



## THEATRE ONTARIO FESTIVAL 2009 AWARD WINNERS & NOMINEES

### Participants in the Festival:

Wednesday May 13	<b><i>Twelfth Night</i></b> by William Shakespeare Peterborough Theatre Guild (Eastern Ontario Drama League)
Thursday May 14	<b><i>Night Sky</i></b> by Susan Yankowitz Theatre Sarnia (Western Ontario Drama League)
Friday May 15	<b><i>Rabbit Hole</i></b> by David Lindsay-Abaire Blackhorse Village Players (Association of Community Theatres – Central Ontario)
Saturday May 16	<b><i>Half Life</i></b> by John Mighton Gore Bay Theatre (Quebec-Ontario Theatre Association)

### Award Winners and Nominees:

Announced at May 17<sup>th</sup> Awards Ceremony by Adjudicator Chris Worsnop

#### OUTSTANDING FESTIVAL PRODUCTION

***Rabbit Hole* (Blackhorse Village Players)**

#### OUTSTANDING DIRECTOR

**Harry Lavigne** (*Rabbit Hole*, Blackhorse Village Players)

Also Nominated were **Eric Jackson** (Peterborough), **Henri Canino** (Sarnia), **Walter Maskel** (Gore Bay)

#### PERRY SHORT AWARD (SET DESIGN)

**Eric Jackson** (*Twelfth Night*, Peterborough Theatre Guild)

Also Nominated were **Bill Allingham & Henri Canino** (Sarnia), **David Edwards & Walter Maskel** (Gore Bay)

#### OUTSTANDING COORDINATED PRODUCTION

***Twelfth Night*** (Peterborough Theatre Guild)

#### OUTSTANDING TECHNICAL ACHIEVEMENT

**Henri Canino, Frank Canino & Rich Coleman** for Sound Design & Projections in ***Night Sky***  
(Theatre Sarnia)

Also Nominated was **Chris Jackson** (Peterborough) for Voice & Language Coaching in *Twelfth Night*

#### OUTSTANDING VISUAL PRESENTATION

***Twelfth Night*** (Peterborough Theatre Guild)

Also Nominated was ***Half Life*** (Gore Bay Theatre)

#### OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE BY A MALE

**Brian McDonald** as Feste in *Twelfth Night* (Peterborough Theatre Guild)

Also Nominated were **Richard Teskey** as Daniel in *Night Sky* (Sarnia) and **Larry Hines** as Howie in *Rabbit Hole* (Blackhorse)

#### OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE BY A FEMALE

**Chandra Mulder** as Becca in *Rabbit Hole* (Blackhorse Village Players)

Also Nominated were **Charmain Jacklin** as Anna in *Night Sky* (Sarnia) and **Shannon McMullan** as Clara in *Half Life* (Gore Bay)

#### OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE BY A FEMALE IN A SUPPORTING ROLE

**Jo-Anne Pulfer** as Izzy in *Rabbit Hole* (Blackhorse Village Players)

Also Nominated was **Holly Wenning Mayea** in multiple roles in *Night Sky* (Sarnia)

#### OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE BY A MALE IN A SUPPORTING ROLE

**Nicolino De Francesco** as Jason in *Rabbit Hole* (Blackhorse Village Players)

Also Nominated were **John L'Heureux** as Bill in *Night Sky* (Sarnia), **David Edwards** as Patrick in *Half Life* (Gore Bay), and **Justin Boyd** as Sebastian in *Twelfth Night* (Peterborough)

#### ADJUDICATOR'S AWARD FOR SCENE CHANGES

**Twelfth Night** (Peterborough Theatre Guild) for fast, efficient, entertaining scene changes

#### ADJUDICATOR'S AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE BY A YOUTH

**Megn Walker** as Viola/Cesario in *Twelfth Night* (Peterborough Theatre Guild)

#### ADJUDICATOR'S AWARD FOR ENSEMBLE WORK

**The Company of Rabbit Hole** (Blackhorse Village Players)

#### ADJUDICATOR'S AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING COSTUMES

**Howard Berry** (Costume Designer) and the Costume Crew of *Twelfth Night* (Peterborough Theatre Guild)

#### ADJUDICATOR'S AWARD FOR SPECIAL MOMENTS

**Shannon McMullan** as Clara and **David Edwards** as Patrick in *Half Life* (Gore Bay Theatre)