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SHAKESPEARE IN THE PARKS COMES TO UM SEPT. 2-3

MISSOULA —

Pack your lawn chairs, blankets and a picnic to enjoy Shakespearean romance and comedy at The University of Montana Oval on Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 2-3.

Montana Shakespeare in the Parks will perform its summer tour headliner “The Tempest” at 6 p.m. Wednesday and “Two Gentlemen of Verona” at 6 p.m. Thursday.

“The Tempest” takes place on an enchanted isle where Prospero, a sorcerer and the former Duke of Milan, tries to control the lives of his family and enemies. “Two Gentlemen of Verona” is a comedic account of love triangles and tangled friendship.

If it rains, the plays will be performed in the University Theatre.

Montana Shakespeare in the Parks is touring for its 37th season in towns throughout Montana, northern Wyoming and eastern Idaho. The UM performances are sponsored by the University Center.

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