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Kincardine Theatre Guild delivers 'The Giant's Garden' on stage Nov. 16 to Dec. 2, 2017



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The Kincardine Theatre Guild's production of 'The Giant's Garden' runs Nov. 16 to Dec. 2, 2017 at the Kincardine Centre for the Arts. (Troy Patterson/Kincardine News and Lucknow Sentinel)

Kincardine Theatre Guild hits the stage this week with the colourful family production, The Giant's Garden.

Shows run at the Kincardine Centre for the Arts Nov. 16-19, 2017, Nov. 23-26, and Nov. 30 to Dec. 2 with showtimes at 7:30 p.m. The Gala takes place Nov. 17 and matinees run Nov. 18-19, 25-26 and Dec. 2 at 2 p.m.

The show stars four young people, splitting the two main children's roles across various showtimes, with Aarelyn Wade and Charlie Hall Elwood sharing the stage with Lydia Ritchie and Evan Graham in the roles of Constance and Oscar.

The volunteer troupe introduced the crowd to the performance during a dress rehearsal on Sunday, where they expertly delivered the music, songs and dances with smiles and style. The lineup of colourful costumes and set changes were delivered swiftly and the actors were commendably in their roles.

Also starring in the show is Jason Geberdt as the Giant, Erin Milley as Summer, Jaki Mayer Duggan as Winter, Kathryn Low as Bird, Jared Petrie as Flower and more.

The production is a "delightful musical written by two Canadian writers/composers" Scott White and Peter Fenton.

Deep in The Deep Dark Forest, hidden beyond The Stream of Sorrows and Sinking Spirits lies The Giant's Garden – a place forbidden to outsiders. But when Giant goes away, the children sneak in to play, and for seven years their idyllic world has been undisturbed... until today. Today Giant is coming home. Today, a young boy's courage is going to be tested. And today a battle will take place which could lead to a world devoid of warmth.

The Giant's Garden is a tale of bravery, the importance of friendship, and the power of love, featuring a cast of 15 colourful characters plus many others, a score filled with memorable songs and a story that will warm the hearts of children and adults alike.

For more information visit kincardinetheatreguild.com