

Hey everybody,
 First of all, I would like to thank everyone
 for making this a great show. I've been
 doing shows for 13 years now, and I'm not
 joking when I say this is my favourite.
 And I am extremely proud to be a part of
 this legendary cast, and for those of
 who's finally show this is, it was a
 privilege working with you, and for
 everyone else, I hope to work with you
 all again. I feel as though I have made
 some of the greatest friends while
 doing Rent, and you will always have a
 place in my memories and heart, love you all!

Olivia

hey y'all,

you have no idea how hard
 it is to stop humming songs
 from RENT... these past
 two months have been
 wonderful, making all these
 friends & learning a bunch
 of new things. The principles
 were simply brilliant and
 so was our director John

& Kevin, the
 band, the
 dancers &
 the chorus.
 Now I have
 to write
 sideways
 cuz I
 thought
 that space

would've been enough but it ISN'T!
 Fairplay to everyone's dedication (despite
 our *cough* my *cough* punctuality) It was
 a great experience & now I gotta go
 'cause I'm getting free food from the
 shipper with the rest of the RENT cast &
 crew... wheeee, hope to work with y'all
 once again... Cheers!

- ANISHU NICODENUS

To All The People that have
Made Ireland not only bareable, but
an incredible experience:-

When I came to this country, I felt
like an Elliott Smith song, alone,
just me and my thoughts.

I went through the first semester sleepwalking
through life, however upon my arrival back
to Ireland, and the subsequent beginnings
of constant practices, I found a group
of people to relate to, to enjoy their
company, and eventually to befriend. If
not for RENT and its cast I don't
know where I could be right now, but
I know that now, in this moment I
could rather be nowhere else.

I have had more fun than I could
ever imagine with you, my castmates,
I have learned things about myself with
your help and learned to ~~understand~~
better understand each of you.

I consider myself to be one of the
luckiest men alive today, thanks to
you my castmates and fellow RENTHEADS.

THANK YOU MY FRIENDS,

Love

Drew

Rent; "No gays but these gays." or some such. Sadly, the smash hit "Everyone Has AIDS" didn't feature. Ahead of it's time I guess.

-DINO GRIMES [6th Musical in DCU = OLD]

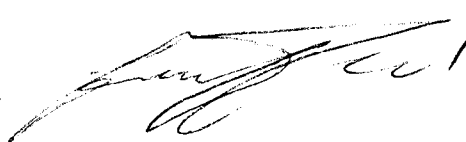
Well done to everyone in Rent. You all ~~kick~~ kick ass!! In my 3 years of Drama I have done alot, but It doesn't compare to Rent. It was the best (apart from 1st year pants but that was the best time of my life) ~~and~~.

I HAVE TO SAY THAT THIS SHOW IS DEFINITELY THE BEST THING I'VE EVER DONE. I feel so so lucky TO HAVE BEEN PART OF SOMETHING OF SUCH A HIGH STANDARD, WITH SUCH A TALENTED CAST AND FANTASTIC CREW. I DON'T THINK IT COULD POSSIBLY HAVE GONE ANY BETTER, ESPECIALLY CONSIDERING THAT WE ONLY HAD 6 WEEKS TO REHEARSE! THIS OF COURSE COULDN'T HAVE BEEN ACHIEVED WITHOUT THE DIRECTOR WE WERE SO LUCKY TO HAVE - JOHN DONNELLY. THIS SHOW ~~was~~ NOW MEANS SO MUCH TO ME AND HAS LEFT ME WITH SO MANY HAPPY MEMORIES. THANK YOU SO MUCH TO EVERYONE INVOLVED!

-DAMIEN (ANGEL)

I said after the set last year for sure that I was never going to do the musical set again. Then I heard we were doing RENT! I have loved RENT since I saw it in Broadway and I was so excited to be involved in the show. The whole show was brilliant, congrats to everyone who was involved in any way, cast, crew, backstage etc. (Wow. I miss Rent so much!

This time is the last!

 (Jenni)

Ever the first 4 shows I've been involved in, this was by far the most epic. Everything about the show gelled together so well, I actually enjoyed this version more so than the Broadway show. A pleasure to be involved with and I only wish I got to mix the show myself :-)

Lo Fallon

the best things I did in 1st ~~Year~~ Year!!!
Even missed the class trip to Lake port... Kevin, that had to be put
in writing!!! Thanks to everyone - so much!
Love Anna Pannen xoxo

... I want to write more... ha... KEVIN

Wow. It's my 5th year
involved with DCU Drama,
and it just keeps getting
better! RENT has for so
long been one of my
favorite shows, it means
so much to me that DCU
Drama took the chance
to ask me to produce the
show! I've said it before,
and I'll say it again -
I only had 2 dreams for
DCU Drama.

- ① Take ye to New York
 - ② Put on RENT
- My 5 years here have been
a dream come true.

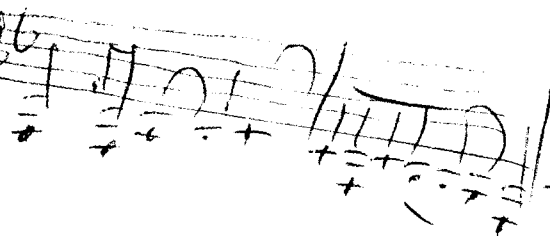
Thank you all so much!

Love Bob



There we show that
simply we, there we show
that capture a moment -
a day, a week, a year,
525,600 minutes - and then
there we show that, from
nowhere, develop a life
and persona that grabs
everybody involved and
holds them. 'Rent' has
been one of those shows.
I'm lucky; I've been around
long enough to know how
much this show meant to
the people in it. They
think they do, but they
don't. Not yet. Five
years, ten years from now
this cast will look back
and only then will they
realize just how big
this really was. All I
can say for now though is
that I'm glad of our lives,
I'm glad I was part of it,
and I'm glad that 'Rent'
turned out to be everything I
personally needed it to be.
Viva la vie bohème.

Kevin Walsh



PCU Drama is now
officially my life
I love it I think
everyone for getting me
involved I took a bit of
time but eventually I really
felt I belong here and thank
you everybody!!! Rent 4eva!!! Mark!!!
(Honest living men!)

I've had an absolute
amazing time being involved
in Rent; it been unbelievable!!
You guys are all so so so
talented and you all also rock!
PCU drama is now my fave part
of the place... By far! Cannot
wait to do it all again...
Love you all
Jelly xx

Hi,

What an incredible experience.
Best week I've had... so
rewarding. I ♥ Solero.
Love yis all so much
Cant wait to do it all again
in 525,600 minutes (a year... weeks)
Much love,
Robxx

without a doubt, best
show ever. Unbeatable.
Most amazing experience
& my personal highlight
of PCU Drama. Makes
all the work worthwhile
Best group, best people
BEST EVENT!!!

Juel xxx

Probably one of
the hardest yet most
rewarding thing I've
ever done

John (so so hard)

Hi,

This has been the best
week of my life Thank you
so much for being part of it.
Without you to tickle backstage
I don't know what I would do,
ha.

Thanks,

Wally

I'm so glad rent didn't make
a loss !!!

It was quite good too!! Yay Rent!

Connor Need :)

Hey guys,

Rent was amazing!!
I loved being part of
one of the most
epic musicals ever!

Thanks everyone!
Lots of Love
Aoife xoxox

Hey everyone

Rent was amazing, I
Really enjoyed it, I'm
really sad its over

I Loved being apart of

Rent and I will

Remember it forever

Best wishes, Love Sarah McEnlane
xxx

Hey! loved Rent! Was

amazing!! Had an

unbelievable time.

Love you all

Carlynn xxx

Heyall,
Rent has changed
the way I think about my
life for the better and
provided me the greatest
and most rewarding
experience of my life
I'm so glad I could
share it with you all.

Barry Lannon
(Katie)

Hey dudes,

I can't really express in
words how much I loved
every single second of Rent
(which kinda beats the purpose of
writing this) but it's been awesome
getting to know you guys
and I'd do it all again
in a heartbeat.
with love,
Saba.

Hi everyone,
I really can't put in to words what OCU Drama putting on Rent meant to me. And to be in a mind blowing! John kept saying that when we were older looking back, doing Rent would mean so much to us and be one of our best memories of college. I really believe that there is no need for time to pass for him to be true. The 8 weeks were full of tears (mostly from I'll cover you reprise) laughter + a lot of tiredness but oh my goodness, it was worth it! Wish we didn't do it so we could start it again!! What we will be we going to do next year?
Love
Katherine (Katie)

To All us Rentheads

Words cannot describe how much Fun I've had doing Rent. My experience these past 2 months have been the most Fun I've had in my life. My hats go off to all the Leads. You were the best. All praise to Kevin, Andrew, Bob, Ed and the rest of production team. Without your time and effort, This show would not have been the show it was. But more praise needed for outstanding director, who put so much time, effort and dedication into making RENT one of the best shows OCU DRAMA have put on. Well Done to everyone in the cast and THANK YOU to everyone. Much Love

Mark D

Lo y'all!

This has definitely been one of the best experiences of the first year in uni and I am so happy I get to participate. It was great getting to know hang out and befriend the cast. You guys rock! Thanks for everything specially to John + Kevin! Much love
Bess
X Disbox

This is by far the
craziest show I've
ever been on. I'll
remember it for the
rest of my life. 2015
life RENT!

David Cullen

I loved every minute of
it! Its the craziest, vibrant,
most dynamic musical that
I've ever been and I'm so
glad to have been in it!
The Cast and Crew are so
friendly and the reception
the show had was so
unexpected!

Hi Guys,

What to say?

one of the best experiences
of my life. loved the people,
loved the show - it was
honestly an emotional
experience + I was
AFFECTED on many an
occasion. Thanks so much
to anyone + everyone who was
involved.

Love Sinead
xx

I can truly say now that I
am an official RENTHEAD!
Alan Rickman brought RENT to me
other than being a part of
this musical has been the best
experience of my life. Everything,
the music, the people, the laughs,
the hugs! to everyone. I shared
the stage with + everyone who
made it happen, Thank-you!

Love, Steen
xx

Anita Azem

To all you lovely Rent Heads!
I can honestly say that
this has been the best experience
I have ever had. I came into
3rd year with 12 months of
a 9-5 and commutes ahead of
me but spending time of
those months with you guys
has made the others fly
by. ha Reading that makes
the 2 months seem like a
drag! they weren't, they were
fun and silly and everything
College memories should be.

Love all you guys
(old friends & new!)

Hi Guys! Yvonia
SO IVE BEEN IN A LOT OF DCU DRAMA
PRODUCTIONS AND THIS ONE MEANS
SO MUCH TO ME, NOT ONLY IS IT
MY FINAL PERFORMANCE, BUT IT
WAS RENT. EVERYTHING ABOUT THE
SHOW WAS WONDERFUL ALL THE
NEW PEOPLE I MET THAT HAVE 3
MORE YEARS. JEALOUS AND OF COURSE
THE GADEN OLDIES FRIENDS FOR LIFE!
LOVED RENT AND EVERYONE IN IT
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Hey guys ☺

what to say, ye are all
a pack of legends!

I loved every minute
of rent, I'm so glad
I got into it... an

tearball I'm gonna start
weeping now ☺ Anyway
thanks a million for being
brilliant!

Love ye all 5 million
Love Sarah (Solero hutchinson)
xxxxxxxxxx

To All,

Gonna miss this so much!
All I'll say is bring on next
year. Its so amazing to work
with the most talented people
EVER!! Love everyone,
Gara McC xxx .

HEY GUYS.

Wow... Four years in DCU and
RENT is by far the best show
Drama have done. For all the first
years involved you are the future of
DCU Drama ... Fly the flag !!

Aidan K. ☺

To all rent folk in the world,
it has been nothing only
an absolute pleasure, The last
few weeks with the cast and
indeed months with the
production have all turned
out to be so Rewarding

Rent was so alive for
our little bunch before
we went anywhere
near the stage...
So not only was it
an excitement overload
for all ~~many many~~
folk... it was an
absolute dream
come through.

Thank you
to all .

Love a pleasure

Ed. Leamy