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Dear Friends,

Theatre Week – Beauty and the Beast (30th July – 6th August 2010)

We are writing to let you know about our forthcoming Theatre Week event. Theatre Week, as you may be aware, is an ecumenical annual youth theatre event run by the Christian performing arts organisation, Faith, hope & gaffertape. Theatre Week originally began as an initiative of the United Reformed Church but has been running as an independent event since being taken over by the current directors in 2004. We are still proud to be supported by the URC.

Theatre Week is a residential youth event for 16-25 year olds. The challenge is to prepare a show from auditions to final performance in just one week! This year we will be preparing the Disney favourite, Beauty and the Beast. We need singers, dancers, actors, musicians*, prop-makers and backstage crew for this musical extravaganza!

Date: Friday 30th July – Friday 6th August 2010

**Venues: Rehearsals @ The Crossways Centre, Yardley Hastings, Northants
Performances @ The Cripps Hall Theatre, Northampton School for Boys**

Cost: £160 Full Board (including a show hoody)

Age range: 16 - 25yrs

Theatre Week is a truly unique event and offers much more than simply a show. We have worship every day and use the time together to link the themes of the show to the Bible and the life of Jesus. We also talk about world issues, and how we can play a part in making the world a better place. There is also plenty of time to make new friends, have fun and learn new skills!

"I've been going to Theatre Week for years now, this was my fourth time, and I can't quite imagine the person I'd be today if I hadn't. That one week out of fifty-two every year has taught me so much about hard-work, friendship and talent... I've definitely grown as a person because of it, and I've seen other people grow too. It's a tremendous thing to witness. I'll definitely be back next year!"

Participant of Theatre Week 2009

If you, or someone you know, would like to attend this event, please get in touch with us. We would also be really grateful if you could help us promote this event. I have enclosed a poster and booking form and would be happy to send more information if required.

For more info, posters, flyers or a booking form, please e-mail us at info@gaffertape.biz.

We look forward to hearing from you
All the best

**Caroline Flint
and the Faith, hope & gaffertape team**

**We particularly need musicians for this year so if you know anyone who plays an instrument, please pass the information on to them!*

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