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1 'Macbeth' is this year's Shakespeare in the Park offering

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4 Vermont Theatre Company presents *Macbeth*, this
5 summer's Shakespeare in the Park production.

6 *Macbeth* will run from Thursday, June 25, through
7 Sunday, June 28, (rain dates June 29 through July 1), at Living
8 Memorial Park in Brattleboro.

9 "Macbeth will be King!" Or at least that's what he was
10 told by three strange women in the forest," said Director Liam
11 Johnson in a news release. "But how exactly will that come to

12 be? Surely his wife has a couple of ideas. With the aid of
13 murdering ministers, the couple sets out to fulfill the mysterious
14 prophecy. Chaos ensues.”

15 Johnson said this play “examines the nature of power,
16 mental illness, and mortality in a timeless and critical manner.
17 The cast of 13 actors breathes new meaning into the Bard’s
18 original text [in] what we have lovingly nicknamed:
19 ‘Shakespeare’s darkest comedy.’”

20 All shows start at 6 p.m., with tickets available at the
21 door on a sliding scale of \$10 to \$20. Audience members are
22 encouraged to bring a blanket, chairs, and a picnic.

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