



***Dacha Theatre brings a delightful pair of outdoor plays to Seattle this summer***

*Star Play* and *Dears in Headlights* run July 23 to August 22 at parks across the Seattle region

(July 12, 2021 - SEATTLE, WA) Dacha Theatre brings you a delightful pair of devised outdoor plays, touring the Puget Sound region this summer with offerings for all ages.

First up is *Star Play*, a sweet musical lark that sparkles brightly for audiences ages 1 to 100 light-years old. This play is visible to stargazers and theatre lovers from parks all over Seattle beginning July 23.

A wondrous, galaxy-sized adventure for all ages, *Star Play* is a storybook romp through the night sky that follows Pleione, the seventh brightest Pleiades sister, as she charts a course through the Milky Way to save the red giant Betelgeuse from going supernova. A Dacha original, this clear-eyed and starry-skied play with music embraces the singular magic of space and the power of storytelling — all while connecting the dots on some of your favorite constellations (old and new)!

*Star Play* is created and directed by Kate Drummond with Dacha Theatre, with original music by Kyle Levien.

Second up and intended for audiences ages 10+, Dacha's summertime spectacular, *Dears in Headlights* asks you to keep your arms, legs, and laughter inside the vehicle at all times. Drive-ins and walk-ups are welcome starting July 30.

*Dears in Headlights* invites audiences back to the drive-in theatre for an evening of movie magic — only this time, the silver screen is replaced with a troupe of live actors! Accompanied by an FM radio soundtrack, this fully devised and larger-than-life love letter to classic cinema combines pastiche, clowning, vignettes, and physical theatre to create a playful, immersive experience for viewers with and without cars. Whether you'd rather scare yourself silly with a horror movie or laugh along to a rom-com, you'll be delighted by this original take on a beloved summer pastime.

*Dears in Headlights* is created and directed by Mike Lion with Dacha Theatre, with clown direction by Audrey Spinazola.

The Dacha summer tour opens July 23rd with *Star Play*, and closes August 22nd with *Dears in Headlights*, with performances around the Puget Sound area.

Tickets are available on a sliding scale, with tiered pricing for walk-ups and vehicles ranging from \$25-50. A pay-what-you-can option is available for all performances. Tickets are available online at [dachatheatre.com/summer](https://dachatheatre.com/summer).

Find a tour calendar, production team information, and more at [dachatheatre.com/summerpress21](https://dachatheatre.com/summerpress21).

Founded in 2016, Dacha Theatre is a Seattle-based theater company that specializes in devised, immersive, and playful work. The summer tours mark Dacha's return to in-person programming after a year of vibrant virtual work, including *Secret Admirer* (Spring 2021), and *:robot\_face:* (Fall 2020).