

PLUM FACTS

- COMPANY: BellaLuna Productions (Vancouver, BC)
- STYLE OF THEATRE: Comedy with drama > solo vignettes > monologues > physical theatre
- SHOW DESCRIPTION: An eclectic collection of solos that play and blur in the world of theatre, dance and performance art taking the viewer on an evocative journey through the many colours of human condition. Sassy, brassy, poetic.
- CREATOR/PERFORMER: Susan Bertoia
- ABOUT SUSAN:
- Italian-Canadian (Friuli Region of Italy)
 - Teaches Commedia Dell' Arte at the University of BC
 - 5'1" (that's not much considering the energy she exudes)
 - Artistic director of Vancouver based BellaLuna Productions
 - Creator, Writer, Performer, Pupper-maker
- UPCOMING:
- Dear Santa by Norm Foster (Western Canada Theatre), December 2004
 - Enchanted April by Matthew Barber (Arts Club Theatre), February 2005
- RUNNING TIME: 55 minutes
- SHOW QUOTES:
- "Red lips quiver cuz I'm looking so good."
 - "Avevo una voce come un angelo."
 - "I'm a dancer. I like to dance."
- INSPIRED FROM: laughter, red, fall plums, family traditions, being Italian in Canada, observation of people, Surrealists - Miro, Klee, Kandinsky, Rimbaud, the cross, neighbours, the past, the present, the randomness of ideas and people and the thin veneer between us and them.
- 2004 TOUR DATES: SummerWorks Festival, Toronto - Aug 6-13 2004
SFU Theatre, Burnaby - Sept 23, 2004
UBC Frederic Wood Theatre, Vancouver - Oct 22- 23, 2004
Shadbolt Centre for the Arts, Studio Theatre, - Nov 4-6, 2004
- PAST PERFORMANCES: UNO Festival (Victoria), Telus Studio Theatre (UBC), Vancouver & Pender Island Fringe Festivals, Furlane Hall, Voda Bar, 2000 Women Festival.
- MORE: www.bellaluna.ca
- PLUMS: Fruits of varieties of this species range in color from yellow or red to green, but purplish-blue is most common.