

metamorpho-seas

This winter show dives into Ovid's writings with many different stories all surrounding a pool of water. Star cast member Celia Shafer shares her experience.

"I had a fantastic experience performing Metamorphoses! The fact that we are performing in a pool, and met with the Latin teacher to practice the difficult language, made it such a unique experience. Being a part of such a complex and deep show stretched my capabilities as an actress. Our class became so much closer, and I'm so grateful to have been a part of this show!"

Celia Shafer, 11



POOL PROCESS

The Metamorphoses cast, members of Aves Theater, and theater director John Whapham built a real pool onstage to house the show scenes. The four-week project included many hands, pool heaters, chlorine, and even some leaks. The crew also made a whole new seating arrangement on the stage to create a "black box theater," an intimate setup that places the audience right in the action.

"Managing the pool was a crazy challenge but also insanely rewarding. All 4947.33 gallons of it!," said **Jude Whalen, 12**.

