

**BAY STREET  
THEATER**  
& SAG HARBOR CENTER FOR THE ARTS

**Bay Street Under The Stars**

August 25 & 26

Melissa Errico\* & Richard Troxell  
as Lilli Vanessa/Katherine and Fred/Petruccio in

**KISS ME, KATE**

Book by Bella & Sam Spewack  
Music and Lyrics by Cole Porter  
Directed by Will Pomerantz

**FEATURING**

Hortensio.....Malik Alik\*  
General Howell.....Al Bundonis\*  
Paul.....Nick Cearley\*  
Irma/Ensemble.....Meghan LaFlam  
Gunman 1.....Steven Rattazzi\*  
Hattie.....Ryann Redmond\*  
Baptista/Pops.....John Shuman\*  
Bill/Lucentio.....Britton Smith\*  
Lois/Bianca.....Erica Sweany\*  
Gladys/Ensemble.....Cecelia Ticktin  
Gunman 2.....David F. M. Vaughn\*  
Ralph/Gremio.....Aaron Young\*

Special Guest Appearance by Jerry Cohen (Friday performance only)

**There will be one ten-minute intermission**

**PRODUCTION STAFF**

Music Director.....James Bassi  
Stage Manager.....Brian Rardin\*  
Assistant Stage Manager.....Michelle Tewksbury\*  
Assistant Director.....Ben Tostado  
Associate Producer.....John Sullivan  
Production Manager.....Rob Reese  
Lighting Designer.....Dalton Hamilton  
Set/Lighting Supervisor.....Mike Billings  
Sound Designer.....Shaughn Bryant  
Costume Supervision.....Melanie Clifton-Harvey  
Kalieen Langstone  
Percussionist.....Edward Chiarello (Friday)  
Glenn Chiarello (Saturday)  
Bassist.....Joseph Wallace  
Casting by.....Stewart/Whitley

*\*Members of Actor's Equity Association, the Union of Professional Actors and Stage Managers in the United States.*

## ABOUT KISS ME, KATE:

*Kiss Me, Kate* is one of the most beloved musicals of all time, featuring a score full of hits by Cole Porter and a hilarious book by Samuel and Bella Spewack. It tells the story of two larger than life actors, Lilli Vanessi and Frederick C. Graham, battling in life and love during a production of Shakespeare's *The Taming of the Shrew*.

## UNDER THE STARS

UNDER THE STARS is a new program at Bay Street Theater and Sag Harbor Center for the Arts that is committed to bringing live theater into our community. We travel beyond the walls of our building on the Long Wharf to produce readings and concerts of plays and musicals with fully professional casts and production teams outdoors in nature. On this occasion, we are proud to partner with Mashashimuet Park to allow the audience to experience this great classic musical, *Kiss Me Kate*, literally under the stars. As part of this program, we strive to include members of our local community of artists as actors and musicians, allowing local and New York City based artists the chance to meet, work together and cross-pollinate ideas. All the presentations of UNDER THE STARS are free for all to attend, with no reservations necessary, making live theater accessible to all. It is part of the mission of Bay Street Theater and Sag Harbor Center for the Arts to offer our community every possible opportunity to experience and participate in live theater and cultural arts on the East End.

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