. Thank you for your understanding on this.

Many thanks,

The Marlowe Creative Team