

Octagon Theatre Dolphin Theatre

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Young People's Performance Season 2019

Wonderful, live experiences for young people at UWA

Possum Magic
14 & 15 June



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We gratefully acknowledge the support of
the UWA Community Partnerships Program



More than a show...

Enjoying superb quality shows at the Octagon and Dolphin Theatres is only part of the experience.

Come early to explore the beautiful grounds of the University of Western Australia, from the magical Sunken Garden to the mysterious tree cathedral of the Somerville Auditorium.

There's yummy food and drink and tons of free activities, all connected with the live, stage experience.

Don't forget the campus is home to all kinds of animals and has strange and exciting surprises everywhere: from meteorites to golden eggs, there's so much to discover!



Friday 14 – Saturday 15 June
9.30am, 11.30am & 3pm (Saturday only)

University Theatres presents a Monkey Baa Theatre Company Production

Possum Magic

Based on the book by Mem Fox and Julie Vivas

For more than 30 years, *Possum Magic* has captivated and enchanted young people all over Australia.

Grandma Poss saves Hush from a snake by making her invisible, but being invisible isn't all it's cracked up to be, and Hush longs to see herself again.

Possum Magic takes us on a whimsical journey to cities around Australia to find the food that makes Hush visible again.

Monkey Baa brings to life the characters, journey and love that has made *Possum Magic* the most-loved and best-selling Australian picture book of all time.



Running time: 50m, no interval

Book now at ticketsWA.com

Children aged 2 and over must hold a paid ticket.



Relaxed performance with AUSLAN
interpretation: **Friday 14 June 11.30am**

Based on the book by: Mem Fox and Julie Vivas

Adapted by: Eva Di Cesare and Sandra Eldridge

Directed by: Sandra Eldridge

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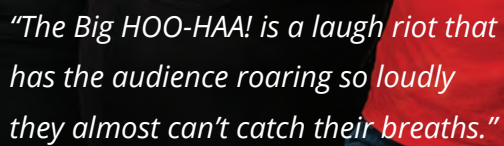
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The West Australian

8-12 & 15-19 July
2pm Monday – Friday

University Theatres & The Big HOO HAA! present

The Little HOO-HAA!

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND

Big Laughs For Little People!

**DOLPHIN
THEATRE**

The Little HOO-HAA! is improvised comedy at its finest and funniest.

Using audience suggestions The Little HOO-HAA! create spontaneous story, sketches and silliness. Interactive, engaging and hilarious, The Little HOO-HAA! is big laughs for little people!

Two teams of comedians go head-to-head in a battle of wits and comedy kerfuffle. You vote on your favourite team and decide the show's winner. Songs, sketches and slapstick are all part of the fun as they think quick and you laugh hard.

A show of pure delight and unabashed enjoyment. If you are looking for a fun family event then this is it. Mum and Dad will have just as much fun as the young ones!

Running time: 60m, no interval
Book now at ticketsWA.com

Last year's audience said...

"The best show I took the kids to see over the holidays"

"Our grandchildren loved it!"

"My 5 and 10yo loved it. And I did too!"



July 2018

WINTERarts

Children's Program

UWA's annual, mid-year cultural celebration features an exciting children's program of performances and workshops.

After laughing their socks off with *The Little HOO-HAA!* in the Dolphin Theatre, children can make felt sculptures, clay dinosaurs, comics and loads more. They can even make a kite!

Full program details can be found at
culturalprecinct.uwa.edu.au/winterarts

Friday 11 – Sunday 13 October

3 Awesome Days at UWA



Take part! Watch a show! Enjoy the campus!

The *AWESOME International Arts Festival for Bright Young Things* comes to UWA for three whirlwind days of creativity, imagination and the highest quality theatre for children in Perth.

After enjoying two beautiful shows, you and your children can take part in crafting, street theatre and all the other uniquely AWESOME activities going on throughout the weekend. And don't forget to enjoy the beautiful campus – maybe even find a peacock!*

Bring a picnic, devour the pop-up food, and remember: as ticket holders you can also enjoy the Café at the University Club.

*We have three new peacocks, Alice, Margaret and John, so go easy on them – they're a bit shy!





Friday 11 – Saturday 12 October
Friday 6pm, Saturday 10am & 12.30pm

University Theatres and the AWESOME Festival present
Lemony S Puppet Theatre

**DOLPHIN
THEATRE**

Picasso and his Dog

One fine spring morning in 1957, an elongated sausage dog named Lump arrived at the villa of the great 20th Century artist Pablo Picasso.

Lump looked into the deep, brown eyes of the artist and decided... he was home.

Picasso and His Dog tells the tale of a man and his dog, deep love, and the art their friendship inspired.

This gorgeous new work by Lemony S Puppet Theatre is an inventive mix of live performance, puppetry and art-making on-stage.

It is a story of how the loving animals in our lives inspire us to be excellent humans (and artists).

Running time: 50m, no interval

Book now at ticketsWA.com



OCTAGON
THEATRE



GREAT FOR
2-6s

Saturday 12 – Sunday 13 October
9am, 11am & 2pm

University Theatres and the AWESOME Festival present a
Windmill Theatre Company Production

Beep

A tale of unexpected friendship

Created by Sam Haren, Jonathon Oxlade & Katherine Fyffe

Directed by Sam Haren

Every day is the same in Mort's village until one morning, crash, boom, BANG! ... down comes Beep.

What is this annoying interruption to Mort's breakfast molly melon, who is this noisy robot girl, and how will she find her home?

Starting school, moving house, or a new family member – change is a big part of children's lives. With Windmill's trademark design, gentle storytelling, music and puppetry, *Beep* tells the story of what happens when someone new comes to town.

Running time: 35m, no interval

Book now at ticketsWA.com

Children aged 2 and over must hold a paid ticket.



Throughout 2019

**BARKING
GECKO
THEATRE**



Ensembles

UWA is pleased to host Barking Gecko Ensembles in UWA's theatres.

Young people need spaces where they can find their own voice and explore their own creativity. Barking Gecko Theatre provides these spaces through their Ensemble program.

Weekly sessions take place in a joyful, safe and supportive environment where young people are encouraged to take creative risks and explore the full extent of their expressive potential.

Content is age-appropriate and helps to develop self-expression, self-confidence, literacy, empathy and performance skills.

Performance outcomes at the end of each term give parents and friends an insight into the fabulous work the Gecko Ensembles have been exploring.

Gecko Ensembles are available in three age groups:

Little Gecko Ensembles for 5 – 7 year olds

Junior Gecko Ensembles for 8 – 12 year olds

Senior Gecko Ensembles for 13 – 17 year olds

To find out more about the Ensembles and enrol, visit barkinggecko.com.au

**IN UWA
THEATRES**



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Show	Date	Children	Concession*	Adult	Family Group 4-9 people**
Possum Magic	14-15 June	\$25 (2-16s)	\$25	\$28	\$25 each
The Little HOO-HAA!	8-12, 15-19 July	\$15 (3-16s)	\$15	\$20	\$15 each
Picasso and His Dog	11-12 October	\$25 (3-16s)	\$25	\$28	\$25 each
Beep	12-13 October	\$20 (2-16s)	\$20	\$25	\$20 each

*Full time students, seniors and pensioners **Must include at least one child

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No online booking charges
or call the Enquiry Line on 6488 2440 (noon-4pm, weekdays)

Booking

Book online at **ticketsWA.com** with absolutely no booking charges! Your tickets are emailed for you to print at home. You may also book on the Enquiry Line for a \$5 transaction charge.

Help

ticketsWA.com has a comprehensive help section with venue information and Frequently Asked Questions.

Email **info@ticketsWA.com** or call the Enquiry Line with any questions about your booking.

Parking

Parking at UWA is free: after 5pm, all day at weekends and in yellow bays in July.

Accessibility

All venues have wheelchair seating which can be booked through the Enquiry Line with no transaction charges. Companion Card holders are not charged for their carer's ticket.

Very Young Children

Children aged 3 (2 for *Beep* and *Possum Magic*) and over must have a ticket.

Younger children are admitted for free without a ticket and must be held on the lap of an adult for the entire show and not occupy a seat.

Location

Set your GPS to: 35 Stirling Highway, Crawley 6009



Relaxed Performances

Some little ones might be easily scared, have a learning disability or just find it hard to follow theatre conventions. They're especially welcome at **Relaxed performances**.

Lights remain low, loud noises are softened and they can leave and enter at any time.

For more information go to
ticketsWA.com/relaxed





Behind the scenes supporting youth theatre.

UWA's support for youth theatre is just one example of our commitment to our local WA community.

We're also proud to support a range of partners across the arts, technology, sport, education and health and wellbeing.

Find out more about our Community Partnerships Program.

uwa.edu.au/engage



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