

# SOMETHING ROTTEN!



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**MAY 14-16, 20-23**

Thurs & Fri 7pm, Sat 2pm & 7pm, Sun 2pm  
in the HBUHSD Historic Auditorium

Two brothers set out to write the world's first musical in this hilarious mash-up of 16th-century Shakespeare and 21st-century Broadway.

Welcome to the Renaissance and the outrageous, crowd-pleasing musical farce, *Something Rotten*. Created by Grammy Award-winning songwriter Wayne Kirkpatrick and successful screenwriters Karey Kirkpatrick and John O'Farrell, *Something Rotten* was lauded by audience members and critics alike; receiving several "Best Musical" nominations and hailed by *Time* Out New York as "the funniest musical comedy in at least 400 years."

Set in the 1590s, brothers Nick and Nigel Bottom are desperate to write a hit play but are stuck in the shadow of that Renaissance rock star known as "The Bard." When a local soothsayer foretells that the future of theatre involves singing, dancing and acting at the same time, Nick and Nigel set out to write the world's very first musical. But amidst the scandalous excitement of opening night, the Bottom Brothers realize that reaching the top means being true to thine own self, and all that jazz.

**Ticket Prices:**  
**General \$20**

Located at 1905 Main Street  
in Huntington Beach

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