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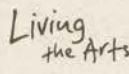
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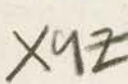
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## Accessibility

If you require wheelchair access there are two ways you can confirm this information:

- 01 Visit [melbournefringe.com.au](http://melbournefringe.com.au) and go to the search section to find information on venue accessibility for each event
- 02 Call the venue directly to make sure that they are accessible for wheelchairs

Melbourne Fringe makes every effort to ensure that our accessibility information is up to date. Please contact us if information is not correct.



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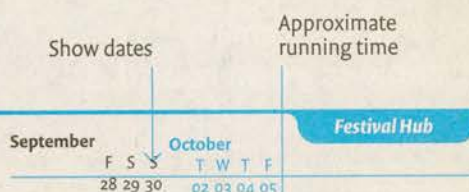
### In the Shade of the Pear Tree

Mick's Theatre Collective

Conscripted at 16. Refugee at 17. Bride at 20. Mother at 21. How can Amelia relate to her grandmother? Together they capture a fading story before it drifts away forever.

"Christo is utterly convincing..." – The Age.

Written and Performed by Amelia Christo  
Production Designer Tom Webster



**Venue** Festival Hub – The Raglan, 14 Raglan St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 11  
**Time** 9.15pm, Sun 8.15pm (55min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10, Tues \$11, Prev \$10, G(S) \$10, Snr \$10  
**Website** [myspace.com/shadepeartree](http://myspace.com/shadepeartree)  
**Other Info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept



- A – Adult ticket
- C – Concession ticket
- myF – myFringe ticket
- Prev – Preview
- Snr – Senior ticket
- Tues – Tightarse Tuesday
- G – Group

- Tightarse Tuesday
- Licensed Venue
- Food

### Disclaimer

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## Premier of Victoria JOHN BRUMBY MP

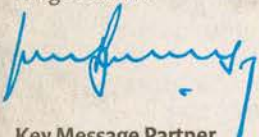
I would like to congratulate the Melbourne Fringe Festival on its 25th anniversary.

Melbourne Fringe began 25 years ago with 120 artists. Today, more than 3,000 artists and 200,000 Victorians participate in a festival which showcases the very best innovative and experimental art and ideas in Australia.

Our Government is proud to support this unique celebration of new ideas, new artforms and new perspectives on our world. Melbourne Fringe not only provides a platform for young and emerging artists, it presents audiences with the opportunity to experience the unexpected at venues across our city and State, and it provides an insight into our next generation of creative pioneers.

Today, Melbourne Fringe remains true to its beginnings as a broad and inclusive forum for Victoria's independent artists to explore diversity and creativity in all its forms.

I congratulate everyone involved and encourage Victorians to get involved in the 2007 Melbourne Fringe Festival.



Key Message Partner  
**DANIEL ANDREWS MP**  
Minister for Health

The Melbourne Fringe Festival is a great place to meet new people and make new friends.

Celebrating 25 years of creating a unique and valuable platform for Victoria's independent artists, the Festival has something for everyone.

The Victorian Government is a proud sponsor of The Age's 2007 Melbourne Fringe Festival because it provides Victorians, young or old, the opportunity to be part of the city's vibrant arts culture.

Our recent youth STI campaign – *You never know who you'll meet. Play safe. Use a condom* – is a message for everyone, regardless of age or gender. Rising rates of STIs, including HIV, are an international challenge but I am confident that campaigns like this will help raise awareness of these issues

## Minister for the Arts LYNNE KOSKY MP

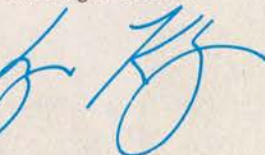
2007 sees Melbourne Fringe celebrate its 25th annual festival.

An event that began with a group of artists planning a week long festival has grown into one of this country's most significant celebrations of independent arts.

This year's festival will see over 260 events taking place in more than 120 theatres, galleries, pubs, cafes, laneways, nooks and crannies across Melbourne. Celebrating independent artists and their work, the festival is attended by more than 200,000 people each year.

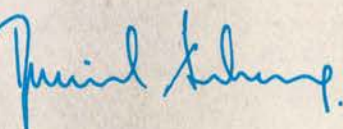
Daring, groundbreaking, experimental, diverse and accessible – Melbourne Fringe provides opportunities for the many voices of Melbourne's vibrant independent arts community. The Victorian Government, through Arts Victoria, supports Victoria's artists to create and present new work and is proud to be a major supporter of Fringe.

Have a great festival.



and encourage everyone to play it safe. Look out for our safe sex squads handing out free condoms and information at various events during the festival.

Enjoy the Festival and remember, with more than 200,000 people attending events throughout the city – you never know who you'll meet at the 2007 Melbourne Fringe Festival.



## Lord Mayor of Melbourne JOHN SO

The Melbourne Fringe Festival places a spotlight on Melbourne's artists, bringing fresh, new artistic work across every discipline to a diverse, eager audience.

The City of Melbourne embraces the idea of Melbourne as a city for the arts, and is thrilled that our city is such a significant centre for bold artistic exploration. Art in Melbourne should be experienced with a boundless sense of adventure, and events like the Melbourne Fringe Festival are an opportunity to celebrate our collective sense of adventure as artists, as an audience and as a community.

The Melbourne Fringe Festival is an essential part of the Melbourne's arts culture, creating a place for ideas that might otherwise remain unrealised. The festival is vital to the sustainability of our arts industry and our reputation as the cultural capital of Australia.

The City of Melbourne is proud to support such an eclectic festival involving more than 3,000 artists and workers displaying and performing work over 263 events across the city.

I hope you will enjoy the 2007 Melbourne Fringe Festival.



## Melbourne Fringe KATH MELBOURNE Creative Producer

On behalf of the team I would like to welcome you to The Age 2007 Melbourne Fringe Festival – our 25th annual Festival – and convey our appreciation to all the artists, arts workers, technicians and audiences who make this event such a vital part of Australia's cultural calendar.

The Age 2007 Melbourne Fringe Festival is our biggest yet and bulging at the seams with the kind of unique artistic collaborations and unforgettable events that make Melbourne Fringe synonymous with all things inventive, surprising and diverse.

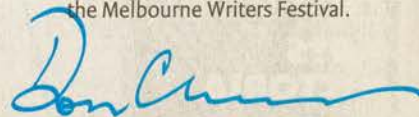
In 25 years Melbourne Fringe has created a rich cultural legacy, a bucket load of sweet memories and a long list of seminal performers, writers, designers and artists who have, and still do, develop groundbreaking work.

Whether you are yet to discover the delights of The Age Melbourne Fringe Festival or have read every program back to front since 1983, 2007 is a great year to watch, participate, squeal with delight and roar with laughter. Enjoy.



## The Age DON CHURCHILL Fairfax Chief Executive and Publisher

The Age is delighted to be the official newspaper of the 2007 Melbourne Fringe Festival. Now in its 25th year, the Festival continues to enthral audiences with its wonderful energy and creative performances. This year's program of 263 events involving 3,000 artists will set a new benchmark. We are looking forward once again to providing comprehensive, quality coverage of the Festival. It is a key component of The Age's support for the arts which includes the Melbourne International Comedy Festival, the Melbourne International Arts Festival, the Melbourne International Film Festival and the Melbourne Writers Festival.





26 September to 14 October  
 10am to 5pm daily  
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A photographic exhibition  
 tracing 25 years of Melbourne Fringe

Featuring photographs published in  
*The Age*, Fringe Framed celebrates the history  
 of Melbourne Fringe – the street parade, the shows,  
 the personalities and the milestones.



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15 September to  
 28 October  
 Curve Bar at the Arts Centre  
 100 St Kilda Rd Melbourne

Monday to Thursday  
 4pm to 1am  
 Friday and Saturday  
 4pm to 3am

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Ballroom (Festival Hub)  
44 Errol St Nth Melbourne  
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STANDUP. LET'S JUST SAY I'M A LITTLE  
PEEVED CAUSE I THINK I OPENED UP  
SOME SUTURES LAUGHING."  
- DOUGO, SYDNEY

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- PAMELA, SWS

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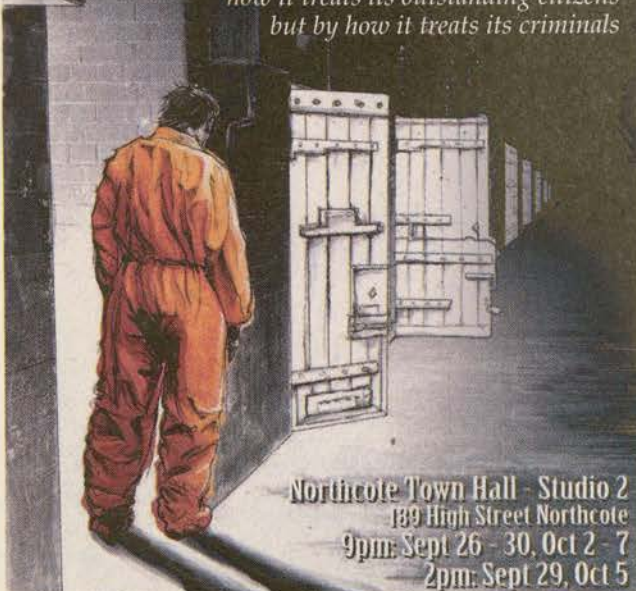
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**CONVICT 002**

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*A society should be judged not by  
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but by how it treats its criminals*



Northcote Town Hall - Studio 2  
189 High Street Northcote  
9pm: Sept 26 - 30, Oct 2 - 7  
2pm: Sept 29, Oct 5



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**Performed by Marg Dobson**  
**Directed by Merophie Carr**

**Arts House**  
**North Melbourne Town Hall**  
**28 September - 13 October**  
**Tues - Sat 8.30pm, Sun 7.30pm**





**Let your imagination guide you to the city's arts and culture.**

Come into the city and meet up with your imagination. There's plenty to explore in Melbourne's art and culture scene – everything from visual art and performance to films, comedy and cultural festivals. Even the streets themselves are humming with activity. So whether you're a traditional art lover, an avant-garde connoisseur or an emerging enthusiast, you'll be amazed by what you'll discover. To find out more visit [thatismelbourne.com.au](http://thatismelbourne.com.au)

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# Festival Club

Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall  
Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne

Free entry from 6pm

## Opening Night Carnivale

8.00pm, Friday 28 September  
Tricks, trapeze and surprise as the Club opens in celebration of 25 years of Melbourne Fringe

## Fringe Spin

10.00pm, Saturday 29 September  
DJ's battle for a first prize valued at a massive \$4,000

## Character Comedy

9.00pm, Sunday 30 September  
Quirky, kooky and hilarious comedy from your favourite character comedians

## Scott Edgar and the Universe with Special Guests

9.00pm, Tuesday 02 October  
Jaunty original acoustic pop-jazz doused in country swagger

## Fringe Trivia #5

7.00pm, Wednesday 03 October  
Melbourne Fringe challenges the arts world

## The Sneaker Trio

10.00pm, Thursday 04 October  
Raw and passionate, red hot soul power

## LABJACD

10.00pm, Friday 05 October  
A mix of old-school hip hop, Cuban salsa and jazz

## The League of Sideshow Superstars III

10.00pm, Saturday 06 October  
A collection of sideshow artists from around the globe, more of a superhuman event than a show

## Character Comedy

9.00pm, Sunday 07 October  
Come and see your favourite character comedians ham it up

## Scott Edgar and the Universe with Special Guests

9.00pm, Tuesday 09 October  
For guests check out [scottedgarandtheuniverse.com](http://scottedgarandtheuniverse.com)

## Tripod

10.00pm, Wednesday 10 October  
One of Australia's most popular and prolific music comedy acts, fresh from the Edinburgh Fringe

## Fringo Bing-ho

9.00pm, Thursday 11 October  
Fun songs, foolish prizes, inappropriate gags with Mzzz Erin Tasmania

## Lost Vegas

8.00pm, Friday 12 October  
Old time glitz and broken dreams...

# Festival Hub

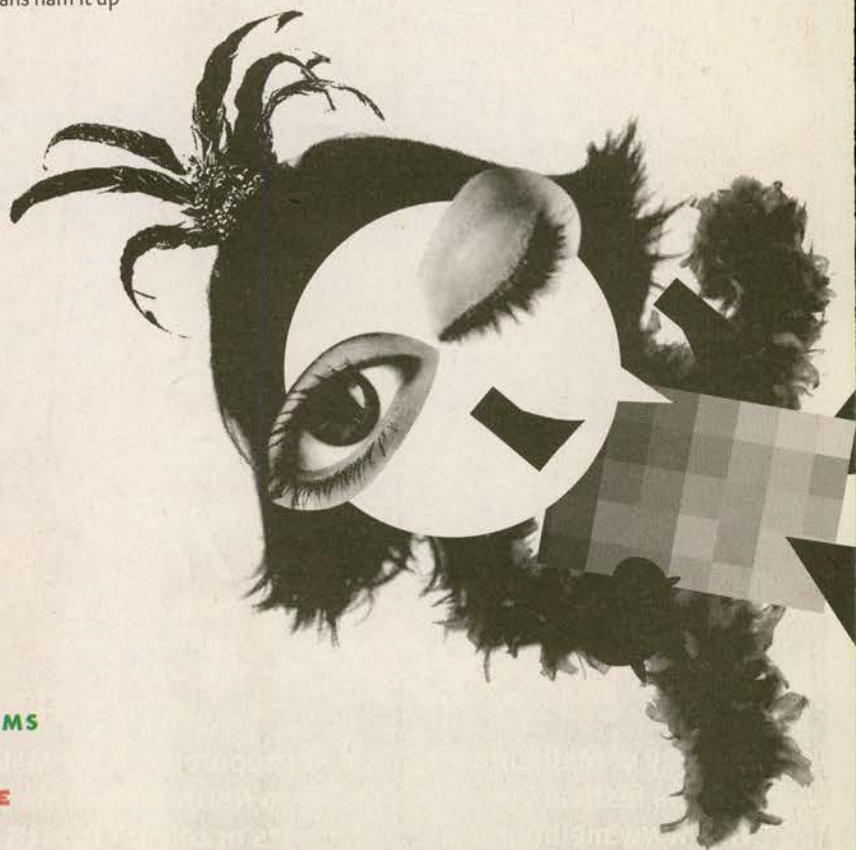
62 events... 14 nights... 01 precinct  
Queensberry and Errol Sts,  
North Melbourne

Festival Hub Opening Night Party

Friday 28 September  
- 2 for 1 tickets

Mid Festival Party

Saturday 06 October  
- 2 for 1 tickets



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Private art in public places

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Various locations in the City of Yarra  
27 September to 14 October  
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Artists: Neil Thomas and Jamie Shoobert, Arhonda P. Orestia, Cate Longden, Maurice Johnston, Chaco Kato, Matthew Harding and Freya MacLaren, Artful Dodgers Studios, Joel Zika, Anne-Sophie Poirier, Dr SueAnne Ware, Cassie Lucas and Bridget Keane

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26 September to 13 October  
10am to 6pm daily  
FREE AND ACCESSIBLE**

Take a plunge  
Spin out  
Teeter on the edge  
Be transported

Communities of young and old, a kinetic sculptor, artists and mechanical engineers have conjured a surprising take on what connects us all

small revolutions are happening  
all around you

Artists: Nadja Kostich, Jeremy Angerson – Paradigm Productions  
Designed and built by: Alex Sanson  
Additional design elements: Marg Horwell  
Sound design and composition: Jethrow Woodward  
Engineering support: Nina Muhleisen and Michael Virag – Mechanical Engineering students from RMIT School of Aerospace, Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering

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# Special events



## 25 sacks for ya back

An exhibition of 25 unique artist-designed Crumpler bags

To celebrate 25 years of Melbourne Fringe, Crumpler invited artists to submit designs for one-off custom bags.

After blood, sweat, tears and many a late night in the Crumpler Custom Store, our 25 favourite entries are now complete and on display.

September										October									
W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	
26	27	28	29	30	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	

**Venue** Crumpler Custom Bag Store, 85 Smith St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 44 B6, tram no: 86, tram stop: 15  
**Time** 10.30–5pm, Thurs, Fri 10.30–6.00pm, Sun 12.00pm–5.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** crumpler.com.au



## Boxwars

A battle of the Elite Cardboard Warriors

boxwars /bohux'worez'/ n. A collection of warriors in cardboard armour engaged in an action packed battle. One of the most unique and spectacular events of Fringe. With licensed bar and rocking bands in a one off show of a lifetime.

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**Venue** St Kilda Bowls Club, 66 Fitzroy St, St Kilda  
**Transport** Melway 2P B4, tram no: 3, 5, 16, 64, tram stop: 30  
**Time** 9.00pm (3 hrs)  
**Tickets** A \$7, C/myF \$5  
**Website** boxwars.net



## Buzzcuts 2007

Daily reviews of Festival events

Buzzcuts trains young writers and broadcasters in critical arts reviewing and gets them out to see Festival events. Catch reviews at buzzcuts.com.au, on 3RRR FM, SYN FM, Beat magazine and The Program.

September										October									
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**Venue** Online/ airwaves/ print  
**Time** 24 hours  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** buzzcuts.com.au

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## CHOSE RONG the musical

a journey through Rose Chong costumes

Come journey through 'Chongworld', Fitzroy's legendary costume shop. Clients, customers and costume tragics combine to create an event, inviting you to play with costume, and challenge your preconceptions, prejudices and peccadilloes. Special guest appearances by Helen Noonan and the Tivoli Lovelies

**Director** Rose Chong  
**Production Designer** Zoe Selena Stuart

September										October									
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**Venue** Rose Chong Costumes, 218 Gertrude St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C C11, tram no: 86, tram stop: 14  
**Time** 7.00pm and 8.00pm (45min)  
**Tickets** \$5



## Death by Chocolate

an interactive murder mystery installation

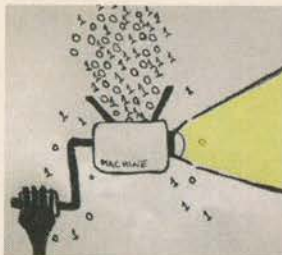
Interview the suspects, sample the chocolates, solve the crime - it's all up to you. Ticket price includes an interactive murder mystery, a selection of fine chocolates, a choice of decadent chocolate liquids, and a 20% discount on purchases made on the night.

Written and Directed by Vanessa B Baylen

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**Venue** Koko Black, 167 Lygon St, Carlton  
**Transport** Melway 2B F9, tram no: 1, 3, 5, 6, 8, 16, 22, 64, 6, tram stop: 2  
**Time** 6.00pm (120min)  
**Tickets** A \$23, C/myF \$20  
**Website** immihq.com





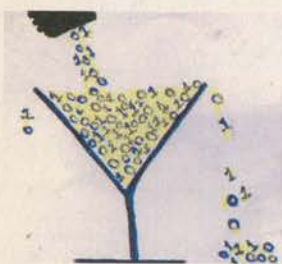
### Digital Fringe

Broadcast across the city using screens, projections, and the web, *Digital Fringe* showcases the latest digital art from around the world and features interactive media shenanigans from a school of local media artists. For more info, log onto [digitalfringe.com.au](http://digitalfringe.com.au)

**Produced by** Horse Bazaar in association with Melbourne Fringe

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**Venue** On your computer and screens around Melbourne  
**Time** 24 hours  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** [digitalfringe.com.au](http://digitalfringe.com.au)



### Digital Fringe launch

Celebrate the launch of *Digital Fringe* and *The Age* 2007 Melbourne Fringe Festival. Explore novel uses for your mobile phone and meet the guerrilla crews of the MPU (Mobile Projection Unit). Saddle up for a digital ride of ones and zeros across 19 days of mayhem and expression on more than 50 screens across Melbourne.

**Produced by** Horse Bazaar in association with Melbourne Fringe

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**Venue** Horse Bazaar, 397 Little Lonsdale St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 1A J2, tram no: 19,57,59,68, tram stop: 4  
**Time** 7.00pm-1.00am  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** [horsebazaar.com.au](http://horsebazaar.com.au)



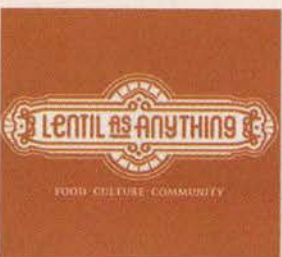
### Electric Shorts

*Electric Shorts* is the only short film festival in the world showcasing films that have been fully self funded by the filmmaker. Now in its 4th year, we will highlight 12 shorts that will excite, entertain and enthrall.

**Produced by** Melbourne Fringe

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**Venue** Loop Project Space and Bar, 21 Meyers Pl, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2F J2, tram no: 86,96, tram stop: 8  
**Time** 7.30pm (120min)  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** [orasy.salutist.net/electricsHORTS](http://orasy.salutist.net/electricsHORTS)



### Existential Culturemania

Dinner and show every night featuring entertainers from our refugee and migrant communities including Ethiopian dancing and coffee ceremonies, singing from Sudan, food from Palestine, Japan, Morocco and Columbian coffee.

Cooking workshops, African Tues 03 Oct and Sri Lankan Wed 04 Oct.

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**Venue** The Abbotsford Convent - Lentil as Anything, 1 St Helliers St, Abbotsford  
**Transport** Melway 2D C9  
**Time** 8.00pm (90min), Cooking workshops 3.00pm (120min) 03 and 04 Oct  
**Tickets** Free



### Fringe Framed

#### A photographic history of Melbourne Fringe

This year is the 25th Melbourne Fringe Festival. From mullets to interpretive dance, the Fringe has been showing Melbourne the wilder side of our city's culture since 1983. Chosen from *The Age* photography archive, this exhibition celebrates that history: the street parade, the shows, the personalities and the milestones. Exhibition opens 15 Sept.

**Produced by** Melbourne Fringe

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**Venue** the Arts Centre, Curve Bar, 100 St Kilda Road, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway, tram no: 1, 3, 5, 6, 8, 16, 72, tram stop: 14  
**Time** Mon-Thur 4.00pm-1.00am, Fri, Sat 4.00pm-3.00am  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** [melbournefringe.com.au](http://melbournefringe.com.au)



### Fringe Furniture 2007 - Material/ism

The 2007 Fringe Furniture theme, *Material/ism*, seeks to allow all that "matters" in furniture and 2007 focuses more broadly into furnishings. Exhibits in this year's show will embody a diversity of materials, ideas, forms, functions and potentially, inspire the desire to acquire. Ultimately, what materialises will be an abundance of diverse creativity!

**Produced by** Melbourne Fringe

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**Venue** Melbourne Museum, Nicholson St, Carlton  
**Transport** Melway 2B J10, tram no: 86, 96, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 10.00pm-5.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** [melbournefringe.com.au](http://melbournefringe.com.au)





## Fringe Furniture Underground

### Fringe Furniture underground at The Basement

An in-store installation of contemporary, cutting-edge furniture by previous Fringe Furniture artists and designers, housed underground in Melbourne's most dynamic retail space.

Vote for your favourite in the People's Choice, for your chance to win a \$500 voucher from The Basement.

Produced by Melbourne Fringe

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<b>Venue</b>	The Basement, Underneath Myer Melbourne, Bourke St, Melbourne
<b>Transport</b>	Melway 2F E3, tram no: 86,95,96, tram stop: 5
<b>Time</b>	9.00am, Sun 10.00am
<b>Tickets</b>	Free
<b>Website</b>	melbournefringe.com.au



## Fringo Bing-ho

Fun songs, foolish prizes, inappropriate gags and the chance to win, win, WIN (or lose), in a game that's definitely NOT for the whole family. Presented by the charmingly OPINIONATED style icon and role-model to troubled teens, Mzzz Erin Tasmania. Tickets are just \$1 (Yes, you read right.)

Presented by Melbourne Fringe

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<b>Venue</b>	Festival Club - Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne
<b>Transport</b>	Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12
<b>Time</b>	9.00pm (120min)
<b>Tickets</b>	Free
<b>Website</b>	melbournefringe.com.au



## Gimmix Presents Flutter

A flamboyant extravaganza over two nights starring the controversial and outrageous 'Gimmix' delivering their live raw message of environmental concern.

In *Flutter* the girls share an overwhelmingly immersive spectacular. Their luscious visual utopia of live performances, 3D and 2D images.

Presented by he + eve rmit union arts collective  
Produced and Performed by Rachel Hanrahan and Erin Veronica O'Callaghan

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<b>Venue</b>	RMIT - Virtual Reality Centre, 110 Victoria St, Building 91, Level 1
<b>Transport</b>	Melway 2B E11, tram no: 1,3,5,6,8,16,22,64,6, tram stop: 8
<b>Time</b>	6.00pm (4hrs)
<b>Tickets</b>	Free
<b>Website</b>	gimmix.net
<b>Other info</b>	Opening Night 11 Oct



## Grit and Gold: Dorothy Porter and Carrie Tiffany

### Fringe at Gasworks

Join two of Melbourne's most gifted writers: Dorothy Porter and Carrie Tiffany. Both tackle the gritty side of life and their works display probing insights into the human condition

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<b>Venue</b>	Gasworks - Foyer, 21 Graham St, Albert Park
<b>Transport</b>	Melway 2J G7, tram no: 1, tram stop: 30
<b>Time</b>	2.00pm (60min)
<b>Tickets</b>	A \$12, C/myF \$8
<b>Website</b>	gasworks.org.au



## Lost Vegas

### Big numbers with a twist

Forget the glamour, the glitz and the MGM Grand. Lost Vegas takes you to the seamier side to life in the desert of broken dreams. Join some of Melbourne's favourite faded matinee idols for a night of tap, big band crooners, antique roulette and old-fashioned hospitality.

Produced by Melbourne Fringe

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<b>Venue</b>	Festival Club - Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne
<b>Transport</b>	Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12
<b>Time</b>	8.00pm-3.00am
<b>Tickets</b>	Free
<b>Website</b>	melbournefringe.com.au



## Site Unseen

### private art in public places

*Site Unseen* will pay homage to the sites of personal events that are private, but commonly shared. Temporary artworks will reveal themselves as you pass along streets, alleyways and buildings. Each will be accompanied by its unique story and can be located through a map on the website.

Produced by Melbourne Fringe

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<b>Venue</b>	Various locations in the City of Yarra
<b>Time</b>	8.00am-8.00pm
<b>Tickets</b>	Free
<b>Website</b>	melbournefringe.com.au/siteunseen





## small revolutions

a still point in a turning world

Take a plunge, spin out, teeter on the edge, be transported. Communities of young and old, a kinetic sculptor, artists and mechanical engineers have conjured a surprising take on what connects us all. *small revolutions* are happening around you.

Produced by Melbourne Fringe

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**Venue** Federation Square,  
Cnr Swanston and Flinders Sts, Melbourne

**Transport** Melway 2F G5, tram no: 48,70,75, tram stop: 5

**Time** 10.00am-6.00pm

**Tickets** Free

**Website** melbournefringe.com.au



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# Performance



Performance



## 52 Pick Up

A shuffle of the deck, a flip of the card.  
A guy and a girl, suspending their act on the chance of a one off deal.

The fate of their relationship lies on what card is turned over and when.

**Performers** Holly McBride and Brenton Amies

September	October
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**Venue** The Butterfly Club, 204 Bank St, Sth Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2K D2, tram no: 112, tram stop: 128  
**Time** 7.00pm (85min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C \$15  
**Website** [myspace.com/52pick\\_up](http://myspace.com/52pick_up)  
**Other info** Opening night 11 Oct



## A Rock In The Sky

ufos, little green men, glowing lights in the sky. These things are difficult to sort out armed with only an inflexible rule book and a pair of handcuffs.

Closes 20 Oct. See event website for details.

**Written and Directed by** Thomas Firth  
**Performers** Michael Cahill, Alan Gelder, Paddy Macrae, Josh O'Hara and Francesca Waters

September	October
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**Venue** Mechanics Institute Performing Arts Centre, Cnr Sydney and Glenlyon Rds, Brunswick  
**Transport** Melway 29 G8, tram no: 19, tram stop: 21  
**Time** 8.00pm, Sun 7.00pm (120min)  
**Tickets** A \$17, C/myF \$13  
**Website** [arockinthesky.com](http://arockinthesky.com)  
**Other info** Opening night 11 Oct

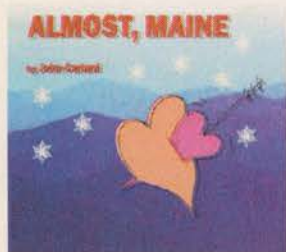


## Aardvark – The Shitt Family Puppet Show

Following their huge success at *The Village* in the Edinburgh Gardens and the Falls Festival. The Shitt Family return to Inner Melbourne. Shitt Puppets, Shitt jokes and an over all Shitt time to be had by all in the best possible way.

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**Venue** The Backyard, 199 Glenlyon Rd, East Brunswick  
**Transport** Melway 29 K9, tram no: 1, 22, tram stop: 122  
**Time** 8.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** \$5  
**Other info** Opening night 26 Sept



## Almost Maine

*Almost Maine* is a play about people who are normally very grounded, but have become excited by love... and other extraordinary occurrences. Everything takes place at nine o'clock on a cold, clear, moonless, slightly surreal and mildly mysterious Friday night.

**Written by** John Cariani  
**Directed by** John Higginson  
**Produced by** Drew Lindo

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**Venue** Locusta, 171 Lygon St, Carlton  
**Transport** Melway 28 F9, tram no: 3, 5, 6, 8, 16, 64, 67, 72, tram stop: 2  
**Time** 8.30pm (120min)  
**Tickets** \$55  
**Other info** Dinner and show, meal from 6pm



## Antidote

WARNING: Keep out of reach of children. Ensure adequate ventilation when viewing. Avoid contact with eyes. If swallowed seek medical advice.

**Director** Rochelle Whyte  
**Performer** Mikaela Martin  
**Writers** Willoh S. Weiland and Darrin Verhagen

September	October
	W T F S S 03 04 05 06 07

**Venue** Lupa Art, Cnr Westgarth and High Sts, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 E11, tram no: 86, tram stop: 27  
**Time** 8.00pm Sun 6.00pm (45min)  
**Tickets** A \$16, C/myF \$12, Snr \$10  
**Other info** Opening night 03 Oct





## Around the World on 80 Quid

### Journey of a travelling fiddler

What began as a literary event in the Galway Arts Festival has blossomed into a 1-hour music theatre show.

Hopping form, scripted beat poetry to improvised comedy, the show swings from stand up to sit down to dance and cabaret with fantastic music.

Written and Performed by Aindra de Staic

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Meeting Room – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne

**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12

**Time** 8.45pm, Sun 7.45pm (50min)

**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$12, Tues \$12, G(5) \$12

**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept



## Babble presents Liner Notes Vol 2: The Velvet Underground & Nico

### A spoken word tribute!

A spoken word tribute to the Velvet Underground's amazingly influential debut album, *The Velvet Underground and Nico*, otherwise known as *The Banana Album*! We choose eleven of Melbourne's finest writers and randomly assign them a track each. Their mission: to respond in whatever way they see fit.

September		October		
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**Venue** Bar Open, 317 Brunswick St, Fitzroy

**Transport** Melway 2C B6, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16

**Time** 8.30pm (4hrs)

**Tickets** A \$8, C/myF \$6

**Website** baropen.com.au



## Best of Mudfest 10

### Melbourne University Arts Festival

In association with *The Age 2007 Melbourne Fringe Festival* we are delighted to present a performance season, *Best of Mudfest 10* showcasing the creative spirit, artistic energy and cultural expression of Melbourne University students.

Presented by Melbourne University Student Union

September		October							Festival Hub						
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**Venue** Festival Hub – The Ballroom, Lithuanian Club 44 Errol St, North Melbourne

**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12

**Time** 6.15pm, Sun 5.15pm (60min)

**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10

**Website** mudfest.org.au

**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 06 Oct and 09 Oct



## Blue Italian + Instructions for Life

### When destiny calls, make sure you're home

Plates will be thrown and lives will shatter in Bearbrass Theatre Company's startling physical exploration of a young woman's search for place, memory and love. But who will pick up the pieces?

Season opens 20 Sept. See venue website for details.

Writer Katie Pollock

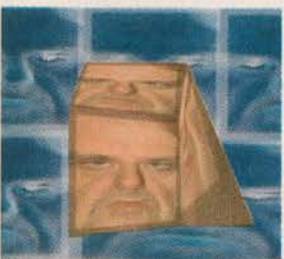
September		October			
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**Venue** Chapel Off Chapel, 12 Little Chapel St, Prahran

**Transport** Melway 2L J10, tram no: 72, tram stop: 31

**Time** 8.00pm, Sun 6.00pm (60min)

**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15



## Boxashorts 2

### Edge Of Sanity

Defector Art Theatre presents another night of short plays. After the success of *Boxashorts 1* and *Subversive*, comes *Boxashorts 2*. Featuring everything from horror to comedy, each writer will present a different slant on what 'Edge of Sanity' means.

September		October			
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**Venue** Cromwell Rd Theatre, 27a Cromwell Rd, South Yarra

**Transport** Melway 2M A8, tram no: 8, tram stop: 32

**Time** 8.00pm (75 min)

**Tickets** A \$25, C/myF \$15, G(10) \$14

**Website** defectorart.com



## Cake

### A warm heart makes the tastiest treats

With its "whisperings and wanderings and wobbly knees", *Cake* is a culinary tour-de-force of passion and pavlova. Indulge your senses as Astrid Pill and Zoe Barry cook up a deliciously dizzy mélange of loss, recovery, serenade, seduction and satire.

Writer Astrid Pill  
Producers Vitalstistix and Ladykillers  
Presented by Malthouse Theatre

September		October							
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**Venue** Tower Theatre at The CUB Malthouse, 113 Sturt St, Southbank (Mel 2F F10)

**Time** 7.30pm 26–29 Sept, 03–06 Oct; 7.00pm 02 Oct; 5.30pm 07 Oct; Matinee 2.30pm and 7.30pm 29 Sept; 1.00pm and 7.30pm 04 Oct (55min)

**Tickets** A \$30, C/myF \$23, Prev \$26, G(10) \$26, Student rush \$15

**Website** malthousetheatre.com.au

**Other info** Preview 26 Sept, Opening Night 27 Sept







## Chartbusting 80s goes Cabaret

Cult 80s music-variety show *Chartbusting 80s* is taking the show to the Fringe in '07 with a splash of cabaret hosted and performed by Queen Josie with a healthy dose of all your favourite 80s clips, songs and trivia.

Produced and Performed by Josie Parrelli

September	October	
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**Venue** 1DGAFF, 160 Hoddle St, Abbotsford  
**Transport** Melway 2C H9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 19  
**Time** 7.30pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$12, G(10) \$10, Snr \$12  
**Website** chartbusting80s.com  
**Other info** Opening Night 27 Sept



## Cinderella Sux

A Duck's Guts production

WHAT HAPPENS AFTER HAPPILY EVER AFTER?

LIFE DOESN'T ALWAYS TURN OUT LIKE YOU'D EXPECT...

Fringe Artplay Award '06

Directed by Todd MacDonald

September	October		Festival Hub	
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**Venue** Festival Hub – Meeting Room – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 6.30pm, Sun 5.30pm (50min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C \$12, Tues \$10, G(10) \$10  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 06 Oct



## Convict 002

A dark rewriting of an Australian classic

Transported, tortured and betrayed: condemned to an island prison on the far side of the world, a broken man clings to a phantom love. This subversive and timely adaptation of *For the Term of his Natural Life* blends historical literature with contemporary politics.

Presented by White Whale Theatre  
Written and Directed by David Mence

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**Venue** Northcote Town Hall West Wing – Studio 2, 189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31  
**Time** 9.00pm, 29 Sept and 06 Oct 2.00pm and 9.00pm (90min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15, Tues \$10, Prev \$10, G(10) \$12  
**Website** whitewhaletheatre.com  
**Other Info** Preview 26 Sept



## Cosmo the clown magic comedy street show

In my show I clown my way through magic and clown antics, escape from chains and entertain children of all ages. The show is a mixture of magic and mayhem for the entire family, so come one come all.

Performer Joel Spense

September	October	
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**Venue** Federation Square, Cnr Swanston and Flinders Sts, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2F G5, tram no: 48, 70, 75, tram stop: 5  
**Time** 11.00am–5.00pm  
**Tickets** Free



## CRISIS & Rhapsody

Devised and performed by RAG & SPARC Theatre

*Crisis & Rhapsody* discloses the truth and expression of the eleventh hour of an emergency, a time in which people find themselves to be casualties or heroes, the moment that could lead to recovery or death.

Directed by Nilgun Guven  
Music Brian O'Dwyer

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**Venue** Theatretworks, 14 Acland St, St Kilda  
**Transport** Melway 2N K6, tram no: 16, 96, tram stop: 136  
**Time** 7.30pm, Matinee 1.30pm 04 Oct (55min)  
**Tickets** A \$8, C/myF \$4, G(10) \$4  
**Website** portphillip.vic.gov.au/rag\_theatre\_troupe.html



## Dan Brown gets a visit from the opus dei

Dr Muzakalovski presents: A multimedia pop musical. 10 Songs. 40 minutes. 0 message. Believers in the best-selling book of all time take issue with the author of the second best-selling book of all time. Entry: Free; Attendance: Compulsory

Performer Dom Hindmarsh  
Written and Performed by Will Hindmarsh and Hugh Boulton

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**Venue** Wesley Anne, 250 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 F9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 32  
**Time** 3.00pm (40min)  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** myspace.com/danbrowngetsavisitfromtheopusdei







## Dark Before Dawn

When Gemma wakes in a hospital bed she knows her dreams have gone horribly wrong. A series of trials and revelations follow and she finally understands the most precious of all things.

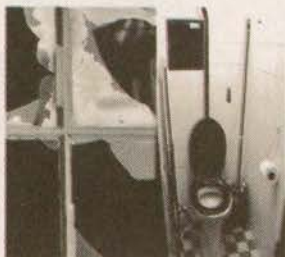
**Written and Performed by** Bianca Eden  
**Directed by** Steve Gome

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**Venue** Trades Hall – The Old Council Chambers, Cnr Victoria and Lygon Sts, Carlton South  
**Transport Time** Melway 28 F11, tram no: 86, 96, tram stop: 10 7.00pm (50min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10



## Divertamento

**Hotel and Break-In by** Raimondo Cortese

Cortese has a special gift with the Australian vernacular and deep insight into our psychology, making him a unique voice in Australian theatre. No solutions or conclusions, just the way we are in extreme moments. Funny, angry, lovable, stupid, always human.

**Director** Bruce Kerr **Performers** Melanie Douglas, Brendan Bacon and Mary-Helen Sassman

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**Venue** The Terminus Hotel, 605 Victoria St, Abbotsford  
**Transport Time** Melway 2H E2, tram no: 24, 27, 109, tram stop: 23 8.00pm, Sun 7.00pm (70min)  
**Tickets** A \$17, C/myF \$14, Tues \$14, Prev \$14, G(6) \$14, MEAA \$14  
**Other info** Preview 02 Oct, 2 for 1 Opening Night 03 Oct



## Father and Son

**Fringe at Gasworks**

What do you do if your father is an immature, co-dependent, toilet talking, ethnically confused emotional blackmailer? You get a girlfriend. The ensuing paternal crisis traverses four generations of fathers and sons until its poignant denouement.

**Written and Performed by** Dick Gross  
**Director** Victor Finkel  
**Music** Sophia Exiner

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**Venue** Gasworks – Theatre, 21 Graham St, Albert Park  
**Transport Time** Melway 2J G7, tram no: 1, tram stop: 30 9.00pm, Sun 8.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10  
**Website** gasworks.org.au



## FOREVER

**A 24 hour theatrical event**

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Outstanding Ensemble 2006 Melbourne Fringe – Jet of Blood

**Presented by** IGNITE

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**Venue** Fitzroy Town Hall, Main Hall, Napier St, Fitzroy  
**Transport Time** Melway 2C B9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 14 8.00pm (24hrs)  
**Tickets** \$8  
**Website** myspace.com/igniteprods



## From Little Things...

Unfolding over four nights, this new collaboration draws visual art into the realm of music performance. Each night the quartet will continue their exploration of small things in evolution through layering of projections, sound and action, leaving traces of what has been.

**Music** Natalie Grant and Erica Rasmussen  
**Artists** Lucy McNamara and Samaan Fieck

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**Venue** Brunswick Arts Space, 2a Little Breese St, Brunswick  
**Transport Time** Melway 29 G6, tram no: 19, tram stop: 25 7.30pm daily (30 min), open 12.00pm–5.00pm 11 and 12 Oct  
**Tickets** \$5, all 4 shows \$10



## Fully Committed

**By** Becky Mode

Starring Spencer McLaren (*Secret Life of Us*). Sam is an out of work actor working in NY's hottest restaurant. While juggling scheming socialites, name-dropping wannabes, and egomaniacal bosses, can he manage to look out for himself? A wicked comedy about getting what you need out of life!

**Performed by** Spencer McLaren  
**Directed by** Gary Young

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**Venue** The Athenaeum, 188 Collins St, Melbourne  
**Transport Time** Melway 2F G4, tram no: 3, 5, 6, 16, 64, 67, tram stop: 11  
**Time** Wed 8.00pm, Thurs 04 Oct 8.00pm; Thurs 11 Oct 7.00pm and 9.00pm; Fri and Sat 11.15pm; 06 and 13 Oct 2.00pm; Sun 5.00pm (80 min)  
**Tickets** A \$29, C/myF \$25, G(10) \$25  
**Other info** Preview 03 Oct, Opening Night 04 Oct





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## Gift/Back: Melbourne

Presented by Arts House

For 6 nights, Unreasonable Adults will host a public live art event where all the material made is performed, installed, blogged, amplified, streamed, spoken, projected and remixed from 'gifts' submitted from the public, this is their gift back to you: the audience.

Performed by Unreasonable Adults

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Arts House, Meat Market  
5 Blackwood St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 28 A9, tram no: 55, 59, 68, tram stop: 13  
**Time** 6.00pm (looped over 3 hrs)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C \$15  
**Website** artshouse.com.au



## Gifted and Talented

Every dog has her dance

One more sausage roll and two cans of solo. We're not here to be winners; we're here to be gods.

*Gifted and Talented* ventures into the world of institutionalised control... and jazz ballet.

'Startling funny and fascinating... hilariously unique' – Australian Stage.

Artists Mish Grigor, Natalie Rose and Zoe Coombs Marr

September

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**Venue** Dante's Fitzroy – The Gallery  
150–156 Gertrude St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B11, tram no: 86, tram stop: 14  
**Time** 9.15pm, Preview 03 Oct (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$16, C/myF \$12, Prev \$10, G(10) \$12, Snr \$12  
**Website** postpresentspost.com  
**Other info** Preview 03 Oct



## Gilgamesh

a production by Uncle Semolina (& Friends) in association with Arts Projects Australia

Don't miss one of Uncle Semolina's last loud and dirty performances of their acclaimed *Gilgamesh* in Melbourne before it takes off on an international tour. "A punk parable of testosterone and absolute power" – Herald Sun.

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**Venue** The Guild Theatre first floor, Union House, University of Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 571 E8, tram no: 1, 8, tram stop: 1  
**Time** 7.00pm (80min)  
**Tickets** A \$23, C/myF \$18



## Ginger Tomorrow

*Ginger Tomorrow* ponders the depths of a person's psyche and their ability to reclaim broken memories. From the minds of Brett Ludeman, Zoe Drummond, Nelson Gardner and Tom O'Callaghan, comes a gripping solo performance of a young girl's past.

Performed by Zoe Drummond  
Music Tom O'Callaghan  
Written and Directed by Brett Ludeman

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**Venue** Glitch Bar, 318 St Georges Rd, North Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 30 C11, tram no: 112, tram stop: 23  
**Time** 6.30pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$18, C/myF \$15, G (5) \$10, Kids (under 13) \$10



## Her Aching Heart

Fringe at Gasworks

An historic romp of lesbian love and desire juxtaposed with a blossoming contemporary liaison – a comment or three on the nature of relationships, gender and class. "A true testament to what independent theatre can achieve" – Tim Hunter, *The Age*.

Directors Sarah McKusker and Beth Childs  
Performed by Madeleine Swain and Ruth Katerelov  
Written by Bryony Lavery

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**Venue** Gasworks – Studio Theatre, 21 Graham St, Albert Park  
**Transport** Melway 2J G7, tram no: 1, tram stop: 30  
**Time** 9.30pm  
14 Oct 4.00 pm only (105 mins)  
**Tickets** A \$22, C/myF \$18, Tues \$16, G (10) \$20  
**Website** gasworks.org.au



## Home Grown

A land  
A woman  
A promise  
The Rose of Palestine  
A Story from war

Artist Sivan Gabrielovich  
Set Designer Antonia Goodfellow  
Sound and Costume Design Zak Bennett

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**Venue** The Shed, Meeting Place – Cnr Drummond and Richardson Sts, (The show is indoors) Carlton North  
**Transport** Melway 29 J12, tram no: 1, 2, tram stop: 117  
**Time** 8.00pm, Sun 7.00pm (75min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15, St/Snr/Festival Artists \$12  
**Other Info** Opening Night 03 Oct







## Hotel Obsino

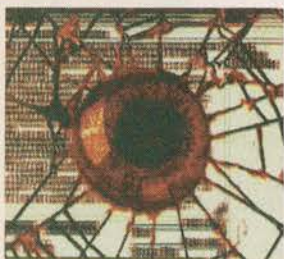
Presented by La Mama

Written to dramatise the urban legend of the Hotham Hotel in Melbourne's CBD, *Hotel Obsino* depicts grotesque, erotic, anarchic and uncompromising characters. It explores the complexity of how poverty corrupts, confuses and disillusion. Exposed, the visitors life is altered for ever."

Written and Directed by Adam Broinowski  
Performers include Eric Mitzak and Tom Davies

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**Venue** La Mama, 205 Faraday St, Carlton  
**Transport** Melway 28 G7, tram no: 3,5,6,8,16,64,67,72, tram stop: 1  
**Time** 6.30pm 26, 30 Sept; 8.00pm 27, 28 Sept; 4.30pm 29 Sept (70min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$10  
**Website** lamama.com.au



## I Love You, Bro

sex, spies, lies and murder – a true story

A desperately lonely boy lures another into a web of bizarre chat room lies, then both fall prey to the internet's unparalleled power to remake its users in any image. A tantalising sneak-peek at a world shrinking while growing infinitely more complex.

Writer Adam J. A. Cass  
Director Yvonne Virsik

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**Venue** Festival Hub – The Loft, Lithuanian Club 44 Errol St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 10.00pm, Sun 9.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$16, C/myF \$12, Tues \$10, G(10) \$10  
**Other Info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 06 Oct



## I've Written a Letter To Daddy

The men are at war, but so are the sisters

The delicate punch of an original score with two powerful voices. Sibling Rivalry. A has-been. A never-been. Cries of "Bingo" echo. Family ties bind... tightly. Intimate drinks upstairs at the Town Hall Hotel, the dulcet tones of the fabulously strange await.

Directed and Performed by Fernando Ariel Gallardo and Miranda Borman  
Dramaturg Halcyon Macleod  
Composers Anastasia Russell-Head and Duncan McBride

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Town Hall Hotel 33 Errol St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 11  
**Time** 6.30pm 27, 30 Sept, 03, 07 Oct, 6.30pm & 8.00pm 28, 29 Sept, 04–06 Oct  
**Tickets** \$15  
**Other Info** Opening Night 27 Sept



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**Venue** Theatretworks, 14 Acland St, St Kilda  
**Transport** Melway 2N K6, tram no: 16, 96, tram stop: 136  
**Time** 7.30pm (120min)  
**Tickets** A \$18, C/myF \$12, G(10) \$15, Family (2A/2ch) \$54  
**Website** impromelbourne.com.au



## In the Shade of the Pear Tree

Mick's Theatre Collective

Conscripted at 16. Refugee at 17. Bride at 20. Mother at 21. How can Amelia relate to her grandmother? Together they capture a fading story before it drifts away forever.

"Christo is utterly convincing..." – The Age.

Written and Performed by Amelia Christo  
Production Designer Tom Webster

September	October	Festival Hub
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**Venue** Festival Hub – The Raglan, 14 Raglan St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 11  
**Time** 9.15pm, Sun 8.15pm (55min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10, Tues \$11, G(5) \$10, Snr \$10  
**Website** mspace.com/shadepeartree  
**Other Info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept



## Jill and Irene go Camping

A physical fantasy of pint-sized proportions. Jill and Irene are lost in the woods. Here they encounter an array of fantastical creatures, as well as their deepest darkest secrets. In the woods things are not always what they seem...

Directed and Performed by Julia Campbell and Erin Hutching

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**Venue** FFour, Lvl 2 322 Lt Collins St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2F E4, tram no: 3,5,6,8,16,22,64,6 tram stop: 9  
**Time** 7.00pm (40min)  
**Tickets** \$10  
**Website** mspace.com/jillandirenegocamping  
**Other Info** Opening Night 10 Oct





## Kaleidoscope

Wander into a warren of childhood dreams

Look through a *Kaleidoscope* and real images become a myriad of patterns. Normal things dance. Have you ever shared something special – a cupcake? giggling joke? story? This theatre installation takes you solo or in pairs through several spaces and reveals a special story.

Written and Directed by Alex Desebrock

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Foyer – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts North Melbourne

**Transport Time** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12 6.00pm–9.00pm Departing every 5min (duration 35min)

**Tickets** \$20 solo, \$15 each for duo. Opening Night, Sat 06 Oct & Tues \$10 (duo only)



## Kyria in 'Stark Raving Dad'

Presented by A-List Entertainment

Harry was a connoisseur of the gameshows, he had the gold stick pin from Tony Barber to prove it. He had all the answers, now his daughter's searching for the questions.

Directed by Olivia Bonnici  
Written and Performed by Kyria  
Producer Artie Laing

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**Venue** Festival Hub – The Tent – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne

**Transport Time** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12 9.30pm, Sun 8.30pm (55min)

**Tickets** A \$16.50, C/myF \$14.50, Tues \$12.50, G(6) \$14.50

**Website** alist.com.au

**Other Info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 06 Oct



## Lawrence and Holloman

Glass half full? Half Empty? Half Poison?

*Lawrence and Holloman* – Arch enemies? Best friends? Depends which way you look at it. Lawrence an overconfident, optimist knows it all – except why his life has taken a sudden turn for the worst. Hilarious award winning dark comedy that will keep you guessing...

Directed by Samara Hersch

September	October					Festival Hub									
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**Venue** Northcote Town Hall West Wing – Studio 2 189 High St, Northcote

**Transport Time** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31 9.00pm, Matinee 14 Oct 5.00pm only (85min)

**Tickets** A \$18, C/myF \$15, Tues \$13, G(10) \$13, Snr \$15

**Website** myspace.com/funnydarkfunny

**Other Info** Opening Night 09 Oct



## Lottery

Everybody has dreamt at some stage about winning the Lottery. But what would really happen if you took out first division?

*Lottery* takes a satirical look at the winners of a Lotto draw and what effects the money has on their life.

Written and Directed by Matt Caten  
Presented by BATS Theatre Company

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**Venue** Cromwell Rd Theatre, 27a Cromwell Rd, South Yarra

**Transport Time** Melway 2M A8, tram no: 8, tram stop: 32 8.00pm, 13 Oct 2.00pm Matinee and 8.00pm (2hrs)

**Tickets** A \$22, C/myF \$19, Prev \$19, G(10) \$19

**Website** batstheatre.org.au

**Other Info** Preview 10 Oct, Opening Night 11 Oct



## love per say (respun)

Which one will he choose?

Five princesses kept, in a tower, each one radiant as a fair flower

Each one awaiting the choice, of Prince Charming, and one by one, finding their imprisonment increasingly alarming.

Written and Directed by Ruthanne Molloy

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**Venue** Northcote Uniting Church, 251 High St Northcote

**Transport Time** Melway 30 F9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 32 8.10pm (55min)

**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$12.50, Tues \$12, Prev \$10, G(10) \$10, Snr \$10

**Other Info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 27 Sept



## Love TV

If conversation is the orgasm of the soul Rebecca McIntosh (Aphrodite) has certainly been having a great time with her installation *Love TV*.

*Love TV* is about intimate conversation in public spaces it's spontaneous, risqué and revealing.

Presented by Melbourne Fringe

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**Venue** Festival Club – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts North Melbourne

**Transport Time** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12 7.30pm onwards 28 Sept, 8.00pm–9.00pm 12 Oct

**Tickets** Free





## Lulu vs Jack the Ripper

### Installation/Performance

Femme Fatale vs Sex Killer, Disembowelment vs Desire  
Guts vs Garters.

A whore picks up a john and takes him home. He takes his knife and slices her open. Ha! As if. There'll be no dead women tonight, only maimed, impotent psychopaths.

**Presented by** Kumquat Theatre  
**Produced and Directed by** Jessica Murphy  
**Designed by** Michael Parry

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Meet outside Post Office  
Cnr Queensbury and Errol Sts  
North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 8.00pm, 9.00pm 12 Oct (120min)  
**Tickets** \$5  
**Website** [myspace.com/kumquattheatre](http://myspace.com/kumquattheatre)



## MelBorn

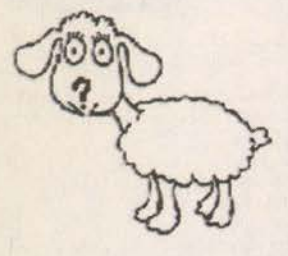
### Australia's 10-10-10 Short Play Festival Born and Bred in Melbourne

10-10-10 Simply the best production of 10 Aussie-born, 10-minute plays, presented by 10 of Melbourne's hottest directors. You'll be surprised at what's being born and bred in Melbourne.

**Produced by** Melbourne Writers Theatre

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**Venue** The Carlton Courthouse,  
349 Drummond St, Carlton  
**Transport** Melway 28 G7, tram no: 1,22, tram stop: 112  
**Time** 8.00pm; Sun 5.00pm; 29 Sept, 06, 13 Oct 3.00pm  
Matinee and 8.00pm (120min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15, G(10) \$15  
**Website** [melwriters.org.au](http://melwriters.org.au)



## My name is Bo.

### The real story of how she lost her sheep

Have you ever heard a story and wondered how it came about? Whether it is true or not? The truth is a fickle thing. This is the real story of Little Bo Peep and how she lost her sheep.

**Written and Directed by** Jenny Barrass  
**Produced and Performed by** Siobhan McLaughlin  
**Performers** Barmac Theatre Company

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**Venue** Clifton Creative Arts Centre Gallery  
314 Church St, Richmond  
**Transport** Melway 2H A7, tram no: 78, 79, tram stop: 59  
**Time** 8.00pm, Sun 1.00pm (90min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10, Prev \$8, Snr \$8, G(10) \$10  
**Other Info** Opening Night 10 Oct



## OK I'M 40 Something

### A comedy about bits of the body, brothers and balls

Marg Dobson's new solo show is a hilarious look at when your bottom drops out, your heart's a shell and the only way is up. Our heroine Dawn wrestles exercise faddism and family dramas in her own clumsy way. Funny and engaging.

**Performed and Devised by** Marg Dobson  
**Directed and Devised by** Meropie Carr

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Supper Room – Arts House,  
North Melbourne, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts  
North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 8.30pm, Sun 7.30pm (50min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15, Tues \$12, G(8) \$10,  
Snr/PBS/MEAA \$12  
**Other Info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 06 Oct



## One Hundred Reasons

### Who loves who the most?

Don't believe your boyfriend's best friend.  
Don't believe your brother's lover.  
Don't believe your best friend's sister.  
Three women who don't know who to trust.  
Funny, touching, and altogether unexpected.

**Produced and Performed by** Katherine Dold,  
Lauren Bailey and Brooke Aust  
**Writer** Angela Fitz-William **Director** Guy Taylor

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**Venue** Cape Live – Upstairs  
Cnr Brunswick and Johnston Sts, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B7, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 8.15pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$16, C/myF \$12, Tues \$10  
**Website** [myspace.com/debacleproductions](http://myspace.com/debacleproductions)



## Pick Ups

### Written by Alex Broun – Artistic Director of Short & Sweet

There are pick ups in bars, nightclubs and even bathrooms. There'll be lines and characters everybody knows and some you'll wish you never knew... Come see a performance of sexy fast-paced scenes that portray the comedy and loneliness of contemporary dating.

**Director** Jamie Unicomb **Performers** Gina Morley,  
Christine Husband, Cameron Box and James Deeth

September	October					Performance				
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**Venue** Cape Live – Upstairs,  
Cnr Brunswick and Johnston Sts, Fitzroy  
**Time** 7.00pm (60min)  
**Transport** Melway 2C B7, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15  
**Website** [pickupstheplay.com.au](http://pickupstheplay.com.au)  
**Other Info** Opening Night 26 Sept





## Pimms

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**Producer** The Black Lung Theatre

September

October

F	S	S	T	F	S	S
28	29	30	04	05	06	07

**Venue**

The Black Lung Theatre  
Cnr Westbourne and High Sts, Northcote  
Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31

**Transport Time**

8.00pm (120min)

**Tickets**

\$10

**Website**

theblacklung.com

Performance



## Porky Pies

### A comedy by Alex Lee and Veronica Milsom

A bunch of old mates need to prove that they've achieved something since school, but how far will a few white lies take them? Join us for \$2 pots, \$3 bubbly and a play about life ten years out of school.

September

October

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**Venue**

Mac Daddy's Lounge Bar  
Basement 313, Flinders La, Melbourne

**Transport Time**

Melway 1A K9, tram no: 19, tram stop: 2  
7.30pm (120min)

**Tickets**

A \$18, C/myF \$15, G (10) \$15

**Website**

myspace.com/porkypiesmelbournefringe

**Other Info**

Opening Night 26 Sept



## PRIVATE EYE

### The Deceptive Detective

A *Private Eye*, a killer blonde, a gangster and his moll, and more bad metaphors than you'd find in a show with one less bad metaphor than this one. You'll see more tricks here than in a back alley in Kings Cross.

**Artists** Sue-Anne Webster, Enzo Ficco, Anthony De Masi and Lee Cohen **Produced and Directed by** Sue-Anne Webster **Production Designer** Tim Ellis

September

October

F	S	S	T	T	F
28	29	30	02	04	05

**Venue**

Festival Hub – Rehearsal Room – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne

**Transport Time**

Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
6.30pm, Sun 5.30pm (45min)

**Tickets**

A \$18, C \$15, Tues \$15

**Website**

MagicUnlimited.com

**Other Info**

2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept

Festival Hub



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**Written by** Justine Jansz

**Directed by** Chris Molyneux

**Presented by** Shock Treatment Theatre

September

October

S	S	T	W	T	F	S
06	07	09	10	11	12	13

**Venue**

Festival Hub – Rehearsal Room – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne

**Transport Time**

Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
6.15pm, Sun 5.15pm (60min)

**Tickets**

A \$15, C/myF \$10, Tues \$10, G(5) \$10

**Other Info**

2 for 1 Opening Night 06 Oct

Festival Hub



## reform

### Presented by Arts House

Follow pvi's unflinching moral crusaders, the 'loyal citizens underground' as they patrol Melbourne city streets. Tuning in via portable fm radios and headsets, reform unfolds as the l.c.u. spend an hour 'on duty' picking up misdemeanours of wayward citizens.

Season opens 18 Sept. See venue website for details.

**Performed by** pvi collective

September

October

W	T	F	S
26	27	28	29

**Venue**

Festival Hub – Foyer – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts North Melbourne

**Transport Time**

Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
7.00pm (90min)

**Tickets**

\$15

**Website**

artshouse.com.au

Festival Hub



## Sara Juli's The Money Conversation

### Presented by Arts House

Would \$50 make a difference to your life? What about \$500, or \$5000? How much money would you take from a stranger? New York based performer Juli brings these questions and her cold hard cash to the stage in *The Money Conversation*.

Season opens 24 Sept. See venue website for details.

**Written and Performed by** Sara Juli

September

October

W	T	F	S	S
26	27	28	29	30

**Venue**

Festival Hub – Arts House, Meat Market  
5 Blackwood St, North Melbourne

**Transport Time**

Melway 2B A9, tram no: 55, 59, 68, tram stop: 13  
8.00pm, Sun 7.00pm (60min)

**Tickets**

A \$20, C \$15, Prev \$10

**Website**

artshouse.com.au

Festival Hub



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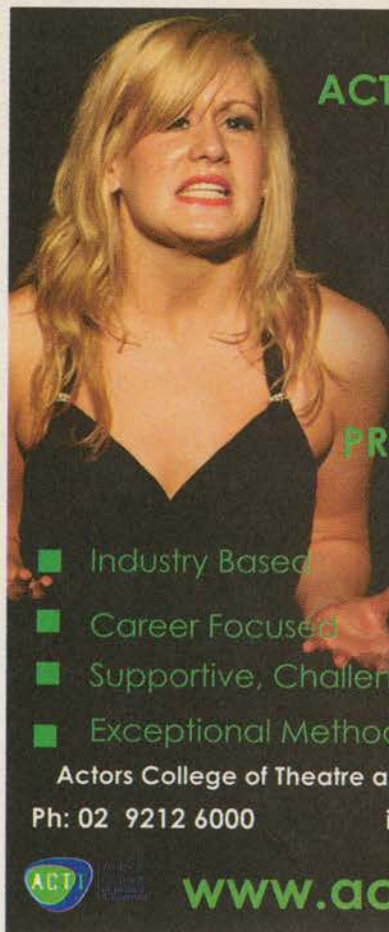
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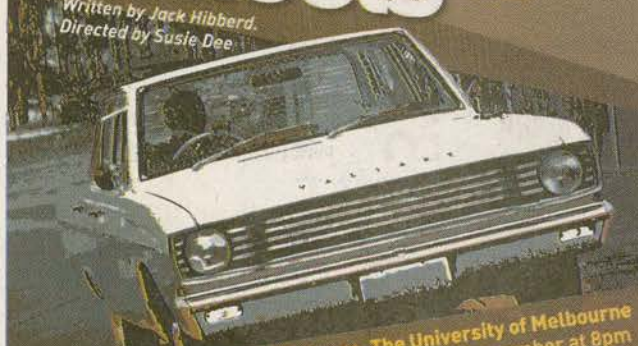
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Presented by MU Student Union Ltd and The University of Melbourne as a special event on the 40th anniversary of the play that premiered at The University of Melbourne and heralded the beginnings of Australian theatre.

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A jacked-up comedy about putting men in their place — not necessarily behind the wheel!

Written by Jack Hibberd.  
 Directed by Susie Dee



Union Theatre, Union House, The University of Melbourne  
 Preview: 25 September at 8pm. Season: 26-29 September at 8pm  
 Matinee: 30 September at 4pm. Tickets \$20, \$12,  
 Student Union Members \$10 Bookings 8344 7447 or  
[www.union.unimelb.edu.au/tickets](http://www.union.unimelb.edu.au/tickets)

Cast: Angus Cerini,  
 Jono Burns, Sophie Kelly  
 and Mike McEvoy





## Senseless

*Senseless* uses voice distortion, video projection and installation to animate a sci-fi world of disembodied prisoners.

This solo performance of interconnected monologues was conceived online by over 20 writers, film-makers, visual artists and designers.

**Created by** x:machine  
**Conceived by** Olivia Crang and Alex Gibson

September	October	T W T F S											
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<b>Venue</b>	fortyfivedownstairs 45 Flinders La, Melbourne												
<b>Transport</b>	Melway 18 U9, tram no: 31, 109, 112, tram stop: 8												
<b>Time</b>	8.00pm, 13 Oct 5.00pm and 8.00pm (60min)												
<b>Tickets</b>	A \$18, C/myF \$14, Prev \$12, G(10) \$12												
<b>Website</b>	xmachine.com.au												
<b>Other Info</b>	Preview 09 Oct, Opening Night 10 Oct												



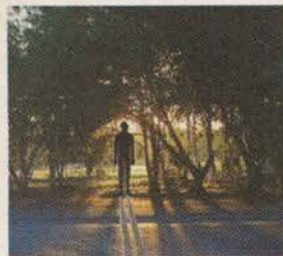
## Simple Life

**What are we creating for our children?**

Combining Contemporary Dance, Acrobatics and Drama, *Simple Life* is a physical theatre performance exploring what a complex world we have become, and what world we are choosing to leave for our children.

**Producer** Think C.O.N.T.E.M.P.  
**Directed and Performed by** Mikhaela Musat  
**Choreographed and Performed by** Gina Damiano

September	October	T F S S						W T F S					
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<b>Venue</b>	Palookaville, 416 Brunswick St, Fitzroy												
<b>Transport</b>	Melway 2C B5, tram no: 112, tram stop: 17												
<b>Time</b>	7.00pm, Sun 5.00pm (45min)												
<b>Tickets</b>	A \$15, C/myF \$13, G(10) \$11, Festival Artists \$10												
<b>Website</b>	myspace.com/thinkCONTEMP												



## Songs For A New World

**Fringe at Gasworks**

It's about one moment. Hitting the wall and having to make a choice. The moment you think you know where you stand, the things that you're sure of slip from your hand, and you're suddenly a stranger in some completely different land.

**Writer** Jason Robert Brown  
**Director** Rebecca Holdcrod  
**Music Director** Jonathan Skovron

September	October	T F S S						T T F S					
		04 05 06 07						09 11 12 13					
<b>Venue</b>	Gasworks—Theatre, 21 Graham St, Albert Park												
<b>Transport</b>	Melway 2J G7, tram no: 1, tram stop: 30												
<b>Time</b>	7.30pm, Sun 6.00pm (90min)												
<b>Tickets</b>	A \$31, C \$26, Tues \$23												
<b>Website</b>	gasworks.org.au												



## SPACEMUNKI

**"...dazzling and always funny" – The Age**

THEAMAZINGBUSINESS, the makers of CHOCOLATE MONKEY presents the 2nd part of its trilogy, the critically acclaimed spacemunki. A hugely physical performance; a relentlessly absurd and comical science fiction story, supported by a thrilling bombast of visual and musical landscapes.

\*\*\*\* - Sunday Age  
**Written and Performed by** John-Paul Hussey  
**Composer** Kelly Ryall **Directed by** Lucien Savron

September	October	W T F S						T W T F S S					
		03 04 05 06						09 10 11 12 13 14					
<b>Venue</b>	ABC Gallery, 127 Campbell St, Collingwood												
<b>Transport</b>	Melway 2C G8, tram no: 86, tram stop: 15												
<b>Time</b>	8.00pm (75min)												
<b>Tickets</b>	A \$20, C/myF \$15, Tues \$12, Prev \$10												
<b>Other Info</b>	Preview 03 Oct, Opening Night 04 Oct												



## stung

*Stung* is a blend of songs which track a unique musical course... uneasy promises, unbridled joy, dark solitude. From Australia's premier comedy duo, John Chaplin-Fleming emerges as a consummate performer presenting his versions of classic and original songs.

**Performer** John Chaplin-Fleming

September	October	Festival Hub											
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<b>Venue</b>	Festival Hub—Meeting Room—Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne												
<b>Transport</b>	Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12												
<b>Time</b>	10.00pm, Sun 9.00pm (60min)												
<b>Tickets</b>	A \$15, C/myF \$12, Tues \$12												
<b>Website</b>	myspace.com/stung07												
<b>Other Info</b>	Opening Night 02 Oct, 2 for 1 on 06 Oct												



## Testosterone

**written by** Andrzej Saramonowicz

An all male cast torn between biology and culture. A swipe at women, a demontage of the mythical male, a hilarious riot. A wedding disaster, a reception that must go on and bursts of male bravado. *Testosterone*—a bloody mess.

**Presented by** Rah Rah Productions

September	October	Festival Hub																	
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<b>Venue</b>	Festival Hub—The Ballroom, Lithuanian Club, 44 Errol St, North Melbourne																		
<b>Transport</b>	Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12																		
<b>Time</b>	7.30pm, Sun 6.30pm (60min)																		
<b>Tickets</b>	A \$20, C/myF \$15, Tues \$15, G(10) \$15																		
<b>Other Info</b>	2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 06 Oct																		





## The Agreement

Penalty rates? Paid overtime? A fair go? What would you be willing to sign away?

Workers at NewsCity are confronted with this question when management push for individual workplace agreements. This innovative mockumentary focuses on the decisions, deals and despair that follow.

**Writers** Emily Andersen and Paul Sewry  
**Produced and Performed by** The Union Players

September	October
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**Venue** The Celtic Club, 320 Queen St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 1A J1, tram no: 27, 30, tram stop: 4  
**Time** 7.30pm (70min)  
**Tickets** A \$14, C/myF \$12, G(5) \$12, Student union or trade union members \$12.00  
**Website** unionplayers.org



## The Complete Works of Shakespeare in 30 Seconds

or How to Stop Worrying and Love the Bard

A time challenged, multi faceted, trans genre, re-jigging of the complete works of the so-called greatest writer of the Anglo centric world. A multitude of timepieces written by many and performed by an insane few.

**Produced and Directed by** Marcus Bennett

September	October
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27 28 29	04 05 06
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**Venue** Glitch Bar, 318 St Georges Rd, North Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 30 C11, tram no: 112, tram stop: 23  
**Time** 7.45pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15, G(5) \$15  
**Other Info** 2 for 1 27, 28, 29 Sept



## The Girl on the Bus

A love story worth hearing

"You found out about it before I did. I was right there and I didn't know."

Brian flew away to London. He stayed there for two years training, working, travelling on the buses... and finding a different kind of love.

**Directed and Performed by** Brian Hurley

September	October
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**Venue** Vibe Bar, 123 Smith St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C D11, tram no: 86, tram stop: 15  
**Time** 9.15pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$16.50, C \$10  
**Other Info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 04 Oct



## The Imitation of Strangers

Two people find themselves at the end of a relationship. How have they gotten there? Trapped in their own trajectory, this play follows the couple bluffing their way through the clichés and chaos of a relationship doomed for demise.

**Writer** Katie Dircks  
**Director** Angeliki Balayannis

September	October
W T F S S	T W T F S S
26 27 28 29 30	02 03 04 05 06 07

**Venue** Northcote Town Hall West Wing – Studio 2  
189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31  
**Time** 7.00pm (40min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$12, Tues \$10, G(8) \$10, Snr \$12  
**Other Info** Opening Night 26 Sept



## The Jerilderie Letter by Ned Kelly

Presented by La Mama

Peter Finlay exhumes the ghost of Ned Kelly and presents on stage for the first time ever, the letter in which Ned Kelly tells his side of the story.

**Directed by** Lloyd Jones  
**Music** Malcolm Hill  
**Performed by** Peter Finlay

September	October
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26 27 28 29 30	

**Venue** La Mama, 205 Faraday St, Carlton  
**Transport** Melway 28 G7, tram no: 3,5,6,8,16,64,67,72, tram stop: 1  
**Time** 8.30pm 26, 30 Sept; 6.30pm 27, 29 Sept; 10.00pm 28 Sept (60min).  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$10  
**Website** lamama.com.au



## The League of Sideshow Superstars III

A collection of Sideshow artists from around the globe come together once a year to celebrate all that is great in sideshow achievement.

Taking inspiration from the glory days of travelling freakshow and pushing boldly into the unexplored future of Sideshow art, The League of Sideshow Superstars is more of a superhuman event than a show...

**Produced by** Shep Huntly  
**Presented by** Melbourne Fringe

September	October
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**Venue** Festival Club – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 10.00pm (120min)  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** melbournefringe.com.au







## The Lost Property Office: An Hallucinatory Love Story

Presented by La Mama

Antiquated custodian H welcomes you to the surreal and compellingly nasty world of *The Lost Property Office*. An eccentric comedy, haunting allegory and thrilling tale of intrigue emerge with the arrival of a mysterious stranger. From the creator of *An Unfortunate Woman*.

Written and Performed by Nicola Gunn

September  
T F S S  
27 28 29 30

**Venue** La Mama, 205 Faraday St, Carlton  
**Transport** Melway 2B G7, tram no: 3,5,6,8,16,64,67,72, tram stop: 1  
**Time** 10.00pm 27 Sept, 6.30pm 28 Sept, 8.30pm 29 Sept, Matinee 2.30pm and 4.30pm 30 Sept (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$10  
**Website** nicolagunn.com



## The Rap Canterbury Tales

Chaucer's raunchy tales of lust and revenge come to life on stage as a lyrical rap battle, featuring the Miller, the Pardoner, and the Wife of Bath.

"Truly awe-inspiring... five stars!" – The Scotsman, Edinburgh.

"A tour-de-force!" – San Francisco Weekly.

Written and Performed by Baba Brinkman

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Festival Hub  
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**Venue** Festival Hub – Meeting Room – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 7.30pm, Sun 6.30pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$14, C/myF \$12, Tues \$8, G(5) \$10  
**Website** babasword.com  
**Other Info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 06 Oct



## The Real Inspector Hound

by Tom Stoppard

Journey into a theatrical world stripped of deep-seated issues and pretentious ambitions: experience the forgotten artform of THEATRE AS ENTERTAINMENT. Tom Stoppard's high energy, farcical murder mystery will astound you with its comic ingenuity and leave you gasping for breath.

Directed by Danny Delahunty  
Producer Bea Valenzuela Music Kofski

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**Venue** M. U. S. T Space, Campus Centre (Bld 10), Monash University, Clayton  
**Transport** Melway 575  
**Time** 8.00pm, 12 Oct 6.00pm and 8.00pm (75min)  
**Tickets** A \$14, C/myF \$11, Tues \$11, Monash Comm Card \$9



## The Reflections Project

Fringe at Gasworks

Premiering a new work sharing their personal and public selves, comes an intergenerational collaboration between City of Voices Community Theatre and Victoria University Performance Studies students, using movement, media, music, humour, fragility, pathos and the senses to captivate, entertain and evoke wonder.

Written and Directed by Myfanwy Powell  
Dramaturg David Wells Sound Sam Price

September  
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**Venue** Gasworks – Studio Theatre, 21 Graham St, Albert Park  
**Transport** Melway 2J G7, tram no: 1, tram stop: 30  
**Time** 3.00pm (45min)  
**Tickets** Free



## The Softest Thing

Two enigmatic outsiders momentarily join a collective of strangers brought together by a dilapidated reality, irrevocably changing what is known. A guided tour through the remnants of a crumbling tannery. This is quasi-outdoor interactive installation/performance refusing to be left behind.

Artists Kylie Gral, Chris Muir and Anita Stevens

September  
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**Venue** CARNI, 60 High St, Preston  
**Transport** Melway 30 F2, tram no: 86, tram stop: 42  
**Time** 8.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10



## the trilogy

three plays by Jason Triggs

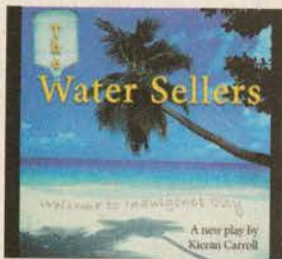
Three plays presented as rehearsed readings in a one night only event. Kidnapped Identity, about abduction and twisted love. Forbidden, about gay love gone wrong and the world premiere of Jacks Story, set at a funeral written by Jason Triggs.

Directors Antony Steadman, Menik Gooneratne and Kathryn Toomey

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**Venue** Cromwell Rd Theatre, 27a Cromwell Rd, South Yarra  
**Transport** Melway 2M A8, tram no: 8, tram stop: 32  
**Time** 7.30pm (3.5hrs)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$13





## The Water Sellers

The *Water Sellers* is a futuristic farce, delving into hedonism, consumerism and nude surf-skiing. A dash of Pinter, meets a vomit load of Barry McKenzie when two Australian ex-pats fight over a James Bond Lady Mayoress. Welcome to Indulgence City.

**Director** Marie Therese Byrne

September

October

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**Venue** The Terminus Hotel, 605 Victoria St, Abbotsford  
**Transport** Melway 2H E2, tram no: 24, 27, 109, tram stop: 23  
**Time** 7.00pm, Sun 6.00pm (50min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10, Tues \$10  
**Website** nakedheatwave.tripod.com



Performance



## the weather, and your health

An enchanting look at beauty and those magical moments in life...

**Written and Performed by** Bethany Simons  
**Performer** Andrew Dodds  
**Directed by** David Wicks

September

October

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03 04 05 06

**Venue** St Martins Youth Arts Centre – Theatre Complex  
44 St Martins La, South Yarra  
**Transport** Melway 2L C3, tram no: 8, tram stop: 25  
**Time** 8.00pm, 06 Oct 5.00pm Matinee  
and 8.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$12, G (10) \$10  
**Other Info** Opening Night 03 Oct



## Top!

Razor burn. Flexing muscles. Pash rash. Wet dreams. Tell me what's tough enough.

A group devised piece exploring the possibilities of masculinity in, out, under and on top.

**Co-devisors** Stacey Baldwin, Ben Cook and Chris Young

September

October

W T F S  
03 04 05 06

**Venue** St Martins Youth Arts Centre – Theatre Complex,  
44 St Martins La, South Yarra  
**Transport** Melway 2L C3, tram no: 8, tram stop: 25  
**Time** 6.30pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$12, G (10) \$12  
**Other Info** Opening Night 03 Oct



## Voodoo Vaudeville

An afrocentric experience melding traditional African culture, hip hop, story, song and dance.

Created by some of Melbourne's most exciting up and coming young African and Aussie talent in a first time collaboration.

**Presented by** Multicultural Arts Victoria  
**Choreographed and Performed by** Juju Crew  
**Music** Diafrix and Nubian Knights

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Main Theatre, Lithuanian Club,  
44 Errol St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 7.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10, MAV members \$10  
**Other Info** multiculturalarts.com.au

Festival Hub



## William Shakespeare's Macbeth

In the round, with minimal set, six actors "a young, highly focused company" create the bloody dystopian world of Macbeth.

Sexy and violent, Macbeth.

"has great physical presence, the final confrontation, fearlessly acted out, is genuinely violent and scary"  
– The Messenger.

September

October

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**Venue** Melbourne Unitarian Peace Memorial Church,  
110 Grey St, East Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2G E2, tram no: 48,75, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 7.30pm, 5.30pm 13 Oct (90min).  
**Tickets** A \$25, C/myF \$15, G(8) \$12, Snr \$15



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September

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**Venue** Melbourne Unitarian Peace Memorial Church,  
110 Grey St, East Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway, tram no: , tram stop:  
**Time** 7.30pm 11 Oct, Matinee 1.30pm and 8.00pm  
13 Oct (90min)  
**Tickets** A \$25, C/myF \$15, G(8) \$12, Snr \$15



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# Puppetry



## Dreamer

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**Composer** John Grant  
**Produced and Performed by** Richard Hart, Dream Puppets

September					October		
T	W	T	F	S	M	T	W
25	26	27	28	29	01	02	03

**Venue** Northcote Town Hall West Wing – Studio 1  
189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31  
**Time** 2.00pm (45min)  
**Tickets** A \$12, Tues \$10, G (4) \$10



## Dreamer in the Deep

"Mesmerising Puppet Beauty" Five Stars Adelaide Fringe, 2007. Dreamer, an adorable half-child, half-animal character ventures into the Australian deep seas to rescue a leafy sea dragon held captive by a scorpion fish and encounters many exotic sea creatures. Excellent family entertainment.

**Composer** John Grant  
**Produced and Performed by** Richard Hart, Dream Puppets

September					October								
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**Venue** Northcote Town Hall West Wing – Studio 1  
189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31  
**Time** 2.00pm (45min)  
**Tickets** A \$12, Tues \$10, G (4) \$10



## Grandpa Sol and Lily's Grandma Rosie

### One Woman's Adventures in Aged Care

A woman starts work at an aged care facility, and discovers that there is far more to aging than she thought. Comic, real and poignant, Grandpa Sol is an unusual puppet show using real testimony from the Emmy Monash Home for the Aged.

**Produced and Performed by** Lana Schwarcz

September					October								
F	S	S	T	W	T	F	S	S	T	W	T	F	S
28	29	30	02	03	04	05	06	07	09	10	11	12	13

**Venue** Festival Hub – The Raglan, 14 Raglan St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 11  
**Time** 8.00pm, Sun 7.00pm (55min)  
**Tickets** A \$17, C/myF \$14, Tues \$14, G (8) \$12, Snr \$14  
**Website** [myspace.com/thatlanagirl](http://myspace.com/thatlanagirl)  
**Other Info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 6 Oct



## Pure Puppet Palaver

### Melbourne's Finest Puppetry Blend

The triumphant return of Melbourne's finest blend of puppet comedy, music, drama, excitement and over-stimulation. Thrill to the manipulative power of the puppet in all its forms! Dancing Koalas! Grimm Death! Operatic prawns! Inflatable weird things! And a stunning live band.

September					October							
T	F	S	T	F	T	F	S	T	F	S		
27	28	29			04	05	06			11	12	13

**Venue** Northcote Town Hall West Wing – Studio 1  
189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31  
**Time** 9.00pm (90min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$12  
**Website** [puppetvision.com](http://puppetvision.com)  
**Other Info** Preview 27 Oct, Opening Night 28 Oct



## Tadpole

*Tadpole* is the beautiful tale of young Tad on her journey to find a new home. Along the way she meets animals who teach her about her environment, self-esteem and friendship. Charming puppets and music combine in this show for children.

**Writers** Helen Lunn and Philip Millar  
**Performers** Vanessa Ellis and Heath McIvor

September					October											
T	W	T	F	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
25	26	27	28	29	01	02	03	04	05	06	08	09	10	11	12	13

**Venue** Northcote Town Hall West Wing – Studio 1  
189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31  
**Time** 10.00am (45min)  
**Tickets** A \$12, C/myF \$12, Tues \$10, G (4) \$10





## Tyrannosaurus Sex

### A Puppet Rock Opera

"Tyrannosaurus Sex is an awesome experience. Genuinely funny, clever black-theatre puppetry" – Australian Puppeteer.

"Original, unusual and bizarre. The puppets are fantastic, exquisitely crafted and lovingly detailed" – The Age.

**Writers** Philip Millar and Derek Rowe

**Performers** Philip Millar, Derek Rowe and Heath McIvor

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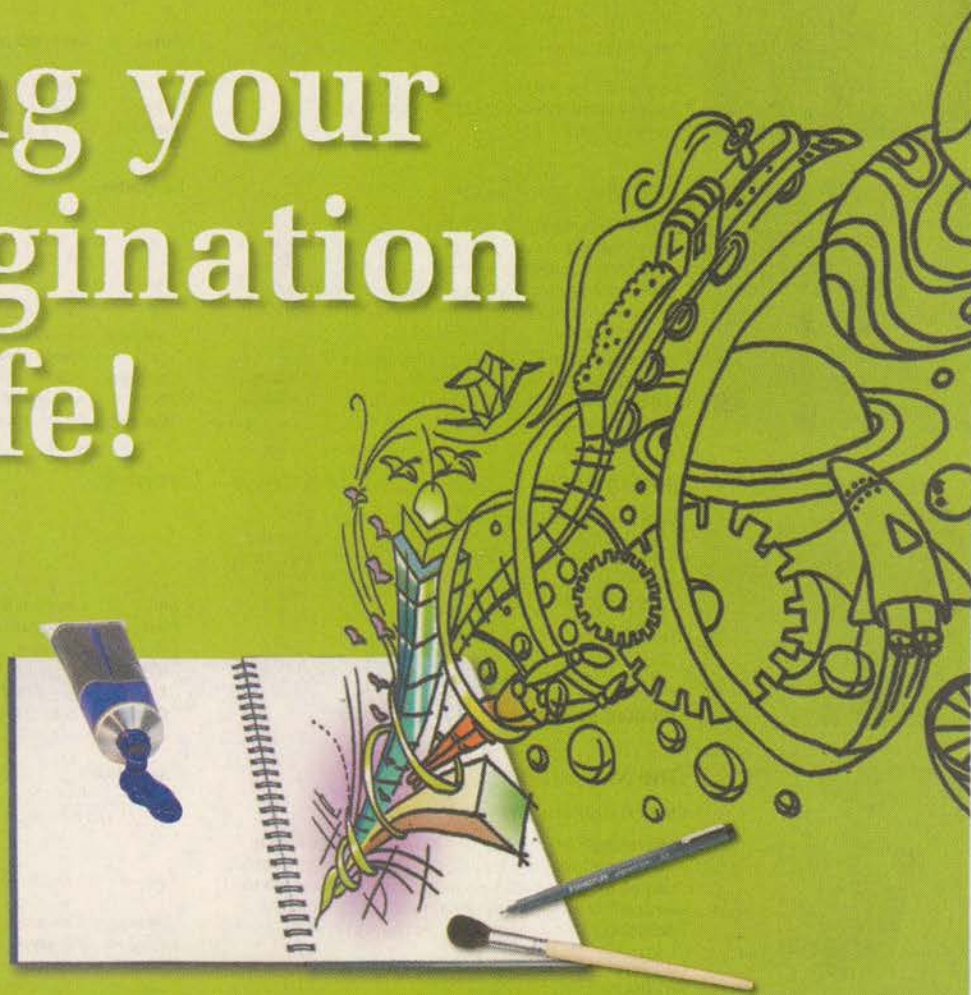
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**Venue** Northcote Town Hall West Wing – Studio 1  
189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31  
**Time** 7.30pm (45min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$12  
**Website** puppetvision.com  
**Other Info** Opening Night 27 Sept



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**Choreographed and Performed by** Random Takeaway Physical Theatre and idle hands

September	October			W T F			
		03	04	05	10	11	12

**Venue** Gertrudes, 30 Gertrude St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 28 K11, tram no: 86, 96, tram stop: 12, 13  
**Time** 8.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$12, C/myF \$10, G (10) \$9  
**Other Info** Opening Night 03 Oct



## Exhibit A

she isn't afraid of anything, but...

Ten sassy women. Two diverse works... Exhibit A is surprisingly familiar territory. Let her remind you, let her test you, let her be tested. She will offer her all; sharing the best of her to anyone. Let her show you.

**Directed by** Kylie Skinner and Kylie Shepherd  
**Performers** Alice Dixon, Beth Treloar, Caroline Meaden, Kylie Shepherd, Alta Truden, Bes Ayre, Danielle Canavan, Jaqueline Ison, Jess Deveraux and Kylie Skinner

September	October					
			T	F	S	S
			11	12	13	14

**Venue** Dancehouse, 150 Princes St, North Carlton  
**Transport** Melway 28 H4, tram no: 1, 22, tram stop: 144  
**Time** 8.00pm 11-13, Matinee 2.00pm 13 Oct, 5.00pm 14 Oct (75min)  
**Tickets** A \$16, C/myF \$12  
**Other Info** Opening Night 11 Oct



## Movimientos

Takin' it to the streets, sidewalks, beaches and bazaars. A global, sub-cultural journey through dance where the buskers are out for your tips, propina or baksheesh. From battle zones to cabaret showgirls, performing a funk'd up, spiced up showcase.

**Produced and Directed by** Pamela Clifford

September	October	
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**Venue** Gardenias Restaurant, 118 Elgin St, Carlton  
**Transport** Melway 28 H6, tram no: 3, 5, 6, 8, 16, 64, 67, 72, tram stop: 112  
**Time** 9.00pm, 11 Oct, 8.00pm 12 Oct (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$13 C/myF \$11  
**Other Info** Opening Night 11 Oct



## One More Than One

Best of Fringe Winner Brisbane 2006

"A rare moment of perfection in theatre" - Sydney Morning Herald. Award-winning piece of physical theatre that transcends many boundaries. An Asian man and a short statured woman search online for the ultimate connection, incorporating fascinatingly layered movement, sound, video and text.

**Composer** Jon Creenaune  
**Written and Performed by** Keith Lim and Emma J Hawkins  
**Directed by** Nikki Heywood

September	October				
	W	T	F	S	S
	26	27	28	29	30

**Venue** Gasworks - Theatre, 21 Graham St, Albert Park  
**Transport** Melway 2J G7, tram no: 1, tram stop: 30  
**Time** 7.00pm, Sun 6.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15, G (8) \$15, Wed/Thurs \$15  
**Website** atypicaltheatre.com.au



## Place, Repeat

An experience of public housing

Two unique works combine film and live contemporary dance to explore the lives of public housing residents. Place, Repeat is a collaboration of a filmmaker with residents devised through a community arts project, accompanied by a live, engaging contemporary dance performance.

**Film Directed by** Kate McKillop and participants  
**Choreographed and Performed by** Adam Gray and dancers  
**Supported by** City of Boroondara

September	October			
	W	T	F	S
	26	27	28	29

**Venue** Town Hall Gallery, rear 360 Burwood Rd, Hawthorn  
**Transport** Melway 45 D10, tram no: 69, tram stop: 73  
**Time** 8.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10  
**Website** boroondara.vic.gov.au  
**Other Info** Opening Night 26 Sept





## TWO.

### Contemporary Tap Dance Show

Recommended by American Emmy Award Winner Jason Samuels Smith, dance virtuoso Hai D. Nguyen brings the finest instrumental heart-pounding tap and contemporary dance together on a spiralling journey investigating the relationship between sound and body, body and mind, mind and emotion.

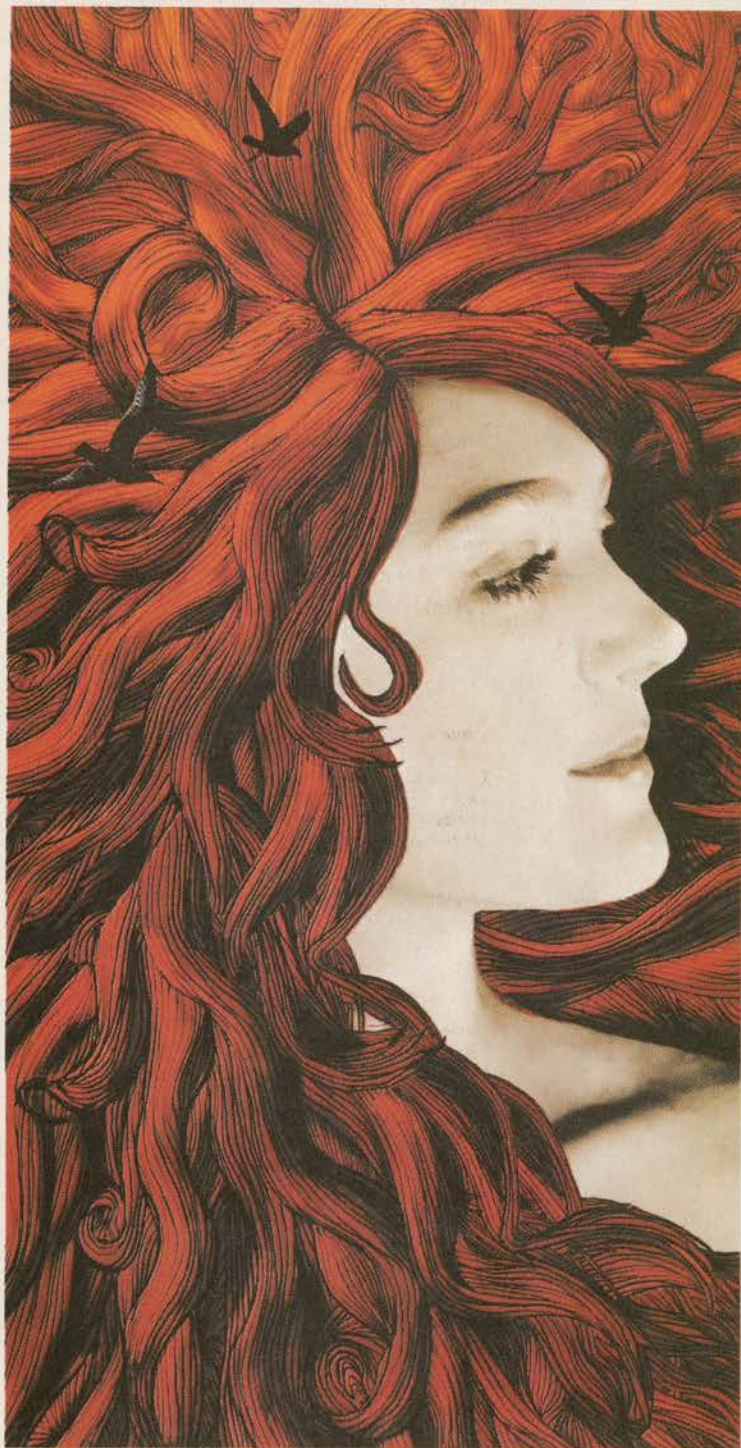
**Produced and Directed by** Hai D. Nguyen  
**Choreographer** Hai D. Nguyen **Performers** Hai D. Nguyen, Amelia Jones, Michelle Ferris

September

October

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10 11 12 13 14

**Venue** Northcote Town Hall West Wing – Studio 2  
189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport Time** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31  
7.00pm 10–12, 1.00pm and 7.00pm 13,  
1.00pm 14 Oct  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$12, G(6) \$8



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# Circus



## A Smorgasbord of Circus

Sample some bite sized portions of Melbourne's yummiest circus artists, in this late night mix of scrumptious circus delights.

**Producer** Daniel Rabin  
**Performer** Flee Obrien and Luke Taylor

September	October
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**Venue** Northcote Town Hall – Main Hall, 189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport Time** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31 11.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C \$12



## A Stab in the Dark

is better than a poke in the eye

*A Stab in the Dark* is a walk on the wildside and will keep you on the edge of your seat. Are you brave enough? *A Stab in the Dark* is a spooky and cooky.

A mix of puppetry and circus on the edge.

September	October
	W T F S 10 11 12 13

**Venue** David Williamson Theatre, St John St, Prahran  
**Transport Time** Melway 2L H12, tram no: 6, tram stop: 30 8.00pm, 13 Oct 2.00pm Matinee and 8.00pm (85min)  
**Tickets** A \$10, C/myF \$8, G(\$5) \$6  
**Other info** Opening Night 10 Oct



## Bucket of Love

Clever birdcages, nasty wheelbarrows, hungry suitcases, vindictive toilets, edgy bicycles, smoking guns, tired clichés, romantic shovels, evangelical umbrellas, and a simple soul with a bucket of love.

The Candy Butchers present Derek Ives' solo show.

"Short sharp and refreshingly dark" – The Age.

**Artist** Derek Ives **Directed by** Azaria Universe  
**Presented by** The Candy Butchers

September	October	Festival Hub
F S S 28 29 30	T W T F S S 02 03 04 05 06 07	T W T F S 09 10 11 12 13

**Venue** Festival Hub – Main Theatre, Lithuanian Club, 44 Errol St, North Melbourne  
**Transport Time** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12 9.45pm, Sun 8.45pm (45min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$12, Tues \$12  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 6 Oct



## Circuside

Bent and Bendy, Sharp and Pointed. Moving beyond skill into the realm of uneasy dreams and giddy nightmares. Opposable Thumbs breathe intoxicated life into a circus and sideshow exploration of secret desires.

**Artists** Lilikoi Kaos, Gordo Gamsby and Manx

September	October
T F S 27 28 29	

**Venue** Northcote Town Hall – Main Hall, 189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport Time** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31 9.45pm (45min)  
**Tickets** A \$16, C/myF \$11, G(\$5) \$10  
**Website** mspace.com/the\_opposable\_thumbs



## Controlled Falling Project

This Side Up Acrobatics

This Side Up showcases the raw muscular human body as it moves effortlessly through seemingly impossible positions. The show explores the use of foreign apparatus and the different energies between people and how they attract or repel against each other.

September	October
W T F S S 26 27 28 29 30	T W T F S S 02 03 04 05 06 07

**Venue** Northcote Town Hall – Main Hall, 189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport Time** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31 8.00pm (50min)  
**Tickets** A \$12, C/myF \$8, Tues \$8, Prev \$8, G(10) \$10  
**Other info** Preview 26 and 27 Sept, 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept





### Domestic Bliss

The circus of domestic life is the inspiration of this domiciliary tableau exploring the objects of our everyday desires.

Ingredients: acrobatics, one kitchen table, teacups, handful of underwear, pinch of dirty laundry.

Method: Mix ingredients, Dress tarts, Serve hot.

Performed by Quiche Lorraine

September	October
	S S 06 07

**Venue** The Playspace, 290 Albert St, Brunswick  
**Transport** Melway 29 G8, tram no: 19, tram stop: 22  
**Time** 8.00pm 06 and 07 Oct, 5.00pm 07 Oct (40min)  
**Tickets** A \$5, C/myF \$4



### Harry and Me

A tribute to Harry Connick Jr.

Featuring some swinging live music, jaw dropping circus skills and hilarious physical comedy. Kyle Rafferty presents a one man show that promises to be fast, fun and full of outrageous antics. A great family show suitable for all ages.

Written and Performed by Kyle Rafferty

September	October
	W T S S W T S S 03 04 06 07 10 11 13 14

**Venue** Northcote Town Hall – Main Hall, 189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 Eg, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31  
**Time** 2.00pm (50min)  
**Tickets** A \$12, C/myF \$8, G(3) \$10, Family (2A+2CH) \$32



### Shuttlecock

A rampant tornado of physical expression

Join Mat and Skye for an evening of circus, comedy and the unexpected. Their mission? To strain, to struggle and to finally lay at your feet a fresh pile of hot, steaming art – so pretentious it could be considered unAustralian.

Presented by Mathew Loudon and Skye Gellmann

September	October
	W T F S W T F S 03 04 05 06 10 11 12 13

**Venue** Northcote Town Hall – Main Hall, 189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 Eg, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31  
**Time** 9.45pm (35min)  
**Tickets** A \$16, C/myF \$13, Prev \$11, G(4) \$12  
**Other info** Preview 03 Oct, Opening Night 04 Oct



### Team Loko's 'Introduction to Circus'

This show is about discovering that there is more to the circus world than having an act and skills. It offers an insight into the minds of the performers and their journey to performing.

September	October
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**Venue** Northcote Town Hall – Main Hall, 189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 Eg, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31  
**Time** 6.30pm (45min)  
**Tickets** A \$16, C/myF \$13, Tues \$13, P \$10, G(6) \$10, G(50) \$7  
**Website** [myspace.com/teamloko](http://myspace.com/teamloko)  
**Other info** Preview 26 Sept, Opening Night 27 Sept, 2 for 1 tickets 02 and 03 Oct

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# Comedy



## A Gondo Production – Tastes Funny

Those gifted gits of Physical Comedy

The Great Gondos present a side splitting Physical Comedy of romantic blunders where beautiful moments collide with absurd chaos. See the highly skilled antics of variety circus stars Daniel Oldaker and Rani Huszar – as seen on the ABC series "Sideshow".

**Director** Laura Sheedy  
**Written and Performed by** Daniel Oldaker and Rani Huszar

September	Festival Hub													
	F	S	S	T	W	T	F	S	S	T	W	T	F	S
	28	29	30	02	03	04	05	06	07	09	10	11	12	13

**Venue** Festival Hub – Rehearsal Room – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 7:30pm, Sun 6:30pm (50min)  
**Tickets** A \$18, C/myF \$15, Tues \$13, G(8) \$15, RRR/PBS \$15  
**Website** mspace.com/thegreatgondos  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 06 Oct



## A Record or an OBE

"I would like to thank the other two Goodies, but I really can't. It would have been so much easier without them" – Bill Oddie.

1975. Bill's gone – but Tim and Graeme don't need him. Do they? A break-up and breakdown like no other.

**Written and Directed by** Scott Gooding  
**Written and Performed by** Rob Lloyd and Ben McKenzie

September	October											
	F	S	T	W	T	F	S	T	W	T	F	S
			05	06				09	10	11	12	13

**Venue** Caz Reitops Dirty Secrets – The Vault, 80 Smith St, Collingwood  
**Transport** Melway 2C D11, tram no: 86, tram stop: 15  
**Time** 6:00pm (30min)  
**Tickets** A \$10, C/myF \$5  
**Website** shaolinpunk.net  
**Other info** Preview 05 Oct, Opening Night 06 Oct



## Alexandra Fraser in 'Cancer'

She is getting on with her comedy show

I was diagnosed with cancer aged 28. Not the personal growth I had in mind. From show tunes to surrealism. The show is certainly funnier than cancer, a roller-coaster ride of treatment via pandas, Pac-Man and a playboy bunny.

**Written and Performed by** Alexandra Fraser  
**Producer** Chris Heath  
**Supported by** Carol Fraser

September	October											
	F	S	F	S	F	S	S	F	S	S		
	28	30			12	13	14					

**Venue** Erwin Rado Theatre, 211 Johnson St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C C7, tram no: 86, tram stop: 19  
**Time** 8:00pm (40min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$12



## Arj Barker

Presented by Mary Tobin

Arj returns, armed with new classics and some classic classics! If you don't laugh your ass off, there's something wrong with you (so don't ask for your money back).

He's sure to sell out, catch him while he still has integrity!

September	Festival Hub													
	F	S	S	T	W	T	F	S	S	T	W	T	F	S
	28	29	30	02	03	04	05	06	07	09	10	11	12	13

**Venue** Festival Hub – Lithuanian Club, Main Theatre, 44 Errol St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 8:30pm, Sun 7:30pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$29.90, C/myF \$24.90, Tues \$24.90, G(10) \$24.90  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept



## Being Pirate Gandhi

The man, the leader... the pirate?

You've heard of avant garde? This is avant Gandhi! Three young men, use creativity, imagination and bad accents in their endeavour to conjure "facts" of a period in which the spiritual leader moonlighted as a pirate of the high seas.

**Written and Performed by** Marty Atta, Andrew Bongiorno and Matt Harvey

September	October											
	F	S	F	S	F	S						
	28	29	05	06	12	13						

**Venue** Pony, 68 Little Collins St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 18 T6, tram no: 86,96, tram stop: 8  
**Time** 8:30pm (50min)  
**Tickets** A \$10, C/myF \$8, Tues \$8, G(3) \$8  
**Website** martymarty.com.au





## Character Comedy at the Festival Club

Nelly Thomas and Tanya Losanno proudly present *Character Comedy* at the Festival Club. Come and see your favourite character comedians ham it up in the delightfully bohemian surrounds of the Club. It'll be quirky, kooky and always completely hilarious!

**Produced by** Nelly Thomas and Tanya Losanno  
**Presented by** Melbourne Fringe

		Festival Hub	
September	October	S	S
		30	07
<b>Venue</b>	Festival Club – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne		
<b>Transport Time</b>	Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12 9.00pm (120min)		
<b>Tickets</b>	Free		
<b>Website</b>	charactercomedy.info		



## Character Comedy Workshops

Back by popular demand – this afternoon workshop presents an opportunity for performers of all levels to develop their character comedy skills. With the help of some of Australia's most loved character comics!

**Producers** Tanya Losanno and Nelly Thomas  
**Supported by** Melbourne Fringe

		Festival Hub	
September	October	S	S
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<b>Venue</b>	Festival Club – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne		
<b>Transport Time</b>	Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12 11.30am (5hrs)		
<b>Tickets</b>	A \$50, C/myF \$40, Artists \$40		
<b>Website</b>	charactercomedy.info		



## Cinder-effin-rella

A 7 year old girl had a dream – life was meant to be a ball.

Nicky Talacko (Best Newcomer, Monaco International Film Festival 2005) reworks the lead role in her own fairytale. Hmmm... Happy ending anyone?

**Performer** Nicky Talacko  
**Directed by** Brad Oakes

		Festival Hub	
September	October	T	F
		02	03
<b>Venue</b>	Caz Reitops Dirty Secrets – The Vault, 80 Smith St, Collingwood		
<b>Transport Time</b>	Melway 2C D11, tram no: 86, tram stop: 15 7.00pm (60min)		
<b>Tickets</b>	A \$15, C/myF \$10, Tues \$10		
<b>Website</b>	nicky-talacko.com		
<b>Other info</b>	Opening Night 26 Sept		



## ElbowSkin: The "Too Hard" Basket

Two comedians. One guitar. One basket. A neglected basket. A basket filling up FAST!!

The Mission: Empty the basket.

"Their enthusiasm, energy and confidence on stage are infectious, and the laughter from start to finish proves they have it right" - The Pun.

**Produced and Directed by** Laugh It Up Enterprises  
**Written and Performed by** Dave Adams and Ernie Austin

		Festival Hub	
September	October	T	F
		04	05
<b>Venue</b>	Festival Hub – The Ballroom, Lithuanian Club, 44 Errol St, North Melbourne		
<b>Transport Time</b>	Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12 10.00pm, Sun 9.00pm (55min)		
<b>Tickets</b>	A \$18, C/myF \$15, G(10) \$15		
<b>Website</b>	myspace.com/laughitup_promotions or myspace.com/elbowskin		
<b>Other info</b>	2 for 1 Opening Night 04 Oct		



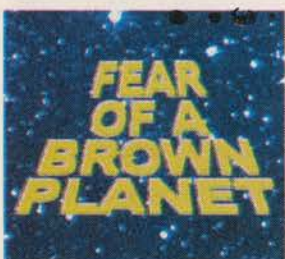
## Every Film Ever Made

The team that brought you the sellout festival hit *The Hound of the Baskervilles* now face their biggest challenge to date... acting out EVERY FILM EVER MADE.

"Thank the comedy gods for this engaging hour... Very funny" – The Age.

**Written and Performed by** Tegan Higginbotham, Robert Lloyd and Adam McKenzie

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September	October	F	S
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<b>Venue</b>	Festival Hub – Rehearsal Room – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne		
<b>Transport Time</b>	Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12 10.00pm, Sun 9.00pm (55min)		
<b>Tickets</b>	A \$15, C/myF \$15, Tues \$12, G(4) \$12		
<b>Other info</b>	2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 06 Oct		



## Fear of a Brown Planet

Islam 101: Don't Believe the Hype

Standup comedy about all the things you're scared to think about: Islam, race relations, sedition, and the War on Terror. A timely antidote for your paranoia.

All proceeds to the National Indigenous Youth Movement of Australia and the Fitzroy Learning Network.

**Soundtrack by** Public Enemy, **Performers** Mohammed El-Leissy, Nazeem Hussain and Aamer Rahman

		Festival Hub	
September	October	F	S
		28	29
<b>Venue</b>	Festival Hub – The Ballroom, Lithuanian Club, 44 Errol St, North Melbourne		
<b>Transport Time</b>	Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12 8.45pm, Sun 7.45pm (60min)		
<b>Tickets</b>	A \$14, C/myF \$12, Tues \$10, G(6) \$12		
<b>Website</b>	brownplanet.com.au		
<b>Other info</b>	2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept		





## Funny as a Brain Tumour

Sometimes it is funny when it hurts

A personal journey from diagnosis to recovery, as told by an incurable optimist. Adrian finds humour in places he shouldn't, when people act strangely when the unbelievable happens to you. Life does not end with a brain tumour it just goes crazy.

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**Venue** Glitch Bar, 318 St Georges Rd, North Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 30 C11, tram no: 112, tram stop: 23  
**Time** 10.15pm, Sun 7.45pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$12, C/myF \$8



## Geraldine Hickey – Miss Guided

Geraldine Hickey spent much of her adolescence as a Girl Guide. Now she is all grown up, and she thinks it's high time that she went back.

"This chirpy yob might be the find of the festival"  
– The Age.

**Written and Performed by** Geraldine Hickey  
**Directed by** Claire Hooper

September

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Festival Hub

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**Venue** Festival Hub – The Raglan, 14 Raglan St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 11  
**Time** 6.45pm, Sun 5.45pm (50min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$12  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 02, 06 and 09 Oct



## Geraldine Quinn – SEXDEATHBOWIE

Rock-cabaret-star Geraldine Quinn's reputation as Australia's most bleak, inappropriate songstress fuels this limited return season of 4.5 star show SEXDEATHBOWIE (MIFC, Edinburgh/Adelaide Fringe). Don't miss this Green Room Award-winning comedian's FINAL SEASON! "Misanthropic, angst-y hilarity" – The Age.

September

October

Festival Hub

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Rehearsal Room – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 8.45pm, Sun 7.45pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$12, Tues \$10, G(6) \$12, RRR \$12  
**Website** geraldinequinn.com  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept



## Great Golden Showers

A guide to resource management today

Where is our water going? Or more to the point where is it coming from? Satirist Tym Jeffery discusses these and many other environmental and political issues live on stage.

Ever controversial Jeffery unleashes his new show which is a pisser.

**Artist** Tym Jeffery

September

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**Venue** Pony, 68 Little Collins St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 1B T6, tram no: 86, 96, tram stop: 8  
**Time** 8.30pm 26 Sept, 03, 10 Oct, 6.30pm 27 Sept, 04, 11 Oct (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$10, C/myF \$8  
**Website** apocalypseandgenesys.com



## Hospitality – The Musical

A Tragedy In Three Shifts

A comedy for anyone who has made a half strength decaf soy latte, had to explain the difference between a panini and a foccacia and ignored the thirty second rule.

**Written and Directed by** Yasmine Clement  
**Producer** David Hartley

September

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**Venue** Acquam, 364 Victoria St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 28 A11, tram no: 57, tram stop: 11  
**Time** 7.00pm (75min)  
**Tickets** A \$19, C \$13, Prev \$10, G(10) \$15  
**Website** optiverve.tv  
**Other info** Prev 26 Sept, Opening Night 27 Sept



## How to Rig an Election

Presented by Mr Al and Mr Nick

You've always wanted to lead but nobody likes you? Missed out on becoming School Captain? Well good news Winning an election doesn't actually require the majority of votes. There's a better way. A simpler way. And we can show you how. "Hilarious and Original" – Adelaide Advertiser, "Genuinely funny" – The Age.

**Written and Performed by** Alastair Gowing and Nick Caddaye

September

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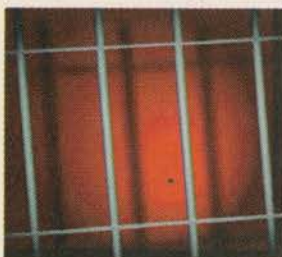
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**Venue** Festival Hub – The Loft, Lithuanian Club, 44 Errol St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 6.30pm (50min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$13, Tues \$10, G(6) \$10  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 06 Oct







## Jail Bait

### Felonious fantasies behind bars

In 2006 Two Leggy Redheads (aka Fiona Scott-Norman and Rod Quantock), hosted *Coming Clean*, where comedians confessed to their past crimes.

This year comics are challenged to divulge the crime they dream of committing, and you're going to help them plan it.

Check Melbourne Fringe website for line up.

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**Venue** Old Melbourne Gaol, Russell St, between Victoria and La Trobe Sts, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 28 F12, tram no: 1, 3, 5, 6, 8, 16, 67, 72, tram stop: 8  
**Time** 7:30pm (120min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15  
**Website** melbournefringe.com.au



## Justin D Lodge in 'Why I lived the life of a homeless vagabond and other stories'

By living destitute on the streets of Sydney Justin wanted to gain some perspective on his own life and some insight into the plight of the homeless.

Written and Performed by Justin D Lodge

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**Venue** Festival Hub – The Tent – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 7:15pm, Sun 6:15pm (45min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10, Tues \$12, G(6) \$10, Snr \$10  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 06 Oct



## Kieran Butler claims Collingwood ruined my Life... Again!

www.kieranbutler.com

Sold out 2006, 2007 MIFC and Adelaide Fringe. The comedy and tragedy of being a Magpie fan.

"Damn good" \*\*\*\* – Edinburgh Evening News.  
"The closest many men will get to therapy" – The Age.  
"Hilarious" – Adelaide Advertiser.  
"See this show" – The Pun.

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**Venue** Carrington Hotel, 228 Langridge St, Abbotsford  
**Transport** Melway 2C J12, tram no: 109, tram stop: 19  
**Time** 9:15pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$18, G(10) \$18  
**Website** kieranbutler.com



## Laugh for a Cure

For one night only, local comics Sarah Lamshed and Ellie Frew present a fantastic line-up of Melbourne's funniest comedians to entertain and excite you.

Proceeds from the evening will be donated to the National Breast Cancer Foundation.

Presented by Sarah Lamshed and Ellie Frew  
Supported by National Breast Cancer Foundation

September	October	Festival Hub	
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**Venue** Festival Hub – Main Theatre, Lithuanian Club, 44 Errol St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 7:00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$18  
**Website** nbcf.org.au



## Lawrence Leung Learns to Breakdance

Presented by Australian Comedy Management

Direct from Edinburgh and London seasons, the return of The Age Critics' Award-winning Comedy Festival show. Lawrence is on a quest to be cooler than his older bass playing brother.

"The pace never slackens, the laughter is frequent and the content is beautifully timed" – The Age.

September	October	Festival Hub	
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**Venue** Festival Hub – Main Theatre, Lithuanian Club, 44 Errol St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 7:00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$22, C \$17



## Lawrence Mooney's "Where to?"

Lawrence Mooney has spent a lifetime in Taxis: giving directions, talking inanely and listening to the BBC World Service. Now he has climbed over the console and into the driver's seat for this hilarious, bumpy ride home.

"Absolutely hilarious..." – The Age.

September	October	Festival Hub	
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**Venue** Festival Hub – The Loft, Lithuanian Club, 44 Errol St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 8:45pm, Sun 7:45pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$25, C/myF \$20, G(8+) \$18  
 06 Oct and Tues all tix \$18







## Le Garçon Neurotique

A dark and hilariously twisted journey into the mind of a cocktail waiter teetering on the edge of madness, concocted together with stirring insight into the elegant depraved heaven of world class alcoholism. Cocktails sold throughout performance at the Order of Melbourne.

Opens 25 Sept.

**Written and Performed by** Joshua Cameron  
**Producer** The Six

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**Venue** The Order of Melbourne, Level 2, 401 Swanston St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2F E1, tram no: 3,5,6,8,16,64,67,72, tram stop: 8  
**Time** 7.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15, G(5) \$12  
**Website** joshuacameron.net



## Life Spam: The Life and Times of Em O'Loughlin

**Fringe at Gasworks**

Em says she is going to die at 82. She's half-way. Time to design the last bit. Time to de-spam. To fill the memory mix with your laughing smiley face. See the National Raw Comedy Winner (2001) in her Fringe premiere.

**Written and Performed by** Em O'Loughlin  
**Directed by** Adrian Calear **Music** Grant Musaphia

September	October						
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**Venue** Gasworks—Studio Theatre, 21 Graham St, Albert Park  
**Transport** Melway 2J G7, tram no: 1, tram stop: 30  
**Time** 9.30pm, Sun 8.30pm (50min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$17, G(5) \$17  
**Website** gasworks.org.au  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 02 Oct



## Lost and found in the space in between the molecules of guava juice on my kitchen table

Experimental, semi-improvised standup stream-of-unconsciousness comedy/tragedy train wreck crash into bushes watch the blood and guts spew all over his face. Love, death, cheese... Multi-Award winning, World famous blah blah. pleasecometomyshowwithoutyouimn othingohgod blahblah etc... Made out of cheese...

**Artist** Nick Sun

September	October													
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**Venue 1** Pony, 68 Little Collins St, Melbourne, Melway 1B T6, 26 Sept, 03, 10 Oct  
**Venue 2** Bar Open, 317 Brunswick St, Fitzroy, Melway 2C B6, 27, 28, 30 Sept, 04-07, 12-14 Oct  
**Time** 6.30pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$13, C/myF \$10, G(10) \$10  
**Website** nicksun.com



## Marcus Green: Attack of the white people

Marcus Green makes his triumphantly Liberal return as the crusader of all that is good, rich and white. Join him, his Prozac loving wife and his generically misunderstood son in a one-man show about what it really means to be white.

**Performer** Chris Starbuck

September	October													
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**Venue** Pony, 68 Little Collins St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 1B T6, tram no: 86,96, tram stop: 8  
**Time** 6.30pm 28 Sept, 05, 06, 12, 13 Oct, 8.00pm 27 Sept, 04, 11 Oct (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$5, G(5) \$4



## Mathew Kenneally for Parliament?

I'm doing a Federal Election show. It will be pro-fAMILY, good for the economy, and should strike fear into the hearts of terrorists everywhere. Also, funny!

Vote 33 Kenneally.

"Smart, funny stuff, about... the state of the world"  
— The Age.

**Performer** Mathew Kenneally  
**Producer** Simon Barber

September	October						
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**Venue** Glitch Bar, 318 St Georges Rd, North Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 30 C11, tram no: 112, tram stop: 23  
**Time** 6.30pm (55min)  
**Tickets** A \$18, C/myF \$12, G(6) \$15, Politicians \$50



## Miriam and the Monkfish

**A Live Cooking Show!**

"Delicious satire... Kelly is captivating... Not only witty and well observed... but hilariously out of control."  
— Kate Herbert, Herald Sun.

Join Miriam in the kitchen and watch as she attempts to emulate the culinary feats of Nigella, Jamie and Donna with disastrous results!

**Written and Performed by** Sophie Kelly  
**Written and Directed by** Tessa King **Producer** Philip Peck

September	October													
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**Venue** Dante's Fitzroy—The Back Room, 150-156 Gertrude St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B11, tram no: 86, tram stop: 14  
**Time** 7.30pm (55min)  
**Tickets** A \$18, C/myF \$15, G(10) \$15  
**Other info** Opening Night 09 Oct







## Month of Sundays

Would you talk about a boob job over breakfast? What about incest? Hash cookies? Cancer? Sandpits? Every Sunday four friends meet for breakfast, and they'll say anything. But, in the end, nothing speaks louder than words left unsaid.

**Written and Produced by** May Jasper  
**Directed by** Sam Wilson

September	October
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**Venue** First Floor, 393 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B5, tram no: 112, tram stop: 17  
**Time** 7.30pm (90min)  
**Tickets** A \$18, C/myF \$15, G(10) \$15



## Re-Educating Rita

a comic in a classroom, toughest crowd yet

Teaching's a dream job, unless you have to do it. It used to be fun being the only adult in the room, now it's dangerous!

Performance based pay! Who's grading who in the modern classroom?

Clare Turner presents an hour of facts that should be fiction.

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Supper Room – Arts House, North Melbourne, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 6.30pm, Sun 5.30pm (50min)  
**Tickets** A \$16, C/myF \$12, Tues \$8, G(5) \$12  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 02, 06, 09 Oct



## Reverend CE on the Run DMC

Whose house? God's house!

Are you getting enough of the Bible in your life? If not, you're going to burn in hell. Join us, learn of the glory of Jesus and his Ninja-Pirates, and sanctify your soul.

WARNING! MAY CONTAIN BLATANT HE-MAN REFERENCES!

**Produced and Performed by** Joey Kurtschenko  
**Directed by** Dominic Jackman

September	October
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**Venue** The Drunken Poet, 65 Peel St, West Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 43 F6, tram no: 55, tram stop: 10  
**Time** 8.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** Free



## SEDITIONOUS DELICIOUS

The Portrait of John Howard

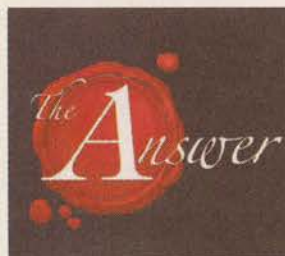
Our Lazarus with a triple by-pass, the Prime Minister, wishes to remain youthful and in power while his portrait is to grow old and decrepit. However, the reverse comes true!

A live radio show of embarrassing sound effects and just desserts.

**Director** Russell McGilton

September	October
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**Venue** Erwin Rado Theatre, 211 Johnson St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C C7, tram no: 86, tram stop: 19  
**Time** 8.00pm, Sun 7.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$22, C/myF \$19



## The Answer

Dan Lee has

For centuries mean little monks and academics have kept the answer hidden from us. Now, finally, at last, the secret that has been kept secret by the powerful will be revealed to you! The answer to everything is here!

**Performer** Dan Lee

September	October
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**Venue** Glitch Bar, 318 St Georges Rd, North Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 30 C11, tram no: 112, tram stop: 23  
**Time** 9.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10, Prev \$8 G(3) \$10  
**Website** [myspace.com/danleestuff](http://myspace.com/danleestuff)  
**Other info** Preview 03 Oct, 2 for 1 Opening Night 04 Oct



## The Candidate

Vote One Kai Tier

This Prime Ministerial candidate is more likely to be snorting the party line than walking it.

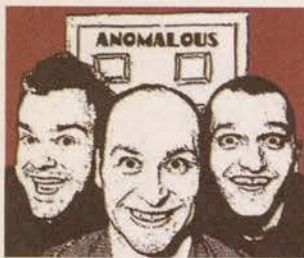
"One of the highlights of the festival" – theprogram.net.au (MCF 2005). "Makes Arnold Schwarzenegger look like a girlie-man" – Kai Tier (quietly to himself on tram).

**Written and Performed by** Kai Tier  
**Directed by** Petra Kalive

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Supper Room – Arts House, North Melbourne, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 7.30pm, Sun 6.30pm (45min)  
**Tickets** A \$14, C/myF \$12, Tues \$10, G(10) \$10, MEAA \$12  
**Website** [thecandidate.com.au](http://thecandidate.com.au)  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 06 Oct





## The house of Anomalous

Enter the surreal house of Anomalous. Where nothing of note happens at an incredibly fast pace. There's pets to feed, rent to pay and the small matter of an inter-dimensional portal. Anomalous brings together three of Melbourne's favourite comic actors.

**Written and Performed by** Jamie Robertson, Jason Geary and Dom Phelan

September	October
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26 27 28 29 30	03 04 05 06 07

**Venue** The Terminus Hotel, 605 Victoria St, Abbotsford  
**Transport** Melway 2H E2, tram no: 24, 27, 109, tram stop: 23  
**Time** 9.30pm, Sun 8.30pm (55min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$13, Prev \$13, G(8) \$13  
**Website** [myspace.com/weareanomalous](http://myspace.com/weareanomalous)  
**Other info** Preview 26 Sept, Opening Night 27 Sept



## The Infamous Spraygellent

AFL 200 gamer Glenn Manton and Improviser Jim Lawson present their unique show about the sometimes hidden side of AFL football. An intimate audience becomes the team in a three part Tent event.

Recipient Best improv, Comedy at Trades Awards 2007.

**Performers** Jim Lawson and Glenn Manton

September	October	Festival Hub
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**Venue** Festival Hub – The Tent – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 8.15pm, Sun 7.15pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$30, C/myF \$25, Tues \$25  
**Website** [glennmanton.com](http://glennmanton.com)



## The Nancy Browne Show

Nancy is quite partial to a bit of a chat and known to impart the odd sequin of wisdom. She is both charming and disarming (but don't worry, if your arms fall off you can take them with you when you leave).

**Written and Performed by** Rachel Leary  
**Producer** Sarah Lamshed

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Supper Room – Arts House, North Melbourne, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 9.30pm, Sun 8.30pm (40min)  
**Tickets** A \$14, C/myF \$12, Tues \$12, G(5) \$10  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 06 Oct



## They shoot roos, don't they?

**One girl, one guidebook, one goon fuelled oz odyssey**

A ground breakingly, powerful, heart-rending, iconic, inspirational, informative, politically charged, indigenous rollercoaster of a journey... this is not! It's a show about backpacking. And it's funny!

**Written and Performed by** Roisin Stack, Bridget Deevy and Sarah Nutland  
**Presented by** Three P's in a Pod

September	October
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**Venue** Glitch Bar, 318 St Georges Rd, North Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 30 C11, tram no: 112, tram stop: 23  
**Time** 9.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$12, C/myF \$10, Backpacker \$10  
**Website** [myspace.com/theyshootroosdontthey](http://myspace.com/theyshootroosdontthey)



## Tommy Little – Call Me

**"He's f\*\*king hilarious!" – Mum after a few wines**

What would you do if you found a mysterious card saying 'call me' on it? The young comic has placed thousands of these cards around and recorded all the incoming calls. Witness the hilarious results in Tommy's brand new stand up show.

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28 29 30	02 03 04 05 06 07
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**Venue** The Cue, 1st Floor, 277 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 44 A4, tram no: 112, tram stop: 15  
**Time** 7.30pm (50min)  
**Tickets** A \$17, C/myF \$14, Tues \$13, G(8) \$13



## Was It A Cat I Saw

**that nerdy show about words**

*Was It a Cat I Saw* is a palindrome. Meaning the letters are the same backwards as they are forwards. Melbourne Fringe is an anagram of the words "One Fine Grumbler".

This is a show about words.

**Performer** Luke Whitby  
**Directed by** Justin Murray

September	October	Festival Hub
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28 29 30	02 03 04 05 06 07	09 10 11 12 13

**Venue** Festival Hub – The Raglan, 14 Raglan St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 11  
**Time** 10.30pm, Sun 9.30pm (50min)  
**Tickets** A \$19, C/myF \$16, Tues \$15  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 06 Oct





September

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**Venue** Festival Hub – The Raglan, 14 Raglan St, North Melbourne

**Transport Time** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 11 9.15pm, Sun 8.15pm (45min)

**Tickets** A \$18, C/myF \$15, Tues \$15, C(10) \$15, Snr \$10

**Website** wendylittle.com or myspace.com/wendy\_little

**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 06 Oct



## Wendy Little in "Helmet Hair"

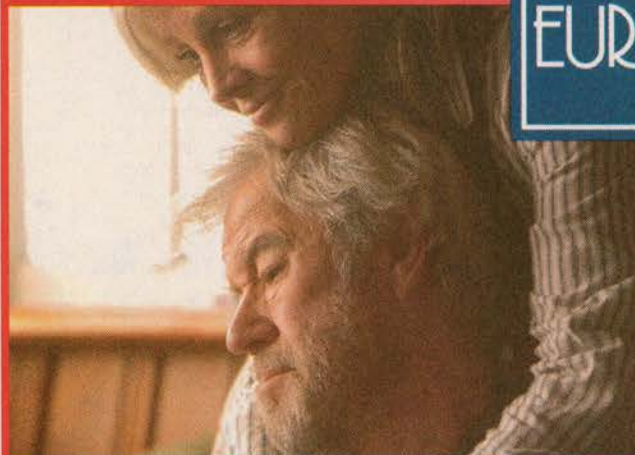
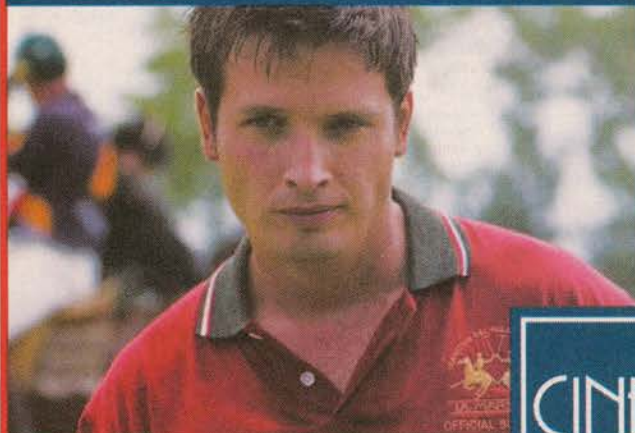
(and other environmental disasters)

Global warming. It's so hot right now! It's a modern dilemma – how to look good without destroying the environment? How many black balloons will using your hair dryer emit? And how do they get there in the first place?

## the bet <sup>M</sup> aus

13 september [southland.rivoli]

this high-paced thriller set in the world of fast money and big egos stars aden young, matthew newton and sibylla budd.



## away from her <sup>M</sup> canada

4 october [knox.southland.rivoli]

julie christie returns in this drama about a life-long couple that have to face the prospect of living the rest of their lives apart.

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## irina palm <sup>MA</sup> uk

20 september [rivoli]

marianne faithfull is brilliant in this disarming comedy about a woman who takes an unlikely job to help her grandson.



## year of the dog <sup>M</sup> usa

11 october [knox.southland.rivoli]

molly shannon stars in the quirky directorial debut of mike white about a woman who communicates easier with dogs than people.



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# Cabaret



## "Who says we can't?"

**Presented by Reds Under The Bed Activist Cabaret**

Protest cabaret troupe Reds Under the Bed is scandalising Melbourne again with its subversive activist cabaret act.

### "Who says we can't?"

Don't miss our satirical program of original songs and side-splitting comical visual parodies and political sketches.

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**Venue** Noise Bar, 291 Albert St, Brunswick  
**Transport** Melway 29 G8, tram no: 19, tram stop: 22  
**Time** 7.30pm (90min)  
**Tickets** A\$10, C/myF \$5



## Anna Joy in The Pilgrim's Regress

**Presented by A-List Entertainment**

An oversexed freedom fighter in search of the Truth, Anna Joy is on a journey. Her father is a German born in Palestine. Her mother a fundamentalist Christian of Jewish heritage. Anna Joy became a Roman Catholic – she hates herself. Share the joy.

**Written and Performed by** Anna Joy Hoffman  
**Producer** Artie Laing

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**Festival Hub**

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**Venue** Festival Hub - The Loft, Lithuanian Club, 44 Errol St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A 110, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 7.30pm, Sun 6.30pm (55min)  
**Tickets** A \$16.50, C/myF \$14.50, Tues \$12.50, G(6) \$14.50  
**Website** alist.com.au  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 06 Oct



## Benn Bennett & Wes Snelling in BLACK BAG

Vivaciously dark, witty and wonderfully contaminating describe this explosive duo.

Bennett: 'oddly effective sublimely sanguine' – Inpress  
With Wes Snelling the Green Room nominated 'Prince of Cabaret' – Beat.

Frolic in the unveiling of the absurd musical comedy BLACK BAG. There's something in there for you...

September

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**Venue** Melba Spiegelent – Northcote Town Hall Civic Square, 189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31  
**Time** 10.30pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$25, C/myF \$20, G(10) \$15  
**Website** wessnelling.com or bennbennett.com  
**Other info** Opening Night 10 Oct



## Beyond The Flannelette

**Beau Heartbreaker**

Beau's left the farm, and finds himself... with absolutely nothing to wear.

Beau's beautiful voice carries us through his ongoing search for the right shirt to wear in the most awkward of situations.

Winner – 2006, 2007 Melbourne and Adelaide Fringe Festivals Best Cabaret awards.

**Written and Performed by** Selina Jenkins

September

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**Festival Hub**

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Rehearsal Room – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Corner Queensberry and Errol Streets, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A 110, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 8.45pm, Sun 7.45pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$14, C/myF \$10, Tues \$10, G(8) \$10  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 06 Oct



## Caity Fowler – Songs of Instability

a cabaret...sort of

Recent VCA Music Theatre graduate Caity Fowler returns to the Butterfly Club stage with her all new original show *Songs of Instability*. Through mock pop ballads to jazz to comedy, and everywhere in between, Caity endeavours to solve her 'minor' existential crisis.

September

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**Venue** The Butterfly Club, 204 Bank St, South Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2K D2, tram no: 112, tram stop: 128  
**Time** 7.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15







## CasioNova & His Ceaseless Miracles

### The true history of Casio keyboards

A new show from Melbourne's favourite lo-tech lover.

CasioNova combines puppets, projections, rock stars and the world's greatest collection of Casios to electro-rock the bizarre instruments that Casio engineers concocted in the 1980's.

'Most Innovative Cabaret Concept' Award – Fringe 2002.

**Artist** Mr CasioNova **Performer** Mr Casio Tony

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	26	28	29	02	03	05	06	09	10	12	13

**Venue** Northcote Town Hall – Main Hall, 189 High St, Northcote

**Transport** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31

**Time** 11.00pm (60min)

**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10, G(10) \$10

**Website** casionova.org

**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 26 Sept and 02, 03, 09 Oct



## De-ORchestraD!

### An invigorating musico-theatric adventure

Cross a wannabe rockstar violinist with a straight-laced classical cello player, remove the symphonic safety net and you have String Fever, a dynamic and hilarious modern cabaret duo- now married.

Music meets reality; art meets entertainment!

Winners of 5 MO Awards.

**Written and Performed by** String Fever

**Lighting** Ashley Groenen **Sound** Sally Edgecombe

September				October			
W	T	F	S	W	T	F	S
	26	27	28	29	30		

**Venue** Theatreworks, 14 Acland St, St Kilda

**Transport** Melway 2N K6, tram no: 16,96, tram stop: 136

**Time** 8.00pm, 28 Sept 2.00pm and 8.00pm, 30 Sept 3pm only

**Tickets** A \$18, C/myF \$15, G(10) \$13.50, Snr \$12

**Website** theatreworks.org.au

**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 26 Sept



## Don't Hate Us Because We're Good

A heady cocktail of stalkers, interpretive dancers and faith healers awaits in the delightfully twisted playground of *Don't Hate Us Because We're Good*. Join this critically tolerated fight for the preservation of witty songs and content free entertainment.

**Written and Performed by** Stephen Anderson, Crystal Hegedis and Jason Pestana

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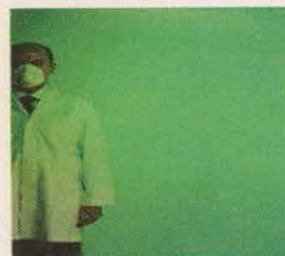
**Venue** The Butterfly Club, 204 Bank St, South Melbourne

**Transport** Melway 2K D2, tram no: 112, tram stop: 128

**Time** 9.00pm, Sunday 8.00pm (60min).

**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15, G(8) \$15

**Other info** Opening Night 11 Oct



## Intimate Apparel

A sadistic musical satire on the ways we get intimate with art – and the ways we don't.

Green Room Award Winning songwriter Michael Dalley – Vaudeville X – has teamed with Comedy Inc star, Paul McCarthy to create this wicked new music theatre.

**Writer** Michael Dalley

**Performers** Michael Dalley and Paul McCarthy

**Presented by** High Performance Company

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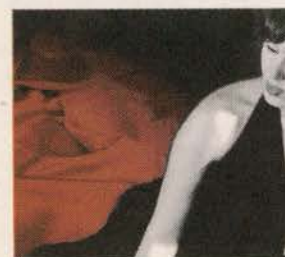
**Venue** Dante's Fitzroy – The Gallery, 150–156 Gertrude St, Fitzroy

**Transport** Melway 2C B11, tram no: 86, tram stop: 14

**Time** 7.30pm (60min)

**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15, Prev \$5

**Other info** Preview 26 Sept, Opening Night 27 Sept



## L'Australie

### Discreet desires displayed

Who are the Petites Femme de L'Australie? They are all you most desire... let them lure you into the Paris Cat, where Opera, Music Theatre and Australian Pop combine in a live viewing of seduction and provocation. Fascinating, tempting, devastating cabaret.

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**Venue** The Paris Cat, 6 Goldie Pl, Melbourne

**Transport** Melway 1A J3, tram no: 59, tram stop: 6

**Time** 7.30pm (60min)

**Tickets** A \$18, C/myF \$16,



## La Soiree

### ...a Cabaret with Intent

The Melba Spiegelent presents *La Soiree*. Three courses of delectable diversions. Featuring some of the greatest cabaret artists around.

A theatre, a salon, a portal to another time, step into a world populated by the dangerous and the divine.

**Producer** Frank Gasser

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**Venue** Melba Spiegelent – Northcote Town Hall

Civic Square, 189 High St, Northcote

**Transport** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31

**Time** 7.00pm (2.5hrs) – Dinner and Show

**Tickets** A \$110, C/myF \$98







## Signor Piggy Wigg's Moments of Love & Divine Mischief

The Lovelorn Living Party presents

Several evenings of Livin', Givin' and raw, semi-rehearsed Bohemian kook from those wonderstruck beauties of The Lovelorn Living Party.

Turn right on, Dress right up, Be Bold, Be Beautiful, Be unafraid and alive.

All welcome – help available.

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**Venue** Bar 303, 303 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 F8, tram no: 86, tram stop: 32  
**Time** 7.00pm–12.00am  
**Tickets** A \$18, C \$15  
**Website** lovelorn.com.au  
**Other info** Opening Night 10 Oct



## The Lounge Set

Think Jessica Rabbit, Pimms and Velvet

The Ladies Who Lounge are making their Melbourne Fringe Debut.

The languid ladies Isabel Hertaeg and Tara Minton have now arrived to adorn the Melbourne Cabaret scene.

We invite you to join us in Mulled wine and song...

**Presented by** The Ladies Who Lounge  
**Artists** Isabel Hertaeg and Tara Minton

September

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**Venue** The Playspace, 290 Albert St, Brunswick  
**Transport** Melway 29 G8, tram no: 19, tram stop: 22  
**Time** 7.30pm 11 and 13 Oct, 6.30pm 12 Oct (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$10, G(10) \$15, Fri \$15  
**Website** ladieswholounge.com



## The Needle And The Damage Done – Extended Remix

From Fiona Scott-Norman

\*\*\*\*½ – The Age. Hit show of the 2007 Comedy Festival remixed. Three big nights of satire, nostalgia, disorientingly bad music, scary album covers, guests, interviews, and live performances. Week 1: Australiana/religion, Week 2: Swingin' Sexism/racism, Week 3: Celebrity/sex

**Performed by** Fiona Scott-Norman and Mark Jones

September

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Festival Hub

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Czech House, 497 Queensberry St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 8.30pm (90min)  
**Tickets** A \$19.50, C/myF \$14.50, G(6) \$14



## The Piano Has Been Drinking...

The music of Tom Waits

Coming to Fringe for a strictly limited season, 6 shows only. A growling adventure into the music and lyrics of the archetype barroom balladeer, Tom Waits. Jason Geary, Eurobeat, SkitHouse and the Diamond Dog Band are proud to bring you this dusty gem.

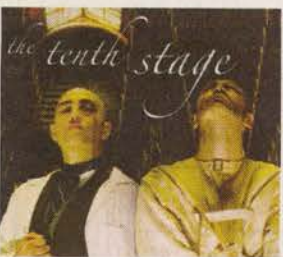
**Music** Tom Waits **Performers** Jason Geary, Andrew Zito, Gordin Dorin plus guests

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**Venue** The Terminus Hotel, 605 Victoria St, Abbotsford  
**Transport** Melway 2H E2, tram no: 24, 27, 109, tram stop: 23  
**Time** 9.30pm, Sun 8.30pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$18, C/myF \$15, Tues \$15, G(10) \$13



## The Tenth Stage

Presenting a night of music for lovers of grand guignol cabaret. Explore dark and mysterious tales as spun by your ringmasters – *The Tenth Stage*. Special guest Tim Harris is your host for the evening.

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**Venue** The Toff in Town, 2nd Floor Curtain House, 252 Swanston St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 1B N4, tram no: 1,3,5,6,8,16,64,67,7 tram stop: 9  
**Time** 9.00pm (3hrs)  
**Tickets** A \$12, C/myF \$10



## Waiting for Otto

Cynthia is mad and bad. She drinks, she sings and she plots revenge against psychiatrist Dr Otto for cancelling her weekly therapy sessions. Come on a murderous, musical odyssey with Cynthia and constant companion, Barry Brie, as they sit *Waiting for Otto*.

**Performer** Rosie Beaumont  
**Pianist** Andrew Patterson

September

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**Venue** Bar Open, 317 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B6, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 8.30pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C \$13, G(10) \$13, Snr \$10  
**Other info** Opening Night 28 Sept







## Who the Hell is Elle Sejean??

a tin whistle, a talking parrot, a drought

A folk singing, stand up comedienne?

It's physical, satirical and musical stand-up comedy. Elle explores the crap surrounding Victoria's worst drought amidst swags of hilarious live music. An eclectic comedy and music fest for all.

Written and Performed by Elle Sejean

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**Venue** Festival Hub – The Tent – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne

**Transport Time** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
6.15pm, Sun 5.15pm (50min)

**Tickets** A \$12.50, C/myF \$10, G(10) \$10, Snr \$10

**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept and 02, 06, and 09 Oct



## Yana Alana And Tha Paranas In 'Bite Me'

Yana Alana is an angry, feminist, spoken word, interpretive dancing, burlesque, cabaret extraordinaire. 'Bite Me' is her premiere show and will feature Tha Paranas, her three hot lady musicians. Created by Sarah Ward, Sista She and directed by Anni Davey, Circus Oz.

Produced by Bec Matthews

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**Venue** Festival Hub – The Ballroom, Lithuanian Club, 44 Errol St, North Melbourne

**Transport Time** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
8.45pm, Sun 7.45pm (60min)

**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$18, Tues \$15, G(8) \$15, Snr \$15

**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 06 Oct



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# Music



## Adam Page Solo

2007 Adelaide Fringe Award winner – “Best Music by an Emerging Artist”.

Don't miss this award winning, critically acclaimed show displaying live multi-instrumental looping and sampling fusing styles from around the globe. A truly unique, interactive and entertaining musical journey.

September

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**Venue** Bar Open, 317 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B6, tram, No: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 8.30pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$12  
**Other info** Opening Night 5 Oct



## Art Cappella

A feast of sight and sound

Come and hear the haunting harmonies of Heaven Knows as they explore the themes of struggle, survival, hope and celebration, reflected in the art work of renowned Ngarrindjeri artist Jacob Stengle.

“Four Stars” - Adelaide Fringe.

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Festival Hub

**Venue** Festival Hub – Errol's Cafe Upstairs, 69–71 Errol St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 8.00pm (75min)  
**Tickets** A \$18, C/myF \$12, Tues \$10



## Austin

Austin has broken into the music world bringing with him a fresh sound all of his own, creating a performance that shows a versatility of styles from soulful blues ballads to gypsy reggae. It is a performance that you have to experience for yourself.

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**Venue 1** Sippers, 164 Rathdowne St, Carlton  
Melway 28 5H, tram no: 1, 2, 5, 6, 8, 16, 64, 67,  
tram stop: 3, 8.00pm 5 Oct  
**Venue 2** The Lambs Go Bar, 135 Greeves St, Fitzroy  
Melway 2C D8, tram no: 86 tram stop: 18  
7.30pm 7 Oct  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** [theaustinsite.com](http://theaustinsite.com)



## Bohjass

Music for organic love cells

Bohjass are back! Back in Fringe, back at Bar Open. Playing two sets of new material from the upcoming double album ‘One Thing Is True’.

**Performers** Tom Fryer – guitar, Louise Goh – keyboard, Ali Watts – bass, Mike Portley – drums, Tim Pledger – sax and Belinda Woods – flute.

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**Venue** Bar Open, 317 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B6, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 8.30pm (4hrs)  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** [baropen.com.au](http://baropen.com.au)



## CACTUS!

CACTUS! features live music of the alt-country, tex-mex, dusty folk, garage twang, saloon blues, swampy cowpunk kind. Slip on your sombrero, slap on your chaps, and strap on your spurs for The Sons of Katie Elder, The Bitter Sweethearts, and more.

**Musicians** The Sons of Katie Elder, The Bitter Sweethearts and Laneway

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**Venue** Bar Open, 317 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B6, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 8.30pm (4hrs)  
**Tickets** \$5  
**Website** [baropen.com.au](http://baropen.com.au)







## Cubist & K

Cubist (Producer/DJ) and K (Instrumentalist/Vocalist) perform 100% original music, a fusion of live instrumentation (voice/recorder/piano) and DJing, which explores genres such as Cabaret, Dubstep, Breaks and Drum n' Bass.

A unique collaboration not to be missed!

**Performers** Eden Krumins and Kara Ciezki

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**Venue 1** Festival Hub – Main Theatre, Lithuanian Club 44 Errol St, North Melbourne, Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57 tram stop: 12, 7.00pm 28 Sept, 02 Oct

**Venue 2** The Butterfly Club, 204 Bank St, South Melbourne Mel: 2K D2, tram no: 1, 112, tram stop: 24, 128 7.00pm 04–06 Oct, 6.00pm 07 Oct

**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15, Tues \$10, G (8+) \$15

**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept



## Dave Graney "Point Blank"

**Songs about music from a musician**

Dave Graney, with Clare Moore on vibes and Mark Fitzgibbon on piano stands and sings songs he has written over the decades about just how a guy gets to the stage and what does he bring with him? It's a suspense story.

**Artists** Dave Graney, Clare Moore and Mark Fitzgibbon

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T	F	S	S	T	F	S	S
27	28	29	30	04	05	06	07

**Venue** The Butterfly Club, 204 Bank St, South Melbourne

**Transport** Melway 2K D2, tram no: 1, 112, tram stop: 24, 128 9.00pm, Sun 8.00pm (60min)

**Tickets** A \$25, C \$20, G(8+) \$20

**Website** thedavegraneyshow.com



## Domenico Scarlatti – Sonatas

**Spring Early Music Festival**

This program celebrates the 250th anniversary of Scarlatti's death with a selection of his keyboard sonatas.

Michele Benuzzi is one of Italy's up and coming young harpsichordists, rapidly building an international reputation for fine solo and ensemble playing.

**Artist** Michele Benuzzi

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**Venue** Trinity College Chapel, Trinity College, Royal Pde, Parkville

**Transport** Melway 28 C5, tram no: 19, tram stop: 12 3.00pm (60min)

**Tickets** A \$25, C/myF \$15, G(2) \$10

**Website** music.unimelb.edu.au



## Fringe Spin

Join some of Melbourne's best young DJ talent as they battle it out for a massive \$4,000 first prize, courtesy of SAE Institute. With no CDs, Serato or Final Scratch allowed, it's a vinyl-only test of old-school mixing talent to determine who takes home the silverware. Bring your own needles and track-suit tops.

**Produced by** Melbourne Fringe

September	October				
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**Venue** Festival Club – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne

**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12 10.00pm – 3.00am

**Tickets** Free

**Website** melbournefringe.com.au



## FuRinKaZan

**The Japanese Elements**

FuRinKaZan brings together some of the best Japanese musicians that Australia has to offer. The Japanese Drum, Flute, and Banjo player all individually showcase their extraordinary musical abilities based on traditional themes of Fu (wind), Rin (forest), Ka (fire) and Zan (Mountains).

**Musicians** Toshinori Sakamoto, Noriko Tadano and Shigeru Nakajima

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Main Theatre, Lithuanian Club 44 Errol Sts, North Melbourne

**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12 6.30pm, Sun 5.30pm (75min)

**Tickets** A \$16, C/myF \$12



## Global Bazaar

**Sheejays/ The Good, the Bad and the Balkan/ Kalakuta**

Bounce to the rhythms of the world with the Horse Bazaar Lady-J's who'll be 'Playin the Field' (27 Sept), The Good the Bad and the Balkan (4 Oct), and Kalakuta (11 Oct). Local stars from the Horse Bazaar stable will fire you up with sounds ranging from the feminine, to crazy klezmer and gypsy tunes, to the funken groove of Afro-Beat.

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**Venue** Horse Bazaar, 397 Little Lonsdale St, Melbourne

**Transport** 1A J2 Melway, tram no: 19, 57, 59, 68, tram stop: 4 9.00pm (4hrs)

**Tickets** Free

**Website** horsebazaar.com.au







## Glory Tuesday & Guests – Live Recording

### A Collective Improvisation

Funk-rock jam band Glory Tuesday team up with some of Melbourne's finest musicians to record an entirely improvised album, live, in front of your very eyes. Their music is engaging, powerful, energetic, whilst retaining the wit and fun of their live show.

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**Venue** Bar Open, 317 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B6, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 9.00pm (3.5hrs)  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** baropen.com.au



## Guilty Pleasures

Majestic Melbourne five-piece Dust will join with a suave crew of singers, saxophonists and others to bring you a night of *Guilty Pleasures* – power love ballads and yearning yacht rock from the '70s and '80s and beyond. Yes, those overblown passionate songs you know you love but you will never admit to.

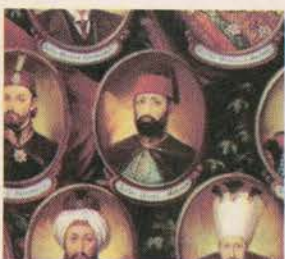
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**Venue** Bar Open, 317 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B6, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 10.30pm (2.5hrs)  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** baropen.com.au



## Harrow live at Bar Open

This new group, led by Adam Simmons, is like a duo between two three-headed beasts - two instruments viewed from three angles each. Sean, Niko and Ted on drums conjure up a wave of sound upon which the saxes of Phil, Gideon and Adam gloriously surf.

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**Venue** Bar Open, 317 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B6, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 10.30pm (2.5hrs)  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** baropen.com.au



## Henry Manetta and the Trip & Adam Rudegear's One Hat Band with Anna Gilkison

### New Jazz Underground

A program of Original Funkified Jazz from New Jazz Underground's two premier acts. "Together, Rudegear and Manetta showed us what the Art of Jazz is becoming" and "Gilkison's sweet-perfect jazz notes are made so right" – Inpress.

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**Venue** The Paris Cat, 6 Goldie Pl, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 1A J3, tram no: 59, tram stop: 6  
**Time** 9.30pm (120min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10  
**Website** myspace.com/henrymanetta



## Jessica Paige

Multi-award winning young singer-songwriter, Jessica Paige, has been wowing audiences in Melbourne and beyond with her poignantly beautiful jazz-influenced songs and gorgeously soothing voice.

"One of the most heavenly voices we have heard... don't miss her" – The Music Network.

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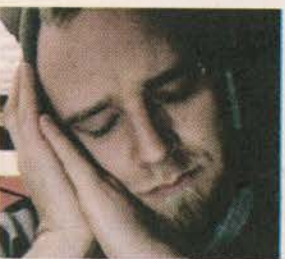
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**Venue 1** Sippers, 164 Rathdowne St, Carlton  
Melway 2B 5H, tram no: 1,2,5,6,8,16,64,67,  
tram stop: 3, 8.00pm 12 Oct  
**Venue 2** The Lambs Go Bar, 135 Greeves St, Fitzroy  
Melway 2C D8, tram no: 86 tram stop: 18  
7.30pm 14 Oct  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** jessicapaige.net



## Justin Ashworth's new music to fall asleep to CD LAUNCH

### Slumber party CD launch for lullaby music

CD LAUNCH!!!! Experimental ambient soundscapes with jazz/improv sensibilities. Official slumber party. Come in your pyjamas for free entry; lullabies to chill your spleen, bedtime stories by Sean M Whelan to kick things off. cd's available, new music to fall asleep to.

Supported by Sean M Whelan Image by RiverRiver

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**Venue** Loop Project Space and Bar, 21 Meyers Pl, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2F J2, tram no: 86, 96, tram stop: 8  
**Time** 8.00pm (2.5hrs)  
**Tickets** \$5  
**Website** myspace.com/fleetingpoetry







## l'Orfeo: Favola in Musica

### Spring Early Music Festival

400th anniversary presentation of Monteverdi's *l'Orfeo* – abridged, concert version. This 1607 masterpiece was the work that established opera as a Western art music genre. Orfeo Ensemble, Early Voices and soloists – students of the Early Music Studio, University of Melbourne.

Directed by Sandro Naglia

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**Venue** St Peter's Eastern Hill Church Hall, 15 Gisborne St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2F K1, tram no: 86, 96, tram stop: 10  
**Time** 8.00pm (120min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$10  
**Website** music.unimelb.edu.au



## LABJACD live at Bar Open

Blasting party band Labjacd return to Bar Open to get down on the floor and taste it. A mix of old-school hip hop, Cuban salsa, jazz, and even Andean folk music. Singing and MCing in both English and Spanish, the group's three vocalists share a Chilean heritage.

Also headlining the Festival Club Friday 05 Oct

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**Venue** Bar Open, 317 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B6, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 10.30pm (120min)  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** baropen.com.au



## Listening to Trees

Unspoken dialogues, whispers, secrets and intimate space.

Harpichord, percussion and bassoon – sounds you may have heard before... but never like this.

Open the door and let in the air, let the siren song of the trees lure you up the garden path.

Performed by Anastasia Russell-Head, Sebastian Harris and Leah Scholes

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**Venue** Loop Project Space and Bar, 21 Meyers Pl, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2F J2, tram no: 86, 96, tram stop: 8  
**Time** 8.00pm, Sun 5.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15  
**Other info** Preview 10 Oct, Opening Night 11 Oct



## Make It Up Club

Experimental Artcore Jazz Contrapuntal Brutal Grindcore Melismatic Glitch Collective Improv from some of Melbourne's finest. Showcasing two nights of music VJs and DJs each presented with 5 sets of sounds with everything from extreme electro noise, handcrafted and prepared instruments, to solo acoustic acts.

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**Venue** Bar Open, 317 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B6, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 6.30pm (4.5 hrs)  
**Tickets** A \$7, C/myF \$5  
**Website** baropen.com.au



## Manuel Bundy – Pacifica Urban DJ

Manuel Bundy, plays future-looking Pacific Urban Soul music. He's toured with OMC, Che Fu and Mark deClive-Low, dropped cuts for Dam Native, Breaks Co-op, Nathan Haines, produced King Kapisi and One Million Dollars. Expect soul with a fresh conscious message.

Producer Manuel Bundy Music Kano and ShiKung

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**Venue** First Floor, 393 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B5, tram no: 112, tram stop: 17  
**Time** 10.00pm – 5.00am  
**Tickets** A \$10, C/myF \$7  
**Website** firstfloor393.com.au



## Miguel Trápaga: Andrés Segovia in Memoriam

### Spring Early Music Festival

Spanish virtuoso guitarist Miguel Trápaga commemorates 20 years since the legendary Segovia's death with evocative works composed for the 20th-century master by Castelnuovo-Tedesco, Tansman, Harris, Moreno Torroba and Ponce, with strong connections to renaissance and baroque traditions.

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**Venue** Melba Hall, University of Melbourne, Royal Pde, Parkville  
**Transport** Melway 2B C6 tram no: 19, tram stop 11  
**Time** 8.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$25, C/myF \$15, G(2) \$10  
**Website** music.unimelb.edu.au





## Music by Design

### Music Created For The Moment

Experience 60 minutes of an inspired musical journey. Transcend the everyday. Enter a place where every moment is timeless and inspired, where each moment is coloured and shaped with the pure essence of musical tone and every moment beckons meditation and contemplation.

**Composers and Performed by** Fiona Burnett and David Jones

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**Venue** Gasworks – Studio Theatre, 21 Graham St, Albert Park  
**Transport** Melway 2J G7, tram no: 1, tram stop: 30  
**Time** 5.00pm, Sundays 4.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$16, C/myF \$14, G(10) \$12  
**Website** fionaburnett.com



## Music Is My Sex

Confucius say – "Music produces a kind of pleasure which human nature cannot do without." It's like a sexual urge, it's emotional, a soundtrack in our lives and can never be washed away no matter where our path in life leads us...

**Artist** Nina Nicols

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**Venue** The Terminus Hotel, 605 Victoria St, Abbotsford  
**Transport** Melway 2H E2, tram no: 24, 27, 109, tram stop: 23  
**Time** 7.00pm, Sun 6.00pm (75min)  
**Tickets** A \$18, C/myF \$15



## Plague & War

### Spring Early Music Festival

Threat of plague and war continue to terrify - endangering peace, health and prosperity. But perennial catastrophes have potential to give rise to great art. Music from the early seventeenth century; great Venetian plague (1630-1) and German Thirty Years' War (1618-48).

**Directed by** Grantley McDonald  
**Artists** Choir of St Peter's Eastern Hill and La Compañia

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**Venue** Melba Hall, University of Melbourne, Royal Pde, Parkville  
**Transport** Melway 2B C6, tram no: 19, tram stop 11  
**Time** 8.00pm (120min)  
**Tickets** A \$25, C/myF \$15, G(2) \$10  
**Website** music.unimelb.edu.au



## Rhymes with Donkey

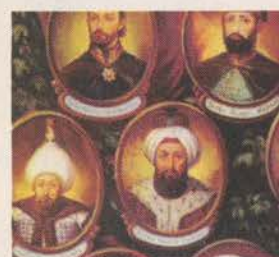
### 200 Proof Melbourne Funk

Adam Rudegear's 8-piece funk juggernaut takes it to the stage in a dynamic explosion of original grooves. The original purveyors of the 'funkesque panacharama' bring it to the fringe for the first time! 100% Original, 200 Proof! Ee-yore!

**Composer** Adam Rudegear

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**Venue** The Cornish Arms, 163a Sydney Rd, Brunswick  
**Transport** Melway 29 G9, tram no: 19, tram stop: 20  
**Time** 9.30pm (120min)  
**Tickets** A \$15, C/myF \$10  
**Website** mspace.com/rhymeswithdonkey



## ROARAWAR FEARTATA presents Welcome to the Funhouse

An improvised collaboration of aural movement by a loosely connected experimental collective in your 'extended network'. Singular. Unique. Unforgettable. Unforgivable.

Touched by the hands of Gods. RAVAGED WITH THOUGHTS BEING SATAN.

**Producer** Craig Peade

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**Venue** Bar Open, 317 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B6, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 10.00pm (2.5hrs)  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** baropen.com.au



## Scott Edgar and the Universe with Special Guests

Into jaunty original acoustic pop-jazz doused in country swagger? Which swings? Then the Universe is for you. Scott Edgar (AKA Scod from Tripod) is joined by the incredible Mick Meagher (double bass), Rory McDougall (drums), and some extra special musical guests – Check out [www.scottedgarandtheuniverse.com](http://www.scottedgarandtheuniverse.com) for more.

**Presented by** Melbourne Fringe

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**Venue** Festival Club – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 9.00pm (120min)  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** scottedgarandtheuniverse.com











### The Genre Rollercoaster

Ride out of control through the walls of 'genre' as this two part terror rips your musical world apart. Every genre one can imagine is represented, so leave your scene at the door and join another. *The Genre Rollercoaster* will not be stopped.

**Music** Cult Of The Placenta Head, Electric Jellyfish and The Shithots

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**Venue** Pony, 68 Little Collins St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 1B T6, tram no: 86, 96, tram stop: 8  
**Time** 10.00pm - 3.00am  
**Tickets** A \$10, C/myF \$8  
**Website** pony.net.au



### The Outrageous Beverley Parker

First, she's a table dancer in north London, then she's a Hell's Angel's Ol' lady in Berkshire, now she's an Australian citizen. One thing remains constant Ms Parker is a talented songstress.

**Produced and Directed by** Lei Lani Terrell  
**Music** Warren Smith  
**Written and Performed by** Beverley Parker

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**Venue** Festival Hub - The Tent, Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall  
Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 8.15pm, Sunday 7.15pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$12.50, C/myF \$10, Tues \$10, Snr \$10, G(5) \$10  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 28 Sept



Festival Hub



### The Pecker Gets Oiled

SS Pecker plays Midnight Oil's 'Diesel and Dust'

To celebrate Fringe, 8-piece live hip hop collective SS Pecker will interpret an album composed by one of Australia's most influential groups. In this performance SS Pecker pays homage to a group and album that lives on as an emotional plea for tolerance, action and an end to indifference.

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**Venue** Bar Open, 317 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B6, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 10.30pm - 1.00am 29 Sept, 7.30pm - 9.30pm 11 Sept  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** baropen.com.au



Festival Hub



### The Sneaker Trio

The Sneaker Trio, are 4 men, dedicated to raw and passionate music, red hot soul power, melifluous and heart felt melody and inspired lyrical content.

Influences from Little Richard, De La Soul, Toots and the Maytals, and G. Love & Special Sauce are offered. Featuring members of The Offcuts and Custom Kings, The Sneaker Trio are built for the live stage and not to be missed!

**Presented by** Melbourne Fringe

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**Venue** Festival Club - Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 10.00pm (3hrs)  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** melbournefringe.com.au



### The Twelve Tone Diamond's Miles Davis/Beatles show

The Twelve Tone Diamonds dedicate a concert to their two biggest influences: Miles Davis and The Beatles. The concert will feature material reconstructed from classic Miles albums and Beatles tracks mixed with original material.

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**Venue** Bar Open, 317 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B6, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 10.30pm - 1.00am  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** baropen.com.au



### Vince in Recital

Spanish Dance, French Dream

Unabashed Fringe '05 Music Award winner Rowan Vince plays some of the most phenomenal Spanish and French piano music ever at one of Melbourne's finest recital venues. Scarlatti, Albeniz, Ravel, and Debussy. Complete with chatty interludes between pieces and interval refreshments!

**Artist** Rowan Vince  
**Presented by** Music Make Play

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**Venue** Melba Hall, University of Melbourne, Royal Pde, Parkville  
**Transport** Melway 2B C6, tram no: 19, tram stop: 11  
**Time** 8.00pm (90min)  
**Tickets** A \$20, C/myF \$15, G(5) \$15  
**Website** musicmakeplay.com  
**Other info** 2 for 1 Opening Night 9 Oct





## Vivi Felice: Domenico Scarlatti and his Spanish predecessors

### Spring Early Music Festival

The Zapico brothers (harpsichord, theorbo and baroque guitar) reconstruct the vibrant atmosphere of Scarlatti's Madrid. Aarón Zapico is one of the leading new generation harpsichordists in Spain today. Along with his twin brothers they are members of ensemble Forma Antiqua.

**Artists** Aaron, Daniel and Pablo Zapico

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**Venue** Trinity College Chapel, Trinity College, Royal Pde, Parkville  
**Transport Time** Melway 28 C5, tram no: 19, tram stop: 12 8.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$25, C/myF \$15, G(2) \$10  
**Website** music.unimelb.edu.au



## Waiting For The Great Leap Forwards

### Music, Cabaret, Protest

In the tradition of 'Dirt Road Blues' and 'Birdhouse' join Tripod, The Bedroom Philosopher, d.rogers, Beau Heartbreaker and heaps of special guests for a tops night of protest songs. All proceeds to The Asylum Seeker Resource Centre. For lineups see [myspace.com/greatleap](http://myspace.com/greatleap)

**Artists** Tripod, The Bedroom Philosopher, d.rogers, Beau Heartbreaker

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**Venue** Festival Hub – The Ballroom, Lithuanian Club 44 Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport Time** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12 10.00pm (90min)  
**Tickets** A \$25, C/myF \$20  
**Website** [myspace.com/greatleap](http://myspace.com/greatleap)



## West vs East

### Crossover Blues and Japanese traditional music

Never before has Western Crossover Blues met Eastern Traditional Japanese music in such an explosive combination. Join Japanese Blues cowboy George Kamikawa and renowned Shamisen (Japanese-Banjo) player Noriko Tadano in a performance that'll blow your mind and truly unite West and East.

**Music** Noriko Tadano and George Kamikawa

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**Venue** The Toff in Town, 2nd Floor Curtain House, 252 Swanston St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 1B N4, tram no: 1,3,5,6,8,16,64,67,7, tram stop: 9  
**Time** 8.00pm (120min)  
**Tickets** A \$12, C/myF \$10



## Whimsical Tricycle – Insane in London

### Guitar. Violin. Original songs. Unanimously unique.

"Moving, humorous, immensely entertaining... an authentic little gem" – Independent. "Crowded House are an obvious reference point... one of the most uplifting musical experiences on the Fringe" – \*\*\*\* Edinburgh Evening News. "Natural Australian humour and honesty" – \*\*\*\*\*, Adelaide Advertiser.

**Written and Performed by** Kieran Butler and Michelle Wilson

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Meeting Room, Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport Time** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12 10.00pm, Sun 9.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** A \$5, C \$5  
**Website** [whimsicaltricycle.com](http://whimsicaltricycle.com)



Interactive Theatre Australia presents:

**2-hours of**  
**"Fat-wobbling ... Gut-busting, Face-aching laughter"**  
**...AND 3-Course Dinner**



**When:** Wednesday 3rd and Thursday 4th October  
Wednesday 17th and Thursday 18th October

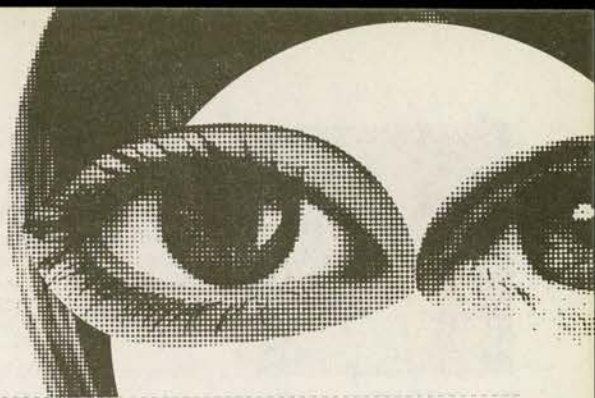
**Where:**  Templebar Precinct  
98 Smith Street, Collingwood

**Bookings:** Ph 03 9417 5811 or goto [www.interactivetheatre.com.au](http://www.interactivetheatre.com.au)

Internationally acclaimed Interactive Comedy Dining Experience suitable for all ages... just don't mention the war!



# Visual Arts



## Area 3

### Kitsch and Caboodle, Signpost, The Dandy Man

Emma Frederick is a mad collector of rejected and unvalued kitsch objects. Tom Schofield explores typographic signage as a shared knowledge, the clearest way society communicates visually. Tina Huang's corsets and performance speak about identity, sexuality and fetish culture.

**Artists** Emma Frederick, Tom Schofield and Tina Huang

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**Venue** Off the Kerb, 66B Johnston St, Collingwood  
**Transport** Melway 2C E7, tram no: 86, tram stop: 19  
**Time** Thur, Fri 12.30pm–6.00pm, Sat, Sun 12.30pm–5.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** [offthekerb.com.au](http://offthekerb.com.au)  
**Other Info** Opening Night 28 Sept, 6.00pm–9.00pm



## Beautifully Drenched

These works are a sensual exploration of the human form and light. Pastels saturate the paper exposing the beautiful effects of flesh bathed in light.

It's a sensitive look at the beautiful curves of the body and the softness of skin.

**Artist** Denise De Keyser

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**Venue** 69 Smith St Gallery, Ground Floor, 69 Smith St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C D11, tram no: 86, tram stop: 15  
**Time** Wed–Sat 11.00am–5.00pm, Sun 12.00pm–5.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Other Info** Opening Night 06 Oct, 6.00pm–8.00pm



## Best of Mudfest10

### Melbourne University Arts Festival

*Mudfest10* will remount a selection of the best of *Mudfest10* visual art works in a group curated exhibition as part of *The Age* 2007 Melbourne Fringe Festival.

**Presented by** Melbourne University Student Union

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Anteroom Gallery, Lithuanian Club, 44 Errol St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 6.00pm–10.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** [mudfest.org.au](http://mudfest.org.au)



## Cam Girl

*Cam Girl* is a Dogma inspired, multi-screen drama, where every frame belongs to a camera that exists in the filmic world of Rae: a self confessed mysandrist and scopophiliac, who battles her dark side by making herself the centrepiece of a self-devised experiment in voyeurism.

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**Venue** Horse Bazaar, 397 Little Lonsdale St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 1A J2, tram no: 19, 57, 59, tram stop: 4  
**Time** 7.00pm–11.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** [detrytus.com](http://detrytus.com)  
**Other Info** Opening Night 4 Oct



## comfort food too

*comfort food too* continues the themes of Anna Farago's 2003 exhibition, *comfort food*. The paintings move from the idea of the country afternoon tea, community and conversation to include the city, motherhood, step parenting and the quest for a decent latte.

**Artist** Anna Farago

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**Venue** APTE, 538 Heidelberg Rd, Alphington  
**Transport** Melway 31 C11  
**Time** 7.00am–4.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** [annushka.typepad.com](http://annushka.typepad.com)  
**Other Info** Opening Night 30 Sept, 5.00pm–6.30pm





## Confinis

With definitions of space continuously changing and population shifts opening new connections with one another, *Confinis* presents artworks exploring the mobile relationship and understanding of space, place, and its physical and psychological effect on the identity and cultural production of the artist.

Exhibition opens September 14.

Curator Luciana Perin

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**Venue** Counihan Gallery  
233 Sydney Rd, Brunswick

**Transport** Melway 29 G8, tram no: 19, tram stop: 21

**Time** 11.00am–5.00pm, Sun 1.00pm–5.00pm

**Tickets** Free

**Website** [moreland.vic.gov.au/services/counihangallery.htm](http://moreland.vic.gov.au/services/counihangallery.htm)



## Conversations

### Billboard Art

*Conversations* is an art project that encourages dialogue between people and makes a socially responsive comment to an unintentional audience through the medium of Billboard Art.

You will have to come and see for yourself!

Presented by Hobsons Bay City Council

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**Venue** Billboard, 350–380 Kororoit Creek Rd, Altona

**Transport** Melway 54 H6

**Time** 24 hours

**Tickets** Free

**Website** [hobsonsbay.vic.gov.au](http://hobsonsbay.vic.gov.au)



## Discovering Tasmania

### a photography exhibition

*Discovering Tasmania* is a photographic collection of randomly encountered places whilst travelling by car in Tasmania. Focusing on the urban landscape of everyday life: such as backyards, laundromats and abandoned buildings. Providing a glimpse into Tasmania not usually presented to tourists.

Photographer Natalie Jeffcott

September	October
W T F S	W T F S
26 27 28 29	03 04 05 06

**Venue** Arthur's Circus, 631 Queensberry St, North Melbourne

**Transport** Melway 2A, G9, tram no: 57, tram stop: 14

**Time** 11.00am–7.00pm

**Tickets** Free

**Website** [nataliejeffcott.com](http://nataliejeffcott.com)



## Don't be afraid

*Don't be afraid* is an installation work using light, vinyl, foils and ribbons, evoking unsettling feelings in the space. The aim of this work lays in the tension between visual illusion and physical experience that forces reconciliation between our body and mind.

Artist soo joo yoo

September	October
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**Venue** Upstairs Flinders Lane Gallery, Level 1, 137 Flinders La, Melbourne

**Transport** Melway 1B Rg, tram no: 31, 109, 112, tram stop: 7

**Time** Tues–Fri, 11.00am–6.00pm, Sat 11.00am–4.00pm

**Tickets** Free

**Other Info** Opening Night 28 Sept, 6.00pm–8.30pm



## Eternal External

*Eternal External* is a study of preservation. To capture mortality, to suspend, analyse and dissect specimens – the dark art of taxidermy with a playful twist.

The embodiment of artefact: to bemuse, excite, incite, intrigue and marvel.

Exhibition opens 10 Sept.

Artists Magdalena Pereyra and Lyndal Peake

September	October
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26 27 28	

**Venue** platform, Degraes St underpass, Melbourne

**Transport** Melway 2F F5, tram no: 1, 3, 5, 6, 8, 16, 22, 64, 6, tram stop: 12

**Time** 6.00am–7.00pm

**Tickets** Free



## Going Public – unveiling new artists

### Going Public Art Awards 2007

What does 'contemporary Australian art' mean today? Going Public Art Awards 2007 showcases the work of our fresh talent from across Australia. This exhibition unveils the work of the new and emerging artists who are the competition finalists.

September	October
	W T F S S
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**Venue** The Town Hall Gallery, rear 358 Burwood Rd, Hawthorn

**Transport** Melway 45 D10, tram no: 16, tram stop: 73

**Time** 12.00pm–5.00pm, 07 Oct 10.00am–3.00pm

**Tickets** Free





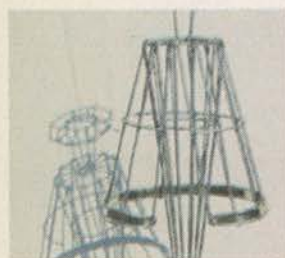
## Graffiterati

The idea of photographing slogan graffiti comes from the passion behind the statement, the person's need to be heard. It can be your only means of communicating what you feel. So strong is this feeling that they break the law to be heard.

Artist Daniel Kaplon

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**Venue** Festival Hub – Town Hall Hotel, 33 Errol St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 11  
**Time** 4.00pm–1.00am  
**Tickets** Free



## halfglass

An exhibition exploring the masculine aspect of Duchamp's 'Large Glass'.

Artist Clive Dickson

September					October													
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**Venue** Window, 173 Lygon St, Brunswick  
**Transport** Melway 29 K9, tram no: 1, 8, tram stop: 122  
**Time** 24hrs  
**Tickets** Free



## Homophobia/Queer Pride

*Homophobia/Queer Pride* is thought provoking, informative, playful and fun. Issues are explored through the synthesis of fine art aesthetics, design sensibility and conceptual thinking.

Artist Josefine Kristensen  
 Supported by The City of Melbourne 2007 Arts Grants Program

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**Venue** McCulloch Gallery, 8 Rankins La, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 1A K5, tram no: 19, 57, 59, tram stop: 4  
**Time** Mon–Fri 12.00pm–6.00pm, Sat 12.00pm–5.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Other Info** Opening Night 05 Oct 6.30pm–9.00pm



## Melbourne Underground Comic and Animations Art exhibition

### "Aggressively Strange" fables

An exhibition by Melbourne scribblers and doodlers of images, projections, underground comics and animations. Opening night features print launch of various comics including *Tango*, and surrealist political satire *Pigeon Coup*, animated by international comic book genius Jim Woodring as "aggressively strange".

## moonbird / etrouko / 20 Vermillan St contemporary photography and poems

A seagull making its way to the moon...  
 From a suitcase, tails of a gecko intertwine with tales of a trout...

A tangled profusion of sensory experience greeted the artists in the Indian city streets...

Photographers Julia Herfurth, Sarah-Jane Cook, Adrian Caon and Imants Krumins

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**Venue** North Bazaar, 222 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 F9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 26  
**Time** 6.00pm–1.00am, Fri, Sat 6.00pm–3.00am  
**Tickets** Free  
**Other Info** Opening Night 28 Sept 6.00pm–9.00pm



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**Venue** Brunswick Street Gallery, Level 2, 322 Brunswick St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B7, tram no: 112, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 12.00pm–4.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Other Info** Opening Night 28 Sept 6.00pm–8.00pm



## Neither With Us Nor Against Us

### (Participatory Device #1)

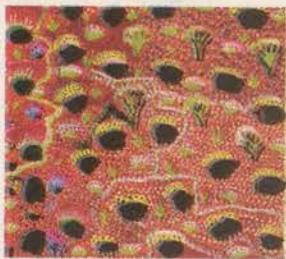
Enter into a gallery space unlike any other. A space where there are no passive viewers, only participants. Engage with a friend, a stranger, with another, an installation that requires that you work for your art.

Artist Ana Tiquia

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**Venue** First Site Gallery, Storey Hall Basement 344 Swanston St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2F E1, tram no: 3, 5, 6, 8, 16, 22, 64, tram stop: 8  
**Time** 11.00am–5.00pm, Weekends 1.00pm–5.00pm  
**Tickets** Free





## Ngura Putitja – Bush Country

### Paintings from the Artists of Fregon

Using explosive colours and wild forms, the Indigenous artists of Fregon, in the remote north-east of South Australia use painting to express the spiritual rejuvenation that comes from their deep personal and cultural connection to their bush homelands. Exhibition opens 18 Sept 6.00pm–8.00pm.

**Artists** Tali Tali Pompey, Robin Kankapankatja, Iwana Antjakitja Ken

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**Venue** Mossenson Galleries, 41 Derby St, Collingwood  
**Transport** Melway 2C E12, tram no: 86, tram stop: 15  
**Time** 10.00am–6.00pm, Sun 12.00pm–5.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** mossensongalleries.com.au



## OddSocks

### A public health promotion project

How many *OddSocks* do you have? Are they colourful? Lonely? Old? Important? Do they have toes? Why are they 'Odd'? Peg your favourite OddSock to our washing line and find out about foot health too. Maybe you'll even pair your 'odd' sock!

September		October													
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**Venue** Federation Square, Cnr Swanston and Flinders Sts, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2C G5, tram no: 48, 70, 75, tram stop: 5  
**Time** 10.00am–7.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** myspace.com/oddsocks



## Ornamentation

### A world of intricate design and pattern

A collaborative exhibition of colour and pattern. Sally Chesna's paintings depict powerful designs dominated by colour using ancient historical patterns, generated from her extensive travelling experiences through Eastern Europe and Turkey. Annie Priestley's delicate and intricate mixed media studies have Asian influences.

**Artists** Sally Chesna and Annie Priestley

September		October																
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**Venue** Collingwood Gallery, 292 Smith St, Collingwood  
**Transport** Melway 2C D8, tram no: 86, tram stop: 19  
**Time** 10.00am–6.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Other Info** Opening Night 28 Sept 6.00pm–8.30pm



## Picturesque

### Appearances can be deceiving

Students from the Diploma of Arts/Illustration course at NMIT and their professional associates are back at the Festival Club with a *Picturesque* backdrop that addresses identity.

Who is that person? Take a picture or take a peek, and contemplate – actual or virtual, real or perceived?

**Curator** Stephen Pascoe

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**Venue** Festival Club – Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall, Cnr Queensberry and Errol Sts, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J10, tram no: 57, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 6.00pm–1.00am, Fri and Sat 6.00pm–3.00am  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** nmit.vic.edu.au/courses/art\_design  
**Other Info** Opening Night 28 Sept



## Praxis

### Curated by Robert Mangion

An exhibition of paintings and 3D work from the mixed media workshop run by Robert Mangion at the Hunt Club. The works explore innovative approaches to process and composition and concepts relating to contemporary art.

**Artists** from the Mixed Media workshop held at the Hunt Club Community Arts Centre

September		October																				
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**Venue** Hunt Club Community Arts Centre, Brimbank City Council, 775 Ballarat Rd, Deer Park  
**Transport** Melway 25 F8  
**Time** 26 Sept–06 Oct Mon–Thur 9.00 am–6.00pm, Fri 9.00am–5.00pm, Sat 9.00am–1.00pm, 08–11 Oct 9.00am–8.00pm, 12 Oct 9.00am–5.00pm  
**Tickets** Free



## Sarah New Postcards

### retrospective and launch of new postcards

The works in this show were made in many places over many years. Reproducing them as postcards, I can sell them and send them out into the world – with love.

**Artist** Sarah New

September		October													
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**Venue** Works on Paper Gallery, 241 Errol St, North Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 2A J7, tram no: 57, tram stop: 16  
**Time** 3.00pm–5.00pm, Sun 2.00pm–4.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Other Info** Opening 29 Sept 2.00pm–4.00pm





## Silent Revolution

stories of an untamed mind

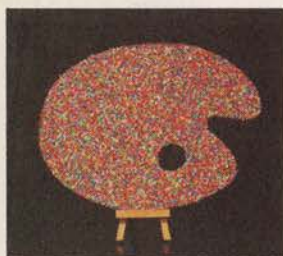
Protagonist, housemate, friend, lover and mother exhibit in the home works on paper, canvas and fabric, furniture, photographs, objects, sound and in conversation.

Morning and afternoon tea served.

**Artists** Colleen Burke, Lachlan Plain, Jasmine Powell, Noriel Powell, Melissa Osborne and Jon Drew  
**Curator** Jasmine Powell **Presented by** Sanctum Theatre

September	October					
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**Venue** Sanctum Gallery, meet at Radio Bar and Cafe, 79 Gertrude St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C A11, tram no: 112, tram stop: 13  
**Time** 11.00am–6.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** sanctumtheatre.org



## The Exquisite Palette

St Luke Artist Colourmen will be holding *The Exquisite Palette* exhibition in September to celebrate the romance of artist's and art. Over one hundred artists will produce an artwork.

Exhibition opens 08 Sept.

September	October														
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**Venue** St Luke Artist Colourmen, 32 Smith St, Collingwood  
**Transport** Melway 2C D12, tram no: 86, tram stop: 15  
**Time** 10.00am–6.00pm, Sat 10.00am–5.00pm  
**Tickets** Free



## The Phil Spectre Spectaculum

*The Phil Spectre Spectaculum* takes American record producer and songwriter Phil Spector as the inspiration for a mixed media exhibition exploring the relationships between mass media, circus side-show, humour and psychological space.

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**Venue** Blindside Gallery, level 7 Room 14 37 Swanston St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 1B N9, tram no: 1,3,5,6,8,16,22,64,6, tram stop: 12  
**Time** 12.00pm–6.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** igheadquarters.com  
**Other Info** Opening Night 27 Sept, 6.00pm–8.00pm

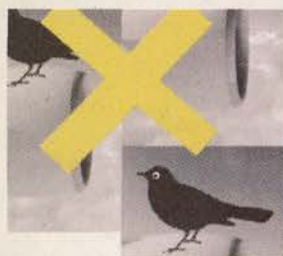


## Three

A collection of works by artist/illustrators Rhiannon Shaw, Nadia Turner and Jessica Charlotte.

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**Venue** Fad Gallery, 14 Corrs La, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 1B R4, tram no: 86, 95, 96, tram stop: 6  
**Time** 2.00pm–1.00am  
**Tickets** Free  
**Other Info** Opening Night 27 Sept, 6.00pm–9.00pm



## Twenty Dollars Only

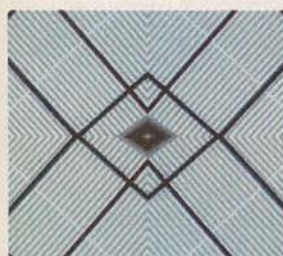
An exhibition of affordable posters by Studio Pip and Co.

As art transforms into a sound investment option for many people, Studio Pip and Co. responds with some unique image making as a series of A1 posters utilising cost effective black and white street poster printing techniques with embellishments.

**Presented by** Studio Pip and Co.  
**Curator** artist David Band

September	October					
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**Venue** Imp Gallery, 145 Greville St, Prahran  
**Transport** Melway 2L H11, tram no: 78, 79, tram stop: 46  
**Time** 12.00pm–5.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** peoplethings.com/andblog  
**Other Info** Opening Night 04 Oct, 6.00pm–9.00pm



## Urban Country

New Works by Glenn Pilkington

Glenn Pilkington is an Indigenous new media artist from Perth. His work explores concepts of country, public space and movement; observing the human condition in the urban landscape. These visual notes speak of the generic and our travels through shared space.

Opening 18 Sept 6.00pm–8.00pm

**Artist** Glenn Pilkington

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**Venue** Mossenson Galleries, 41 Derby St, Collingwood  
**Transport** Melway 2C E12, tram no: 86, tram stop: 15  
**Time** 10.00am–6.00pm, Sun 12.00pm–5.00pm  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** mossensongalleries.com.au





### X-hibition

Filled with inhibitions? Rampant exhibitionist?

Viewers of all types will enjoy this body of photographic works by Darryl Anderson.

Distortion, high contrast and saturation effects are used to create striking imagery of the nude, set against surreal backgrounds of urban decay.

Photographer Darryl Anderson

September

October

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**Venue** 69 Smith St Gallery, Ground Floor, 69 Smith St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C D11, tram no: 86, tram stop: 15  
**Time** 11.00am-5.00pm, Sun 12.00pm-5.00pm  
**Tickets** Free

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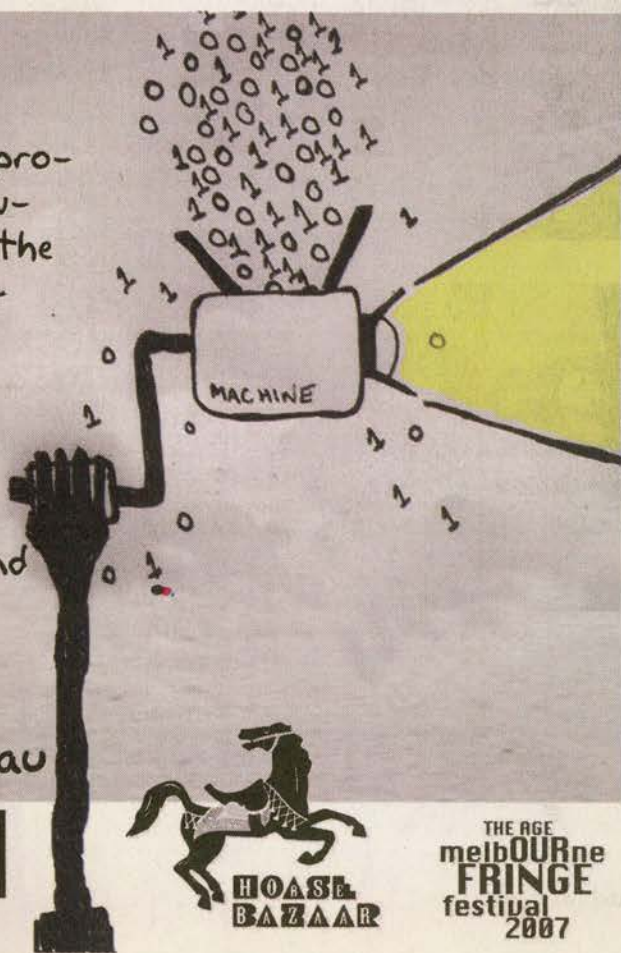
### digital fringe

Broadcast across the city using screens, projections, and the web, Digital Fringe showcases the latest digital art from around the world and features interactive media shenanigans from a gaggle of local media artists

This year's program includes:

- \*Interact: Mobile Phone interactive art
- \*Mobile Projection Unit escapades around the city
- \*A constant General Stream of digital works

see what's on at [digitalfringe.com.au](http://digitalfringe.com.au)



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# School holidays



## Captain JellyBeard & the Pirate Treasure of One Tree Island

Come on a rollicking adventure with Captain JellyBeard and his crew of dimwitted pirates! Choose a path to find the treasure and witness amazing feats of circus acrobatics and swash-buckling madness. Become stranded on an island in this epic tale with cherries on top! Info 9655 1900.

**Presented by** Fed Square  
**Produced by** Strut and Fret Production House

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**Venue** BMW Edge – Federation Square, Flinders St, Melbourne  
**Transport** Melway 1B Q11, tram no: 1,3,5,6,8,16,22,64, tram stop: 14  
**Time** 10.00am and 2.00pm (45min)  
**Tickets** Free  
**Website** fedsquare.com



## Cha Cha Sam concert and CD launch

**Funky music for kids and their families**

Cha Cha Sam is funky, fun, dancing music for kids and families. Come and celebrate the launch of Cha Cha Sam's CD "Up in the Sky" – made with love and laughter for kids aged 2–7.

CD available from [chachasam.com.au](http://chachasam.com.au)

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**Venue** Dante's Fitzroy – The Back Room, 150–156 Gertrude St, Fitzroy  
**Transport** Melway 2C B11, tram no: 86, tram stop: 14  
**Time** 11.00am and 2.00pm (60min)  
**Tickets** \$13  
**Website** [chachasam.com.au](http://chachasam.com.au)



## Dreamer

"Exquisite black light puppet theatre". Dreamer, a curious, brave, childlike creature, lives in a dreamlike world and travels, while asleep, in a magic bed. During this adventure, the bed runs away and a mischievous duck and other friends help Dreamer to find it.

**Composer** John Grant  
**Produced and Performed by** Richard Hart

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**Venue** Northcote Town Hall West Wing – Studio 1, 189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31  
**Time** 2.00pm (45min)  
**Tickets** \$12, Tues \$10, G(4) \$10



## Dreamer in the Deep

"Mesmerising Puppet Beauty" Five Stars, Adelaide Fringe, 2007. Dreamer, an adorable half-child, half-animal character ventures into the Australian deep seas to rescue a leafy seadragon held captive by a scorpion fish and encounters many exotic sea creatures. Excellent family entertainment.

**Composer** John Grant  
**Produced and Performed by** Richard Hart

September

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**Venue** Northcote Town Hall West Wing – Studio 1, 189 High St, Northcote  
**Transport** Melway 30 E9, tram no: 86, tram stop: 31  
**Time** 2.00pm (45min)  
**Tickets** \$12, Tues \$10, G(4) \$10



## Fat Beats 4 Fit Kidz with The Casio Brothers

**Swedish Superheroes of Kid-Hop**

"Funny, kid-wise and every parent's dream... too much TV and junk food are declared definitely uncool." \*\*\*\* – The Advertiser, Adelaide Fringe. "Unfailingly entertaining songs and hysterical, gravity defying dance antics" – Sunday Mail. "Best Dance Act" – SA Music Awards.

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**Venue** Gasworks – Studio Theatre, 21 Graham St, Albert Park  
**Transport** Melway 2J G7, tram no: 1, tram stop: 30  
**Time** 10.15am and 11.30am (45min)  
**Tickets** \$13  
**Website** [casiobrothers.com](http://casiobrothers.com)  
**Other info** Opening 24 Sept



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## VCADRAMA

### SPRING SEASON

#### DRAMA POSTGRADUATE SEASON

16 – 20 October

**ID:** inspired by Roland Barthes' *Camera Lucida*, directed by Leisa Shelton. *'One November evening, shortly after my mother's death, I was going through some photographs...'*

#### THE WORLD TURNED UPSIDE DOWN: THREE DRAMAS OF REVOLT

In association with VCA Production  
27 October – 6 November

**Yes:** adapted from Sally Potter's film and directed by Tanya Gerstle. A global parable of love, conflicted desires, politics and faith.

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### PUPPETRY PERFORMANCES

#### DISPATCH

25 – 29 September

By Penelope Bartlau. A young puppet girl named Sorrell arrives in a leaky boat on an island, where she discovers abandoned suitcases filled with stories and lessons from the contents within.

The Shed, entrance near Grant Street Theatre,  
Grant St, Southbank.

Tickets: FREE

#### IDJA

25 – 29 September

By Jacob Boehme. Body as puppet, skin as playboard, voice as soundscape. Idja is a contemporary Indigenous journey toward home, belonging and accepting the skin you're in.

Grant Street Theatre,  
Grant Street, Southbank.

Tickets: FREE

#### PUPPETRY POSTGRADUATE SEASON

8 – 17 November

By students in the Postgraduate Diploma in Production

Grant Street Theatre, Grant Street, Southbank.

Tickets: \$15/\$10

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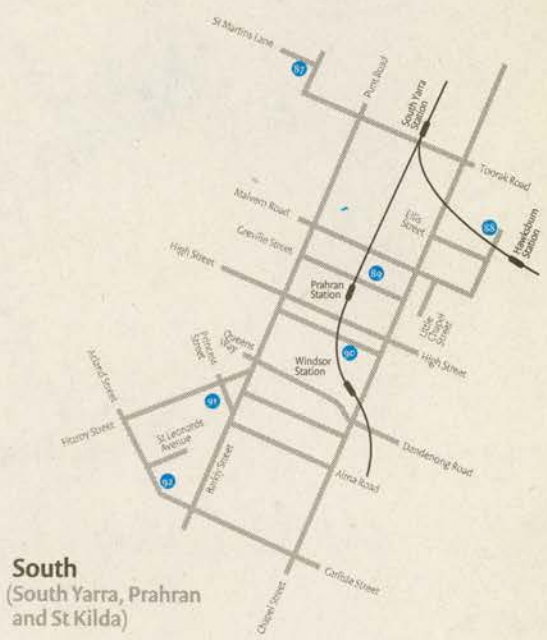
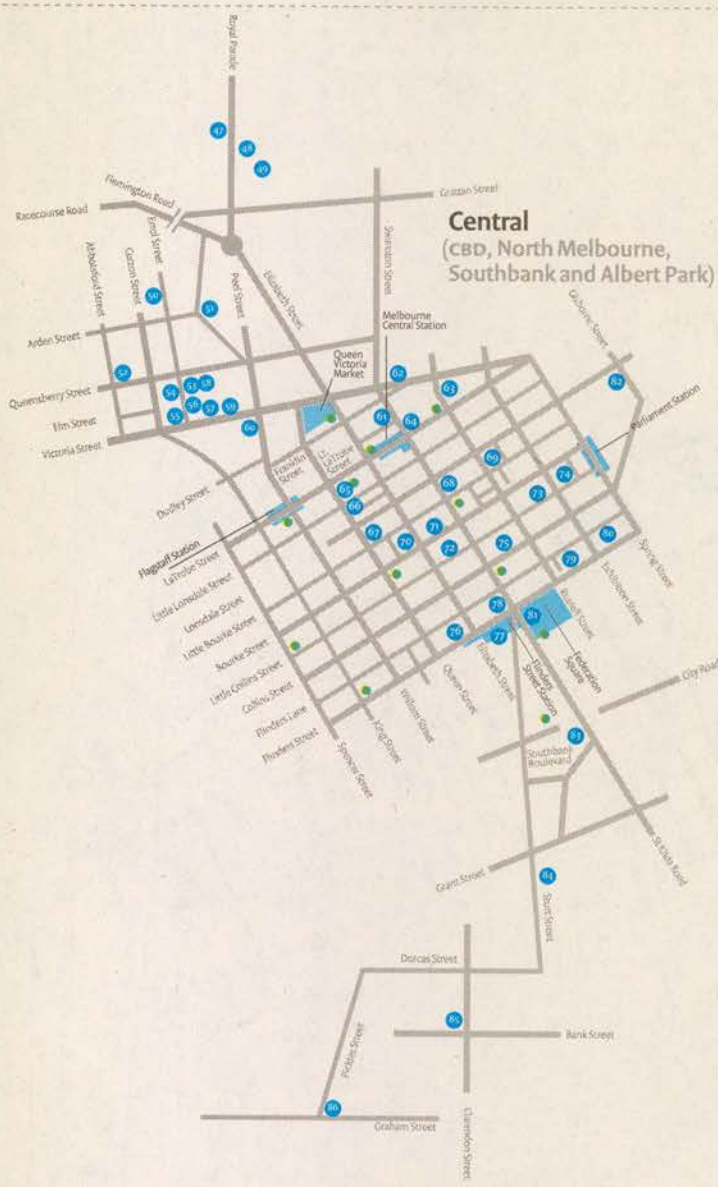
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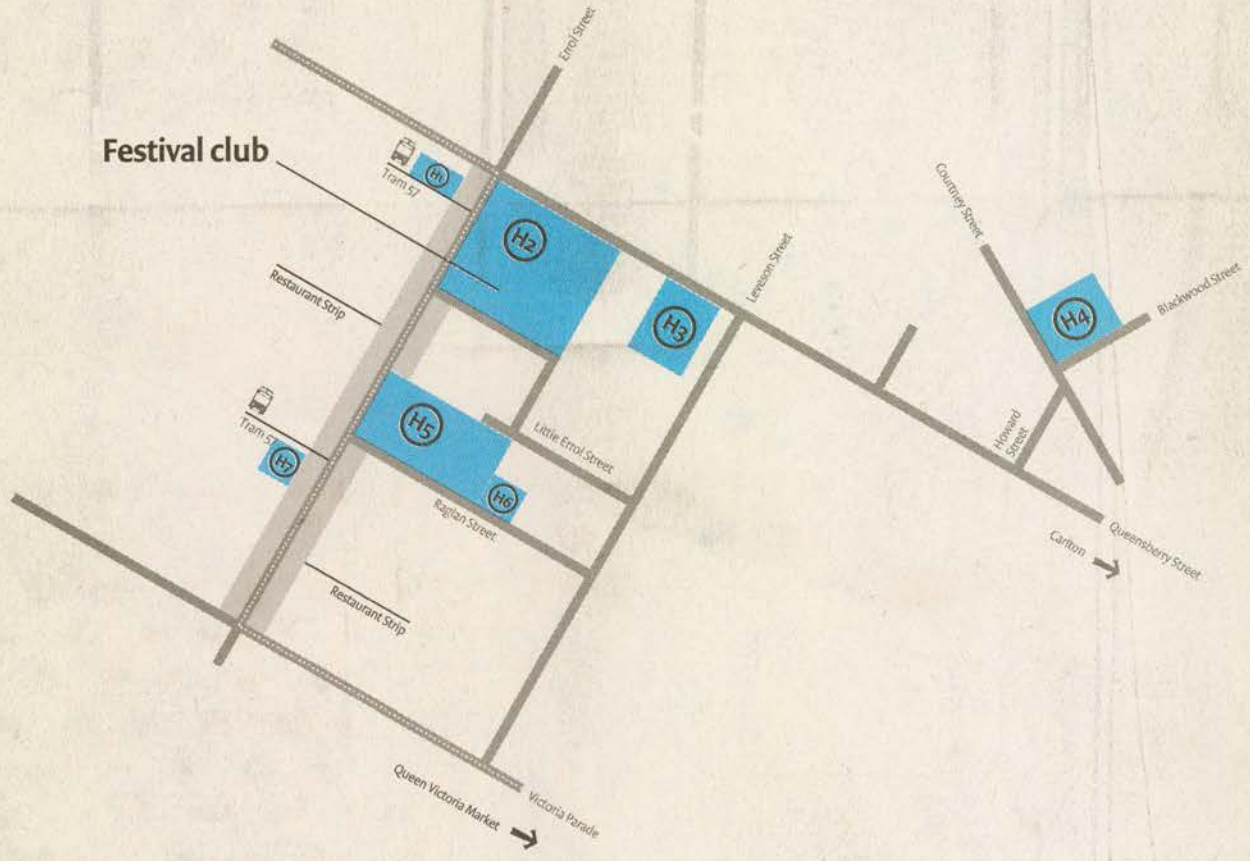
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