

# SPOTLIGHT

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF:

**THE  
YOUNG  
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THEATRE**

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## A BIG WARM WINTER WELCOME

Welcome to TYC's August - September Newsletter, and what a massive issue it is! What excitement this semester will bring with TYC celebrating its 10th Birthday this month! The energy is high with our workshop participants beginning work on a series of fantastic performances for our Crunch Festival in November! We are also excited to announce our Spectacular Spring Holiday Drama Camps are now taking priority bookings for participants aged 5-18 years! A friendly reminder for everyone to ensure that they also bring their water bottle to each workshop as a new term of exhilarating theatrics commences.

## SPECTACULAR SPRING HOLIDAY DRAMA PROGRAMS

### BOOK TODAY TO GET YOUR EARLY BIRD SAVING

Get set for a season of mind-blowing theatrics these school holidays with TYC's Spectacular Spring Drama Program (5yrs - 18yrs). Participate in our 4 or 5 day programs and get set for a wild ride!

If your 5 - 12yrs of age then it is time to grab your adventure equipment and launch into the crystal caves with Adventure Chronicles: The Last Crusade (Tue 24/9 - Fri 27/9) or dive underwater with our musical theatre program and see what magic awaits in Under the Sea: Treasures of Atlantis (Tue 1/10 - Fri 4/10).

For our 10yrs - 18yrs students who are feeling the music or can't help tapping their toes to their favourite song, why not join us for our 5-day Super Musical Scripted production of 'High School Musical: A Comical Spoofical' (Tue 24/9 - Sat 28/9). Or join us for our Marvel Spotlight: Mirror of Most Value (Tue 1/10 - Sat 5/10) as we merge our stage theatre skills and film abilities all in one week!

So, step into the spotlight with TYC's Spring School Holiday Drama Programs these school holidays and grab your Early Bird Saving.

All Programs run from 9am - 3pm. Or why not check out our new Extended Program times from 8am - 5pm which will include extra theatrical surprises!

For more information or to book today....

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## AUDITION NOTICE: WOTCHA! GOTCHA! STEAM PUNK PANTOMIME (ALICE IN WONDERLAND)

**WEDNESDAY 14 AUGUST // 5.15PM - 7.15PM 2019**

**10YRS+ REGISTER VIA WEBSITE**

Alice Liddell is kidnapped by the villains Mad Hat and Moriarty and taken through the looking glass to an alternate universe and imprisoned in their Dirigible because they want to take over her world and they have a cunning plan to get their way. Her friends Dodgson and Prince Leopold enlist the help of the slightly less famous Shamrock Holmes and his sidekick, James Watson to get her back to their side of the looking glass. Together with the Dame and the Baker Street Irregulars, they set out to rescue her and save their world from imminent disaster. Come along and audition for TYCs Semester Two Panto Please register via our email [admin@theyoungcompany.com.au](mailto:admin@theyoungcompany.com.au) (Limited places available)

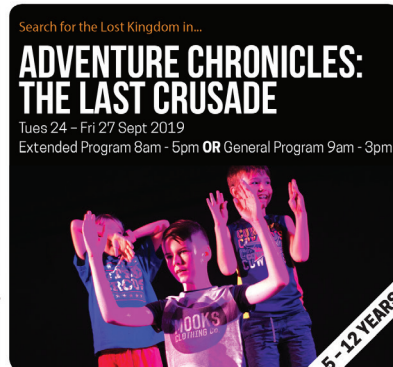
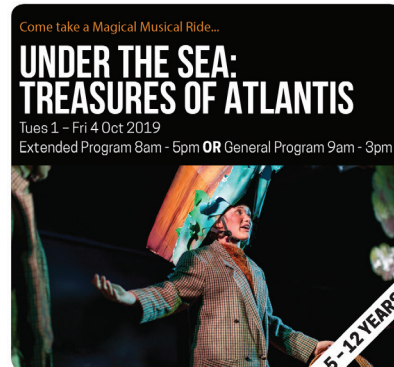
## AUDITION NOTICE: MAINSTAGE 2020 SEASON

**FRIDAY 20 & SATURDAY 21 SEPTEMBER 2019**

**REGISTER VIA WEBSITE**

Do you want to engage with our regions professional arts practitioners? TYC will be holding their 2019 Mainstage Auditions on Fri 21 and Sat 22 Sept. We are seeking young people between the ages of 10yrs and 25 years to perform in our Mainstage Productions in 2019. Our successful Auditionees will stage a full length scripted play for the general public and participate in various master classes with our regions professional arts practitioners.

Please register via our website (Limited places available) [www.theyoungcompany.com.au/auditions](http://www.theyoungcompany.com.au/auditions)



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## TYC BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION & PANTOMIME: BEAUTY AND THE BEAST BY TYC PANTO TROUPE

SUNDAY 11 AUGUST // 1.00PM – 3.30PM

ALL TICKETS \$10

Join us at The Young Company Theatre for our tenth birthday celebrations with TYCs Panto Troupe production of 'Beauty and the Beast'.

### A TALE AS OLD AS PANTOMIME

A handsome yet vain and cruel Prince lived in a magnificent Palace until a terrible curse from a wicked Enchantress transformed him into a monstrous beast. Meanwhile, beautiful Belle lives in her provincial French village with her hapless Father. She dreams of living the adventures she reads about in her books. The Prince loses all hope of breaking the curse as who could ever learn to love a beast?

Tickets can be booked online [www.theyoungcompany.com.au/panto](http://www.theyoungcompany.com.au/panto)



## FESTIVAL CAIRNS 2019:

### SLINGSBY'S THE YOUNG KING @ TYC

What kind of King would you be? A naïve boy raised by goatherds turns out to be the heir to the kingdom. Untold treasures and privileges are laid at his feet, but at what cost to others? The achingly beautiful and tender language of Oscar Wilde is brought to life by award-winning theatre company, Slingsby, in this intimate theatrical experience. Audiences will be taken on a journey to faraway lands replete with rich rewards and challenging choices. Upon entering the magical and whimsical world of The Young King they will become part of the story, interacting with the artists and each other. Featuring music and puppetry, this immersive play is a sensory delight for children, young people and their families.

### PERFORMANCE SEASON

SATURDAY 24 AUGUST // 11.00AM

SUNDAY 25 AUGUST // 11.00AM AND 2.00PM

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR OR AT TICKETLINK.  
ALL TICKETS \$25

[www.theyoungcompany.com.au/the-young-king](http://www.theyoungcompany.com.au/the-young-king)

## END OF SEMESTER CRUNCH PERFORMANCE TIMETABLE

Just a friendly reminder to save the date your child's performance details for their upcoming CRUNCH FESTIVAL (End of Semester Production). Students will also be required to attend their costume and technical rehearsal prior to their production at TYC. Students are more than welcome to utilize TYCs costumes for their end of semester production, or they are more than welcome to make their costume at home. Please check the timetable enclosed in this newsletter or head online to our CRUNCH Festival area.

## TYC MAINSTAGE 2019: A WRINKLE IN TIME BY MADELEINE L'ENGLE CAMP

FRIDAY 6TH & SATURDAY 7TH SEPTEMBER // 7.00PM

Audiences of all ages will be on the edge of their seat as this exhilarating saga unfolds before their eyes with such an exciting story of love and hope!

Be sure not to miss our next star-studded Mainstage event with one of literature's most enduring young heroines, Meg Murry, she is back-braces, stubbornness and all. Once again, she's joining forces with Mrs. Whatsit, Charles Wallace, Calvin O'Keefe and more to battle the forces of evil so she can rescue her father, save humanity and find herself. In the end, we know two things for sure:

1. **Love CAN overcome evil and**
2. **There IS such a thing as a tesseract.**

If anybody invited you to go to a newly discovered galaxy, would you go? I would. It's a wonderful way to meet new and exciting people!

### PERFORMANCE SEASON

FRIDAY 6TH – SATURDAY 7TH SEPTEMBER

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR OR AT TICKETLINK. ALL TICKETS \$17.10

[www.theyoungcompany.com.au/a-wrinkle-in-time](http://www.theyoungcompany.com.au/a-wrinkle-in-time)

## DATES TO REMEMBER:

- TYC's 10th Birthday Panto Celebration | Sunday 11 August 1pm - 330pm
- Australian Tour of Slingsby's 'The Young King' @ TYC 24 Aug - 25 Aug 2019 (Cairns Festival)
- Mainstage Production A Wrinkle in Time | Friday 6 - Sat 7 Sept 2019
- Mainstage 2020 Auditions | 20th & 21st September 2019
- End of Term Three Youth Theatre Workshops | Saturday 22 September
- Spring Drama Camp (5yrs - 12yrs) | Tuesday 24 Sept - Friday 27 Sept | 9am - 3pm
- Spring Drama Camp (10yrs - 18yrs) | Tuesday 24 Sept - Sat 28 Sept | 9am - 3pm
- Spring Drama Camp (5yrs - 12yrs) | Tuesday 1 Oct - Friday 4 Oct | 9am - 3pm
- Spring Drama Camp (10yrs - 18yrs) | Tuesday 1 Oct - Sat 5 Oct | 9am - 3pm
- Term Four Weekly Youth Theatre Workshops Commence | Mon 14 October
- TYC Platform Youth Theatre Festival (15yrs+) | Friday 18 October - Sunday 20 October
- TYC End of Semester Crunch Performance Festival | Monday 11 Nov - Sat 30 Nov

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Discover your electrifying creative abilities, super charged social confidence and magnetic. Idea generation skills as you are nurtured through our powerful youth theatre. Framework and perform in your very own world wide premiere in our adventure theatre!

*Search for the Lost Kingdom in...*

## ADVENTURE CHRONICLES: THE LAST CRUSADE

Tues 24 - Fri 27 Sept 2019

Extended Program 8am - 5pm **OR** General Program 9am - 3pm



5-12 YEARS

*Come take a Magical Musical Ride...*

## UNDER THE SEA: TREASURES OF ATLANTIS

Tues 1 - Fri 4 Oct 2019

Extended Program 8am - 5pm **OR** General Program 9am - 3pm



5-12 YEARS

*Unleash your extraordinary musical talents with...*

## HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL: A COMICAL SPOOFICAL

Tues 24 - Sat 28 Sept 2019

Extended Program 8am - 5pm **OR** General Program 9am - 3pm



10-18 YEARS

*When self-penned fan fiction goes haywire...*

## MARVEL SPOTLIGHT: MIRROR OF MOST VALUE

Tues 1 - Sat 5 Oct 2019

Extended Program 8am - 5pm **OR** General Program 9am - 3pm



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