

THE YOUNG COMPANY THEATRE PRESENTS



platform

youth theatre festival

FRIDAY 19 OCT - SUNDAY 21 OCT 2018
13YRS - 25YRS @ TYC, 169 BUNDA ST, CAIRNS CITY

“A Platform for young creatives
To Engage, Be Inspired and To Imagine
the possibilities while showcasing their
creativity in the performing arts”

the creative engine panel // starstruck by belinda bradley // the affairs at meddler tops
by richard coleman // character and narrative devising workshop // stage make and
special effects workshop // audition preparation workshop // red strings of fate by zoe
torrens joa son maddi pinchbeck // snow white: the story behind the tale by catherine
mcguinness ellena johnson tom burvill // knowing me by amber grossmann // the
parting glass by finn russell // 12 stories high by molly pointing finn russell catherine
mcguinness // ghosted by grace morgan kelly pienaer

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for children, young people & their families



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IMAGINE

FRIDAY OCTOBER 19TH | 5PM - 9PM

Platform: Youth Theatre Festival opens with a comic-con style panel, 'The Creative Engine', discussing and exploring how to fuel a creative spark. We then follow on with our first adventure showcase by our Platform's Young Ambassadors, 'The Affairs at Meddler Tops' by Richard Coleman.

ENGAGE

SATURDAY OCTOBER 20TH | 9AM - LATE

Festival goers will engage with established local artists in unique workshop style sessions including BUILDING BLOCKS: Character and Narrative Devising) with ATYP, EYE-CONIC: Stage Make Up Unpacked (inc special effects) with Sue Kim and MISSION POSSIBLE: Auditions in a Nut Shell with CQU Associate Lecturer Acting, Karen Crone.

Each workshop is specifically designed for up and coming young creatives to sharpen their theatrical and creative abilities. Participants will work towards creating their own unique theatre experience. We then finish the night with our second adventure showcase by our Platform's Young Ambassadors, 'Starstruck' by Belinda Bradley.

INSPIRE

SUNDAY OCTOBER 21ST | 9AM - 3PM

Join us for a full day of self-produced innovative artistic experiences, produced and created by your fellow peers. These theatrical experiences have been crafted by our regions young producers and will showcase their abilities in a variety of artistic forms. Participants and Performers alike will then have the chance to engage with our regions other young creatives in developing frameworks for their creative pathways towards employment in the arts sector. The festival program will conclude with creative workshop with Hayley Gillespie and a picnic by the esplanade lagoon.

*The original works created and workshopped on the "Engage" sessions will have the opportunity to be further developed and showcased as a part of TYC's Fringe Festival in 2019.

**weekend @
at a glance**

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| Day | Approx. Time | Activity |
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| Friday 19 Oct | 5pm | Platform Youth Theatre Festival Opening |
| | 5:15pm | TYC 2019 Program Launch. |
| | 5:30pm | CREATIVE ENGINE: Discussion with leading key creatives in Cairns on how to develop your creative projects from the ground up. |
| | 7pm | TYC Theatre Lab Ensemble present ' <i>The Affairs at Meddlers Top</i> ' by Richard Coleman |

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| Sat 20 Oct | 9am | BUILDING BLOCKS: Character & Narrative Devising! With Rowan Bate (ATYP) |
| | 11am | Morning Tea |
| | 1130am | EYE-CONIC: Stage Makeup Unpacked! With Sue Kim (Sue Kim Special Effects) |
| | 130pm | Lunch |
| | 230pm | MISSION POSSIBLE: All About Auditions! With Karen Crone (CQU Acting) |
| | 430pm | Dinner Break |
| | 6:30pm | TYC Theatre Lab Ensemble present ' <i>Star Struck</i> ' by Belinda Bradley |

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| Sun 21 Oct | 10am | <u>Young Creatives Showcase</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. "Knowing Me" by Amber Grossman 2. "12 Stories High" by Molly Pointing, Finn Russell & Catherine McGuinness 3. "Ghosted" by Grace Morgan & Kelly Pienaar 4. "The Parting Glass" by Finn Russell 5. "Snow White: The Story Behind the Tale" By Catherine McGuinness, Ellie Johnson & Tom Burvill |
| | 12pm | BLANK SLATE: Your Creativity Canvas With Hayley Gillespie (Visual Artist) |
| | 2pm | Picnic in the Park Esplanade Lagoon |
| | 4pm | Platform Youth Theatre Festival Closing |

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"IT WAS A LIFETIME EXPERIENCE THAT WILL ALWAYS BE REMEMBERED" RILEY (9YRS)

5YRS - 18YRS

SUMMER DRAMA PROGRAMS

YOUR YOUNG PERFORMER WILL DISCOVER THEIR ELECTRIFYING CREATIVE ABILITIES, SUPER CHARGED SOCIAL CONFIDENCE AND MAGNETIC IDEA GENERATION SKILLS AS THEY ARE NURTURED THROUGH OUR POWERFUL YOUTH THEATRE FRAMEWORK AND PERFORM IN THEIR VERY OWN WORLD WIDE PREMIERE IN OUR ADVENTURE THEATRE!

5-DAY SCRIPTED PROG.

WHERE HEARTS ARE KEPT ICE-COLD...

HUMBUG HIGH

MON 10 DEC - FRI 14 DEC 2018*
11YRS - 18YRS | 9AM - 3PM*



"I. LOVE. EVERY. SECOND"

AVA | TYC PARTICIPANT

4-DAY HOLIDAY PROG.

THE SEARCH FOR HAPPILY EVER AFTER...

ISLAND OF LOST STORIES

TUES 11 DEC - FRI 14 DEC 2018
5YRS - 12YRS | 9AM - 3PM*

5-DAY SCRIPTED PROG.

AGENT JANE BLONDE & THE MIB TO THE RESCUE...

CHRISTMAS IS FOREVER

MON 17 DEC - FRI 21 DEC 2018*
11YRS - 18YRS | 9AM - 3PM*



"TYC IS LIFE CHANGING"

JENNY GUNSAMY | TYC PARENT

4-DAY HOLIDAY PROG.

UNLOCK THE REALMS WITH THE SUGAR PLUMS

A CRACKER OF A XMAS

TUES 18 DEC - FRI 21 DEC 2018
5YRS - 12YRS | 9AM - 3PM*

4-DAY HOLIDAY PROG.

FANTASTIC TREATS & WHERE TO HIDE THEM

TUES 8 JAN - FRI 11 JAN 2019
5YRS - 12YRS | 9AM - 3PM*



"IT WAS THE BEST WEEK OF MY LIFE"

STELLA | TYC HOLIDAY PARTICIPANT

4-DAY HOLIDAY PROG.

WITH A CLICK OF THE FINGERS!

MARVEL MANIA!

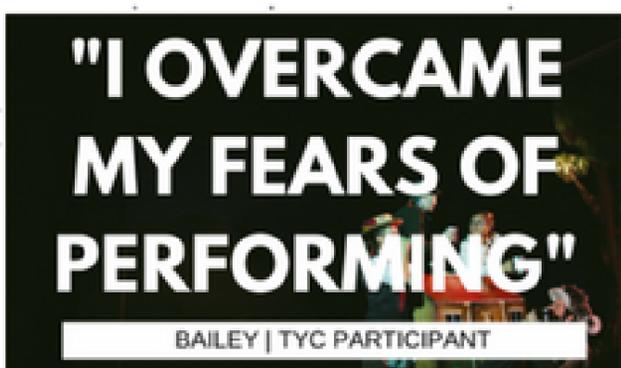
TUES 15 JAN - FRI 18 JAN 2019
5YRS - 12YRS | 9AM - 3PM*

5-DAY SCRIPTED PROG.

SAVE THE WORLD FROM STORY OBLITERATION...

REBOOT-LIZATION

MON 21 JAN - FRI 25 JAN 2019
11YRS - 18YRS | 9AM - 3PM*



"I OVERCAME MY FEARS OF PERFORMING"

BAILEY | TYC PARTICIPANT

4-DAY HOLIDAY PROG.

THE SPLENDID JOLLY HOLIDAY ADVENTURE...

A SPOONFUL OF WONDER

MON 21 JAN - THURS 24 JAN 2019
5YRS - 12YRS | 9AM - 3PM*



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TYC IS A NATIONALLY RECOGNISED, MULTI-AWARD WINNING, PROFESSIONAL YOUTH THEATRE COMPANY LOCATED IN CAIRNS. OUR MISSION AT THE YOUNG COMPANY IS TO SPARK THE IMAGINATION AND FUEL A SENSE OF DISCOVERY IN CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE. WE DO THIS THROUGH INNOVATIVE & SPECIALISED THEATRE FOR, BY AND WITH CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE.

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