Matthew Joseph-Biography

Matthew Joseph, 16 years, based in Brisbane, is an upcoming Australian actor born to Indian parents. He has acted as a Main Cast in the Hollywood Drama Series "Shantaram" produced by Paramount Studios which is an Apple TV Plus Original series. During 4 months of filming, he gained lot of experience acting along with famous actors like Charlie Hunnam, Alexander Siddiq, David Field and so on. The three directors of the series highly appreciated the actor in him and his flexibility in acting. He is a quick learner and managed to handle well with some foreign languages with a dialect coach. He was also invited to attend the Premier in Los Angeles.

Matthew has an immense passion towards acting. During his childhood, he played various roles in productions, which sparked his passion. It was at the age of 10 that his novice acting skills took centre stage, with his role as Aladdin in the production "Aladdin and the Magic Lamp". The following year, he went to play Bert in his school's rendition of "Mary Poppins". He then went on to receive the Art Excellence award. At the age of 11, after an initial evaluation of his acting skills, he was directly enrolled into professional senior acting classes.

Matthew is very keen to develop his career in acting and looks forward to starring in more exciting and challenging roles. He has also enrolled for a military camp during school holidays which involves high intensity trainings including sky diving.

Other Skills

Karate & Shaolin Kempo- Initially learned Karate for 3 years and switched to Shaolin Kempo since last 3 years.

Drums – Learning Drums from professional Drummer Bryan Macaranas. Swimming- Good proficiency in swimming.

Soccer- Played for local clubs during primary school period. Highland Dancing- Learned for 6 years.

Trainings

Screen Acting Level 1 – Positive Impact Academy/ Jane Oliffe Screen Acting Level 2 – Positive Impact Academy/ Krystall Shuttleworth Screen Acting Workshop – Dr.Stephen Atkins Fluent in English with Australian, American, British & Indian Accents

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