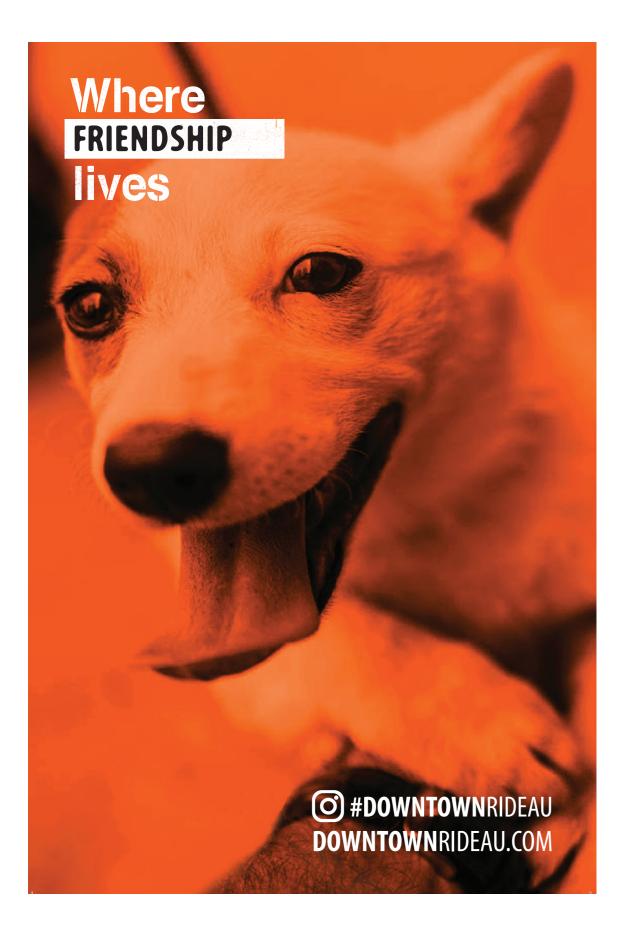
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The Ottawa Fringe Thanks You

The Ottawa Fringe Festival is a charitable non-profit with a mandate to provide a stage for the performing arts that is as accessible to artists as it is for audiences. We rely on grants, members and donors to support this endeavour: a Festival with no curator and where 100% of ticket sales belong to the artists.

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We extend special gratitude to our partners and to the many volunteers who dedicate their time and talent. On behalf of the artists, we wish to thank you as well, the Festival's loyal patrons.



Director's Message

Welcome to the 2019 Ottawa Fringe!

It's Festival Season in Ottawa. Three glorious months of art, food, culture, and (fingers crossed) sunshine. Whether it's your first time at the Fringe or your fifteenth, we're glad that you're here – and we're sure that you will be too.

This year's Festival features 54 shows from Ottawa and beyond. In addition to our dynamite line-up of local artists, we're welcoming performers from as far away as California, the Yukon, and the United Kingdom (to name a few); presenting comedies, musicals, dance, storytelling, puppetry, magic, improv, circus, satire, and Shakespeare (and more!). If you want it, we've got it.

There's lots that's new this year: we're proud to announce that all of our venues are now physically accessible – the addition of the University of Ottawa's brand new LabO and Studio 1201 spaces means everyone can access all of our shows; we're also introducing some brand new BYOVs this year – make time to give these spaces a visit.

And most exciting of all, our outdoor Courtyard is back! Located at 67 Nicholas on the west side of Arts Court, the Courtyard is where you can grab a drink, hit up a food truck, and relax while waiting for your next show to begin. All Fringed out for the day? Hang out and relax while taking in some of the free programming on the Downtown Rideau stage.

So get out your pen and start pouring through the program. Not sure what to see? Pick something at random and have an adventure. You're here... now see as many shows as you can!

Patrick Gauthier Festival Director

CAFF Message

This year the Canadian Association of Fringe Festivals (CAFF) turns 25 years old!

Although Fringes have existed long before we did as an organization, we pride ourselves on the long-term support we have offered our member festivals over the years, and the foundation we have laid for the years to come.

We currently have 33 member festivals spanning Canada and the USA and we exist as an organization to unite, support, empower, and strengthen our member festivals in order to cultivate and foster independent artistic exploration for artists and audiences across North America.

CAFF members return 100% of the ticket price back to the artists and all festivals are selected either by lottery or on a first come/first served basis, ensuring that everyone has the same opportunity to tell their story on stage.

The CAFF member festivals are so lucky to be able to present to you a wide array of artists, some established and some telling their stories for the very first time. Supporting those artists are the festival producers, front of house staff, technicians, production managers, and countless others, as well as an incredibly dedicated team of volunteers at every festival. I want to take this opportunity to thank every one of those people who help facilitate these wonderful festivals because we all believe in the collective movement of Fringe, and that is truly a powerful thing.

So thank you for being here, for taking some of your time to see a show or two, and for supporting your local Fringe festival.

Lucy Eveleigh CAFF President

How to Fringe

STEP 1

Pick your show

Flip through this program or click your way to ottawafringe.com/shows – with 50+ shows and more than 300 performances, we guarantee there's something for you.

STEP 2

Grab Your Pin

Only \$3. Fringe Pins are required to purchase a ticket. Since 100% of ticket sales are returned to the performers, pin sales help keep the Festival growing.

Pins are available online, at the box office, and at all venues.

STEP 3

Buy your tickets

ONLINE or AT THE BOX OFFICE up to two hours before showtime.

AT THE VENUE within one hour of showtime (cash only).

STEP 4

Visit the Fringe Courtyard

The Courtyard is Ottawa Fringe's hub, located at 67 Nicholas Street, on the west side of Arts Court – grab some food and drink, make and meet friends, and find out what shows are not to be missed.

Box Office

All venues sell tickets at the door, cash only. Advance tickets and passes are available at the Festival Box Office.

Arts Court / 2 Daly, Elevator B, 2nd floor By phone / 613-232-6162

Box Office hours

JUNE 13 TO 23, 2019

Monday to Friday 4pm to 9pm Saturday 1pm to 9pm Sunday 1pm to 6pm

No latecomers. No exchanges. No refunds. No exceptions... due to the nature of our venues and given that the Fringe only sells tickets on behalf of the artists. Thank you for understanding.

Money Saving Tips

TIP 1

Get a FOURPLAY package, available exclusively online. Save more than 15% on advance tickets to four shows. Get it?

Foreplay... in advance... four... plays... right OK!

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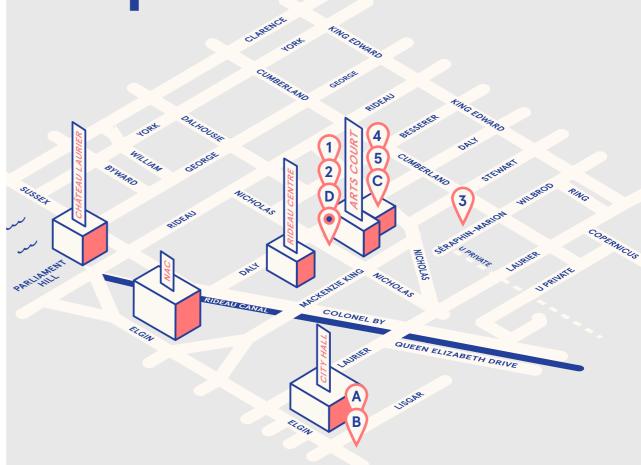
5 and 10-show DOOR PASSES are available for \$55 and \$99, respectively. To use these you have to get in line! Passes this cheap can only be redeemed at the door. Available at the Festival Box Office.

TIP 3

Many shows are offering HALF PRICE TICKETS. These rush tickets are for select performances and are available day-of, cash only. What shows and what dates? Subscribe for news at ottawafringe.com.

Festival Map

The Ottawa Fringe Festival is privileged to take place on the traditional, unceded territories of the Algonquin Anishinabeg.



Venues

- 1) Arts Court Theatre 2 Daly Avenue, Elevator B 3
- 2 ODD Box 2 Daly Avenue, Elevator A 3
- 3 Academic Hall 133 Séraphin-Marion 3
- 4 LabO 10 Daly Avenue 3
- 5 Studio 1201 10 Daly Avenue 3
- Fringe Courtyard 67 Nicholas Street 3



Bring Your Own Venues

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- © Studio 2201 10 Daly Avenue ♂
- D Arts Court Library 2 Daly Avenue, Elevator A 3



When visiting a venue for the first time, give a heads up to the volunteers at the door or stationed at one of the Festival's information hubs. The physically accessible entrance may not be the most prominent. When possible, please arrive with a few minutes to spare.

For more information on venue accessibility, as well as transit and parking options, please visit ottawafringe.com/venues or contact info@ottawafringe.com.

VENUE 1

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Arts Court Theatre

2 Sherlock Holmes Adventures

Winnipeg Thespian Fellowship Productions / Winnipeg, MB

by Kenneth Brown & John D. Huston from the works of Arthur Conan Doyle

60 MIN / PLAY / PG COMEDY, DRAMA, MYSTERY



Sold out run: Edmonton Fringe! Vintage fringers, John D. Huston (Screwtape) & Kenneth Brown (Spiral Dive) play everyone in 2 Sherlockian Adventures, the world's first, finest, sleuthing stories: Holmes, Watson, distressed damsels, perplexed police, scurrilous scoundrels. 75 years of stage-craft on dazzling display in sixty scintillating minutes. "Masters of the Fringe" (Edmonton Sun)

FRIDAY 14	8:00PM
SATURDAY 15	4:30PM
MONDAY 17	9:00PM
THURSDAY 20	5:30PM
FRIDAY 21	9:00PM
SATURDAY 22	2:30PM

Beneath the Bikini

Bikini Katie Productions / Orlando, USA by Katie Thayer

60 MIN / MUSICAL / 14+
COMEDY, DRAMA, SOLO, STORYTELLING, CABARET



In 2013 Katie Thayer started a performance art piece for Orlando Fringe called Bikini Advertising Space, where she wears a bikini and sells ad space on her body. In this "heartfelt cabaret" that "ends on a strong, inspiring note," Bikini Katie sings about her love of food, growing up not so skinny, and finding the confidence to love her body.

Winner: Best Solo Show-Cabaret - Orlando Fringe 2018.

6:30PM
3:00PM
8:30PM
11:00PM
7:00PM
4:30PM

I Am The Most Unfeeling Doctor In The World (And Other True Tales From The Emergency Room)

Melissa Yuan-Innes / North Lancaster, ON by Melissa Yuan-Innes



Birth, blood & bodies.
Have you ever shoved a breathing tube down a two-year-old's throat? Helped deliver a stranger's baby? Defibrillated a heart? If so, awesome. If not, join Dr. Melissa Yuan-Innes, MD, master of disaster and mistress of distress, for hilarious and heartbreaking true tales of control vs. chaos, based on her bestselling book, The Most Unfeeling Doctor in the World.

www.mvi.ninia

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WEDNESDAY 19	8:00PM
THURSDAY 20	7:00PM
SATURDAY 22	4:00PM



Date Night at Pet Emergency

Lisa Rothman / Oakland, USA by Lisa Rothman 90 MIN / PLAY / 14+



Is rescuing two dogs and having two kids in less than three years a good idea? Sippy cups. Impenetrable origami instructions. A cocker spaniel drug overdose. Lisa's not sure about anything anymore – except this has got to be the worst date night ever.

"Funny...profound" - San Francisco Examiner

"A natural born storyteller" – Bay Area Reporter
"Worth getting a sitter for!" – Mother of triplets

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SATURDAY 15	1:00PM
SUNDAY 16	6:30PM
TUESDAY 18	6:00PM
THURSDAY 20	10:00PM
SATURDAY 22	8:30PM

The Key to Time Travel

Allisoneb / Ottawa, ON by Allison Elizabeth Burns 60 MIN / DANCE / G



What is the key to time travel? It's easier than you think. We're doing it right now. I'm writing this, thinking about you - and now you're reading it, thinking about me. Present tense, days apart.

A theatrical contemporary dance duet that treads the brilliant borderland between reality and magic. Travel through time by dropping memory markers in specific moments in the past, present, and future.

THURSDAY 13	9:00PM
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SUNDAY 16	3:30PM
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FRIDAY 21	7:30PM
SUNDAY 23	1:00PM

Destiny, USA

Convection Productions / Syracuse, USA by Laura Anne Harris



When Laura moves from Toronto to Syracuse, New York, she wasn't expecting to be residing in Trump's America. Gaining her first job as a relay operator for the deaf and hard of hearing reveals the hidden humanity of the American people.

"If you are searching for a relief from modern cynicism and despair, look no further than *Destiny U.S.A."* – The Ubyssey

"Harris commands the stage" - Theatre Addicts

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FRIDAY 21	6:00PM
SATURDAY 22	5:30PM

LIGHTS! CAMERA! ODD JOBS?

Arthur MacKinnon / Vancouver, BC by Arthur MacKinnon 60 MIN / PLAY / PG



Join an actor in his quest for a career that goes from acting work to the many odd jobs in between. Stories of acting classes, TV and theatre gigs, interwoven with real life roles such as cherry picker, coin shop employee, and call centre representative, to name a few. Unexpected discoveries and reflections from the work, about acting and life. A journey towards....

SUNDAY 16	10:00PM
MONDAY 17	7:30PM
WEDNESDAY 10	6:30PM
THURSDAY 20	8:30PM
SATURDAY 22	10:30PM
SUNDAY 23	2:30PM

Pinter Stew

Third Wall Theatre / Ottawa, ON by Harold Pinter & Third Wall 60 MIN / PLAY / 14+ COMEDY, DRAMA



Ottawa theatre legends John Koensgen & James Richardson, try to make sense of the world with the words of another theatre legend - Harold Pinter. John directs James, James directs John, Graham Price designs. Where they'll go nobody knows but they'll likely end up nuking London. Nobel prize-winning writing performed by award-winning artists. Third Wall at its best! w/ St. Lawrence Shakespeare Fest.

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TUESDAY 18	8:00PM
FRIDAY 21	10:30PM
SUNDAY 23	6:00PM

Did you know
that Roller Derby
Saved My Soul,
which premiered
at the Ottawa
Fringe in 2011,
went on to be
performed over
120 times
in 20 different
cities?

VENUE 2 ODD Box



The Last President of Canada

Yukon Artists Collective Theatre / Whitehorse, YT by Doug Rutherford



In 1966. Paul Chartier blamed the government for his many failures. He decided to get revenge by throwing a bomb on the floor of the House of Commons, delivering a speech listing his grievances, and declaring himself the President of Canada. His plan was unsuccessful and he died in the attempt.

Now, the ghost of Chartier is offered the opportunity to deliver his speech... from the afterlife.

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SUNDAY 16	10:30PM
TUESDAY 18	8:30PM
THURSDAY 20	9:00PM
SATURDAY 22	6:30PM

Beyond The Pale

Sherri Rose / San Carlos, USA by Sherri Rose 60 MIN / PLAY / G COMEDY, DRAMA, SOLO

Meet The Evil Eye! A demented, delightful demon with major control issues! Follow her centuries old tug of war with one immigrant family as they transplant, assimilate, and even seek salvation in Silicon Valley. Who wins? Who survives? Find out in 3 heartfelt and funny fables. A show for anyone who has struggled to fit in and break the bonds of superstition.

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SUNDAY 23	2:00PM

Tornado Troubles

Break Free Entertainment / Ottawa, ON by Rory Gardiner

60 MIN / CONCERT / G STAND-UP COMEDY, SOLO

Ever shopped for a cleaning product that will remove trees from a basement carpet? Or had breakfast with a family of squirrels? The result of mother nature giving you the finger by sending a tornado to your front door (Sept 21-2018). This 2018 CCMA nominated artist/comedian takes you on a hilarious journey of life after natural disaster. Join us for a night of music, stories & stand up comedy.

THURSDAY 13	6:30PM
SATURDAY 15	9:30PM
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WEDNESDAY 19	7:30PM
FRIDAY 21	6:30PM
SATURDAY 22	5:00PM

Babel On

Tim C. Murphy / Ottawa, ON by Tim C. Murphy 60 MIN / STORYTELLING / 14+



Talking is so easy, until it's with someone you love. A love letter to Mom and Dad - with a side of cheesy 80s music, attachment theory, and lessons from courageous students in Kuwait.

From the creator of Fringe hit BLIND TO HAPPINESS (2016 Toronto Best of Fest I 2017 Ottawa Best of Fest)

"Murphy is masterful" ★★★★ National Post

★★★★★ Ignite FM

★★★★ ½ VUE ★★★★ Edmonton Journal

★★★★ Torontoist

SATURDAY 15	8:00PM
SUNDAY 16	9:00PM
TUESDAY 18	5:30PM
THURSDAY 20	10:30PM
SATURDAY 22	3:30PM
SLINDAY 23	4:30PM

Bat Brains or (let's explore mental illness with vampires)

Sam Kruger / Minneapolis, USA by Sam Kruger 60 MIN / PHYSICAL / 14+



When a surprise visitor appears at Scud the vampire's door. Scud is launched off on a madcap journey into the darkest depths of his home, his mind, and beyond.

A new play from the creator of Fool Muun Komming! (etc, etc)

Winner: Pick of the Fringe - Edmonton Fringe, 2018 Winner: Outstanding Solo - Ottawa Fringe, 2018 "Sam Kruger is a special and weird Fringe

SUNDAY 16	7:30PM
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THURSDAY 20	6:00PM
FRIDAY 21	9:30PM
SUNDAY 23	3:30PM

Perfect Date

Sam Pomerant / Ottawa, ON by Sam Pomerant 60 MIN / STORYTELLING / 14+



What is a Perfect Date? Is it brunch? Is it a night at the Met Gala? Is it March 14th at 4:36PM? Sam Pomerant is living in a world where he is getting increasingly desperate for love and an excuse to go to brunch. Follow him as he unwraps his dating past to hopefully find a love-filled present. Who knows, maybe this will all lead to a life filled with love or at the very least one Perfect Date.

THURSDAY 13	9:30PM
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SATURDAY 22	9:30PM

Beans of Fury

Matt Hertendy / Ottawa, ON by Matt Hertendy 60 MIN / PLAY / PG



Grouchy customers, long hours, little pay, and the constant threat of being burned. You MUST have a smile on your face. At.

The Barista is at war. These are their stories.

A highly caffeinated, object-puppetry infused, lip-synchy extravaganza.

From the 3 TIME PRIX RIDEAU AWARD WINNING creator of Rideshares & Rope Swings, Swedish Furniture and the infamous Boy vs. Chair.

10:00PM
5:00PM
3:00PM
7:00PM
8:00PM
11:00PM

Suitcase of Wonders

Ryan Pilling - Magician / Ottawa, ON by Ryan Pilling 60 MIN / MAGIC / G COMEDY, SOLO, THEORETICAL PHYSICS



With odds of a billion to one against, magician Ryan Pilling rolls the dice in a magic show and social experiment that dances along the line between highly improbable and absolutely impossible. As a quick-witted ringmaster, Ryan pits your free will against a locked suitcase in a theatrical gamble that could go either way. Amazing magic and weird stunts with a dash of choose-your-own adventure.

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Did you know **Ottawa Fringe** supports new work with creation grants?

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VENUE 3

Academic Hall

Ingenue: Deanna Durbin, Judy Garland and the Golden Age of Hollywood

Melanie Gall Presents / St. Albert, AB by Melanie Gall



Judy is an icon, loved as Dorothy in Oz. But in the 1930s, Deanna was a much bigger star. A favorite of Roosevelt, Churchill and even Mussolini, at 27 she left the screen for a life of obscurity in France. Ingenue tells the true tale of the lifelong friendship - and rivalry of these two idols of Old Hollywood. Starring Melanie Gall, from Fringe hit Piaf and Brel.

"An unforgettable delight," CBC

SUNDAY 16	9:00PM
MONDAY 17	6:30PM
TUESDAY 18	7:30PM
WEDNESDAY 19	5:30PM
FRIDAY 21	6:00PM
SUNDAY 23	2:00PM

Worldly Women

DANCE FACHIN / Toronto, ON by Dance Fachin 60 MIN / DANCE / PG



We are the chain-smoking women of Berlin with face tattoos standing as an emblem of the free and rebellious. We are the women of rural Jordan draped from head to toe in sacred scarves, the women that have to be indoors by 6pm in India and women who use their femininity to gain power in New York City. What does it mean to be a free woman? Challenge perception and celebrate females in Worldly Women!

FRIDAY 14	7:30PM
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SUNDAY 16	10:30PM
TUESDAY 18	6:00PM
THURSDAY 20	9:00PM
SATURDAY 22	6:30PM

2084

Plan B Productions / Ottawa, ON by Andrew Alexander 60 MIN / PLAY / 14+



We interrupt this daycycle with an important update from the Ministry of Truth regarding the explosion in Hallway 17-A.

Everything is fine.

Citizens with information on this incident are ordered to report to sector 101 at their earliest convenience, or face summary clone line termination."

A brave new work from the producers of the critically-acclaimed #faustus.

www.coffeefromhell.com

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SUNDAY 16	6:00PM
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SATURDAY 22	9:30PM
SUNDAY 23	3:30PM

GoFundYourself

Black Box Comedy / Ottawa, ON by Black Box Comedy



Laughs are currency so MAKE IT RAIN!! GoFundYourself is a sketch and improv comedy show that re-imagines what it means to be a supportive audience. Kickstart your curiosity as we crowdfund inspiration and reward you, our generous backers, with a unique experience filled with zany characters and lots of laughs!! Help us reach our goal of leaving you entertained!

THURSDAY 13	10:00PM
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SUNDAY 16	3:00PM
TUESDAY 18	10:30PM
THURSDAY 20	7:30PM
SATURDAY 22	8:00PM

Night Feed

Canvas Sky Theatre / Toronto, ON by Sarah Joy Bennett & Ginette Mohr 60 MIN / PLAY / 14+



As an exhausted new mother nurses in the dark of vet another night, her apartment comes to life; possessions possessed with the demons of fear, self-doubt and anxiety, a chorus of objects and body parts. You know, standard parenting stuff. With object puppetry, physical theatre and stunning design by CLUNK Puppet Lab, this hilarious fever dream explores the grief and gratitude of early parenthood.

FRIDAY 14	10:30PM
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THURSDAY 20	6:00PM
SATURDAY 22	3:00PM
SUNDAY 23	6:30PM

Ludwig(a)

Bone Witch Productions / Ottawa, ON by Adam Linton & Gwyneth Orr 60 MIN / PLAY / PG



Mad King Ludwig was notorious for his grand castles, queer lifestyle and enigmatic death. Empress Elisabeth of Austria was a Bayarian belle dramatically assassinated. What inspired these two as young people? Ludwig(a) is a fictional take on the friendship between a young King and Empress, diving into Europe's buried queer and feminist history. Teenage dreams and drag queens set in 19th C Bayaria!

	1:30PM
SATURDAY 22	1:30PM

Timmy, the Dog, **Disappears**

Black Sheep Theatre / Ottawa, ON by Martin Dockery 60 MIN / PLAY / 14+



A brand new comedy from Fringe master Martin Dockery (Inescapable, Moonlight after Midnight, Paco V. Put to Sleep) about family relationships, facing our fears, and losing track of a beloved friend.

"Wicked, dark, and very funny"

FRIDAY 14	6:00PM
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THURSDAY 20	10:30PM
FRIDAY 21	7:30PM
SATURDAY 22	11:00PM

Fuckboys The Musical Happy Birthday,

by Savannah Cassidy Pedersen 60 MIN / MUSICAL / M COMEDY, DRAMA



Karaoke night, every Wednesday, with your best friends in the world. What could possibly mess that up? You guessed it: fuckboys. An epidemic truly sweeping the nation, fuckboys are "literal garbage and must be stopped!"

In this hilarious one-act musical, four women will teach you the skills you need to take down the post dangerous predators in today's modern dating scene. Don't miss it.

THURSDAY 13	8:00PM
SATURDAY 15	9:00PM
MONDAY 17	9:30PM
WEDNESDAY 19	8:30PM
FRIDAY 21	10:30PM
SATURDAY 22	4:30PM

Claire!

Cardinal Theatre / Toronto, ON by Valerie Cardinal 60 MIN / PLAY / PG



Claire's birthday wish is for everyone to forget she's turning 25 - but her sister is determined to change her mind with the best surprise party ever! Who doesn't love a good birthday party? Nobody, that's who. Everybody loves a good party. Even people not from this Earth. Even people who've come to this Earth to conquer it. Who doesn't love to conquer a good party? Happy birthday, Claire.

THURSDAY 13	6:30PM
SATURDAY 15	11-00PM
SLINDAY 14	4:30PM
WEDNESDAY 10	7:00PM
FRIDAY 21	9-00PM
SUNDAY 23	5:00PM



No More Secrets

Spare Change Theatre / Ottawa, ON by Spare Change Theatre 60 MIN / PLAY / M



Over the span of three decades, three different teachers at Ottawa's Bell High School preyed on students. No More Secrets is a new documentary theatre piece that tells the story. Created by Ottawa high school students with the help of Julie Ireton, the investigative reporter who broke the story for CBC.

SATURDAY 15	1:00PM
SATURDAY 22	1:00PM

The Shape of a Girl

1996 / Ottawa, ON by Joan MacLeod 60 MIN / PLAY / 14+ DRAMA



After a violent bullying incident results in a murder, Braidie's world is changed. With an absent brother, she must confront her past and who she has become. Braidie ponders if her and her friends are any different than the teen accused. Is Braidie brave enough to stand up to her friends' when their bullying of a classmate takes a turn for the worst? Inspired by the murder of Reena Virk in 1997.

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SATURDAY 15	2:30PM
TUESDAY 18	7:00PM
THURSDAY 20	10:00PM
SATURDAY 22	2:30PM
SUNDAY 23	6:00PM

Get Well Soon

Hamda Elmi / Ottawa, ON by Hamda Elmi



An insight into the mind of four young women as they navigate through their inner thoughts and troubles in an attempt to get well soon. While discussing a range of issues, this play explores themes of mental health with humour and sincerity.

6:30PM
4:00PM
9:30PM
8:00PM
11:00PM
4:30PM

A Period Piece

Spicy Day / Ottawa, ON by Lauren Welchner & Monica Bradford-Lea 60 MIN / PLAY / 14+



"I heard if you use a tampon you lose your virginity"

Let's get personal. Join us for a wacky, embarrassing, and musical unpacking of our relationship with our vaginas and the things that come out of them.

Described as "two local female performers who have a very strong and defined perspective" (New Ottawa Critics), and "side-splittingly funny" (Apt613), Spicy Day is back and bloodier than ever.

THURSDAY 13	6:00PM
SATURDAY 15	8:30PM
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THURSDAY 20	8:30PM
FRIDAY 21	9:30PM
SATURDAY 22	4:00PM

Entangled

Quantum Productions / Almonte, ON by Jacob Berkowitz



On his deathbed, Nobel Prize-winning quantum physicist Wolfgang Pauli gasped one last word: Jung! The great psychoanalyst Carl Jung had built his dream theories using 100s of Pauli's dreams. Yet why hadn't Jung visited his dying friend in a Zurich hospital? A powerful play about the essence of mind, matter and the greatest mystery of all—love. Dir: Cathy Clark; Ft: Paul Rainville & David Frisch.

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FRIDAY 21	6:30PM
SUNDAY 23	7:30PM

Quantum Calamity

Aerial Antics / Ottawa, ON by Aerial Antics 60 MIN / PLAY / G



What seems to be the problem, Officer? A madcap trio of steampunk time travelers are unexpectedly caught up in the bureaucracy of the spacetime continuum. With high-flying acrobatics, stunning visual effects, and witty comedy, Ottawa-based vertical theatre troupe Aerial Antics will delight and amaze in this original, never-before-seen production.

THURSDAY 13	9:00PM
SUNDAY 16	5:00PM
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TUESDAY 18	10:00PM
FRIDAY 21	8:00PM
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The Win At Life Mega Expo

Four Door Ford / Toronto, ON by Faisal Butt, Amish Patel & Morgan O'shea 60 MIN / STORYTELLING / G COMEDY, DRAMA, FAMILY



Want to live the life you have always dreamed of? Need help staying motivated? Join us at the Win At Life Mega Expo where our accomplished speakers will give you tips on Love, Health and Money. We guarantee your life will be improved. (Individual results may vary.)

8:00PM
9:00PM
6:30PM
7:00PM
10:00PM
3:00PM

Pack Animals

Holly Brinkman / Victoria, BC by Holly M Brinkman & S.E Grummett 60 MIN / PLAY / 14+ COMEDY, CLOWN, PUPPET, MUSICAL, PHYSICAL



Ever been to summer camp?

Took a shit in the woods and wiped using pages from your guidebook?

Speared the patriarchy on a hot dog stick and toasted it over a roaring fire?

After getting lost in the woods, a Woodpecker and a Beaver must set aside their differences to find their way home. JOIN US for an adventure through the untamed forest of sex, puppets, bushcraft...and campfire songs!

THURSDAY 13	7:30PM
SATURDAY 15	10:00PM
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SATURDAY 22	8:30PM

ExDEMONators

Leaping Mammal Collective / Ottawa, ON by Leaping Mammal Collective 60 MIN / PLAY / 14+



Something strange in your neighborhood? (whoops. ignore that) Something weirdand it don't... (ah crap... we mean) Do you have demons? Do you need help? Whoyou gonna call? (DAMN IT!! ... uh...) Call us: the ExDEMONators! The only Demon Exterminators in Northern/Central rural Ontario. We can help bust them gho.. (...) EXTERMINATE those DEMONS in no time! Services soon to be certified and legal.

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Studio 1201



e308 / London, ON by Clara Madrenas 60 MIN / MUSICAL / PG COMEDY, SCI-FI, SOLO, POLITICAL SATIRE

In 2012, Member of Parliament Bev Oda billed taxpayers \$16 for orange juice at a poverty summit. In the dystopian future, teenager Bev Oda was arrested for civil disobedience and launched backwards through time, hell-bent on sabotage. Blending folk music, Canadiana, visual art and impossibly true stories, this sci-fi satirical-political love story is the Heritage Minute you never knew you wanted.

FRIDAY 14	5:30PM
SATURDAY 15	9:30PM
SUNDAY 16	7:00PM
WEDNESDAY 19	10:30PM
SATURDAY 22	6:00PM
SUNDAY 23	2:30PM

Bee!

Not: A Bev Oda Memoir Becoming Magic Mike: **An Action Adventure** Comedy

DK Reinemer / Portland, USA by DK Reinemer 60 MIN / SKETCH / 14+ COMEDY, SOLO, ACTION-ADVENTURE, PARODY



Comedian DK Reinemer (Help! I'm American) brings his smokin' hot, action/ adventure comedy about a detective thrust deep undercover in the unfamiliar world of male stripping. He's undercover, underdressed, and over the top. Can he pull it off?

"Uproariously funny, fast-paced and action-packed piece of rock-solid gold entertainment" - Cult MTL

"Outstanding Artist Award" - Calgary Fringe 2017

SUNDAY 16	8:30PM
MONDAY 17	10:00PM
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The Date

Phybee / Kanata, ON by Phoebe Webber 60 MIN / MUSICAL / G COMEDY, DRAMA



Dating isn't easy for women of a certain age. Phoebe is going to give it one more chance. Buoyed by a love of romantic opera, she is wondering if she is making the right decision. But first, she will ask her cats.

She won't rush into anything or have unrealistic expectations. Join Phoebe on a musical journey in no way influenced by her fear of the unknown.

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Stick or Wizard?

Eee! / London, UK by Oli Weatherly 60 MIN / PLAY / G COMEDY, CLOWN, SOLO



"A hilarious waste of time!" Gaulier-trained clown, Oli Weatherly, invites you to take a trip with him to meet two unusual guys; one, a man who dreams of the ultimate freedom - to be a Stick; the other, a Wizard.

Part autobiography, part story telling, part pure idiocy. WINNER StageDoor Audience Choice Award London '18. LONDON SELL OUT SHOW, Wandsworth Fringe 2018

★★★ LondonBox Office

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A Modest Attempt

Modest Company / Ottawa, ON by Darcy Smith

60 MIN / PLAY / 14+ COMEDY, CLOWN, DRAMA, SOLO



The Internet is vast and full of talent. Have you ever tried something? Did you succeed? Did you fail? How were you affected? Watch as Darcy gives his all to take on the Internet in a competition for your attention! Will he succeed? Will he fail? Will his modest attempt affect you...

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ARNOTT: a Masterclass Dammit, Jim! I'm a in Good Theatring

FireFlood Entertainment / Ottawa, ON by Nicholas Aymott

60 MIN / PLAY / M



6 days. 6 lessons. Award-swinging actor Niklaus Arnott arrives in Ottawa to deliver his infamous masterclass in performance, and pass on a "timeless" life of knowledge and experience to the younger (at heart) generations.

"Herr Arnott took our breath away, then gave it back to us, which was very polite." -- a Hyper-Ventilated Student

"★★★★★ I left after the first 50 minutes." - Jimmi Mortpan

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FRIDAY 21	7:00PM
SATURDAY 22	2:00PM

Scaredy Cat

Squirrel Suit Productions / Hamilton, ON by Carlyn Rhamey

60 MIN / STORYTELLING / 14+



Award-winning storyteller Carlyn Rhamey (SAOR, The ADHD Project) returns with new comedic tales of being afraid...of everything. Scary movies, haunted houses, the ocean, everything in the ocean, everything in the water, her job, wrinkles, glitter, sleepovers, dinosaurs, cheese graters, first graders, the cover of Goosebumps novels and...her mother.

"A ONE-WOMAN THEATRICAL HURRICANE" View Magazine

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TUESDAY 18	6:30PM
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Comedienne, Not a Doctor!

Pollywood Productions / Toronto, ON by Polly Esther

60 MIN / STORYTELLING / 14+ COMEDY, SCI-FI, SOLO



An innocent suggestion of watching Star Trek: The Next Generation for the first time quickly turned into obsessively delving into the entire Star Trek universe.

Every series, season, & film.

Then came the Las Vegas convention.

These are the voyages of Polly Esther, her mission to explore this strange new world, & how it has helped her boldly go forward in her journey as a recovering alcoholic.

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Did you know **Ottawa Fringe** is a registered not-for-profit charity? Sweet, sweet, tax receipts!

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Knox Presbyterian - Geneva Hall

The Royal Flush

Wild Hart Productions / Ottawa, ON by Kate Jaimet 90 MIN / PLAY / 14+



Two sisters inherit a cabin in the woods where their ne'er-do-well father may (or may not) have stashed a fortune in casino winnings. A brazen intruder, a raging snowstorm, and an impromptu poker game lead to a dizzying series of twists and turns in this sidesplitting Canuck comedy by award-winning writer and former Ottawa Citizen journalist Kate Jaimet.

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Skirts in the Forest

Dangerous Dames Theatre / Ottawa, ON by Becky McKercher & Sarah Thuswaldner



Four cross-dressing Shakespearean heroines collide in the Forest of Lost Plots. They're feisty, they're fighting, they're directionally challenged, and Hamlet keeps getting on their case. With only the Complete Works of Shakespeare to guide them, they have to navigate the tragedies without too much murder, mayhem, or saying 'Macbeth.'

WINNER: NTO's Slowcooker Vol. 1 New Play **Reading Series**

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THURSDAY 20	7:00PM
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Who's Your Mommy?

Crowning Monkey / Ottawa, ON by Rachelle Elie



"Elie could easily have been the love child of Carol Burnett and Lenny Bruce." - Show Score, NY.

Award winning Comedian, Fringe veteran & Rag Bag Cabaret Star Rachelle debuts her first stand up comedy hour. Sex, Drugs & teenage boys she tackles it all with comedy & glitter. Creator of S#!t I'm in Love With You Again.

★★★★ Undeniably talented - Happiest Medium

★★★★ Exquisite performer Vue Weekly

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Jimmy?

Another One / Ottawa, ON by Cullen McGrail 60 MIN / PLAY / PG DRAMA, THRILLER



In the world of organized crime, loyalty and fear are what keeps a boss in power, but they manifest in many different ways. Alice Britt, your everyday home-grown psychic, is brought to the penthouse of the most dangerous man in America to clear the air about a man named Jimmy and soon finds herself amidst a power struggle of these powers that be: natural and otherwise.

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BYOV B

Knox Presbyterian -Sanctuary

The Knitting Pilgrim

Ergo Arts Theatre / Toronto, ON by Kirk Dunn

90 MIN / PLAY / PG DRAMA, SOLO, TEXTILE INSTALLATION



The Knitting Pilgrim is a one-act interdisciplinary performance using theatre, image projection and the remarkable Stitched Glass tapestries. The play, performed by Kirk Dunn, recounts his fifteen-year artistic and spiritual journey of hand-knitting the ambitious project, and his hope to contribute to the vital conversation about xenophobia, interfaith strife and fear of the other.

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SATURDAY 22	6:30PM

Did you know that Countries **Shaped Like** Stars, which premiered at the 2009 Ottawa Fringe, went on to be performed over 130 times in 16 different cities?

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BYOV C Studio 2201

Olive: A Culinary Landscape

Sarah Haley / Ottawa, ON by Sarah Haley 60 MIN / STORYTELLING / G SOLO, COOKING SHOW



A long time ago, my family grew up amongst olive groves and remnants of antiquity. Now, all these years later, I am no longer sure what my connection is to that land so far away. With little more than food to connect me, one of the only ways I can learn about my story is through recipes. It's a cooking show with an identity crisis and free food. What's not to love?

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Get Yourself Home Skyler James

The Precariat / Ottawa, ON by Jordan Tannahill 60 MIN / PLAY / 14+ COMEDY, DRAMA, SOLO



Girl on the run from American military finds herself up against a locked door in the basement of an Ottawa KFC.

THURSDAY 13	8:00PM
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My Good Friend Jay Porcelain Bear Collective / Ottawa, ON

by Montana Adams

60 MIN / STORYTELLING / PG



Sitting on the Ontario, Quebec and New York State corners, a young Indian mulls on the border happenings in Akwesasne, her home reserve. Not quite sovereign to completion, yet still independent in its own right, her home has constantly faced political conundrums and questions that attack its very nationhood – along with her everyday life.

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Arts Court Library

I Think I'm Dead

Al Lafrance / Vancouver, BC by Al Lafrance 60 MIN / STORYTELLING / 14+

60 MIN / STORYTELLING / 14-SOLO



Ever wonder what happens to your brain when you're sleep-deprived? I Think I'm Dead is a maniacal monologue about an insomniac's survivalist journey. From obsessing over movies to attempting professional wrestling, with some near-death experiences in between, this show is a non-stop storytelling thrillride unlike any other. Created & performed by 2x Just For Laughs Award-winner Al Lafrance.

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Magnificence

Doctor Keir Co. / Shawinigan, QC by Keir Cutler



Keir Cutler, (Teaching Shakespeare) adapts his mother's award-winning memoir from the Laurentians in the 1930s. "Simplicity and goodness, stunningly exemplified!" New York Times review in 1973.

"Keir Cutler is a masterful entertainer!" Winnipeg Free Press.

"One hell of a storyteller!" Vue, Edmonton. Keir's 10th Ottawa Fringe!

Directed by Paul Van Dyck winner of Montreal's "Revelation Award."

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52 Pickup

Blackbox Theatre Company / State College, USA by Katie Nixon

60 MIN / PLAY / 14+ DRAMA, SOLO, DANCE, MUSICAL



52 Pickup is a one-woman show that explores what it's like to cope with and overcome trauma. The story follows Katie as she comes to terms with her own traumatic incident and relearns how to navigate the world with altered vision. Funny, hopeful, and emotional, this play portrays a journey that finds beauty from pain.

8:30PM
10:30PM
5:30PM
7:00PM
8:00PM
9:30PM
5:30PM
7:30PM
4:30PM

THE WALK IN THE SNOW: the true story of Lise Meitner

big word performance / Finchampstead, UK by jem rolls

60 MIN / STORYTELLING / 14+



Physicist, fugitive, pioneer.

On Christmas Eve 1938, two refugees from the Nazis walk out into the Swedish snow. Sat on a tree-trunk, they make a shocking scientific discovery. And the world changes forever. From the creator of THE INVENTOR OF ALL THINGS: **** CBC, ***** Winnipeg Free Press **** Edmonton Journal, Best of Fest, Ottawa Fringe 2017 "I will have nothing to do with a bomb".

THURSDAY 13	7:00PM
FRIDAY 14	7:30PM
SATURDAY 15	7:00PM
SUNDAY 16	4:00PM
TUESDAY 18	6:30PM
WEDNESDAY 19	7:00PM
FRIDAY 21	8:30PM
SATURDAY 22	4:30PM
SUNDAY 23	6:00PM

SPECIAL

Free **Programming**

FURTHER DETAILS AT OTTAWAFRINGE.COM/EVENTS

Preview Night

ARTS COURT THEATRE & STUDIO

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12

7.00P

Need help deciding which shows you're checking out at this year's Fringe? Join us at Preview Night where performers have two minutes to pitch their show. This event always fills up, get there early! Doors and bar open at 7:00pm.

OAG Tours

OTTAWA ART GALLERY

JUNE 15 & 23

Explore the Ottawa Art Gallery! This hour long tour, led by one of OAG's knowledgeable gallery educators, is the perfect between-show activity.

Fringe Courtyard

67 NICHOLAS

In between shows? Come hangout at the Fringe Courtyard. Unwind, grab a drink with your friends, and make new ones while enjoying some Ottawa-local art.

Sunday Morning Yoga

COURTYARD

SUNDAY, JUNE 16

11:00/

Fringe is busy and can get stressful. Take this moment to inhale and exhale. Both artists and patrons are invited to do some free yoga outside in the renovated Courtyard. All-levels are welcome to this class. Bring your mat, water bottle and good energy!

(un)told: original stories told live

COURTYARD

SUNDAY, JUNE 16

7:30P

This is a special Fringe edition of (un)told, true tales presented by Ottawa Storytellers. Some of your favourite Fringe artists will be taking the stage to share their best and worst moments from Fringe, an event not to be missed!

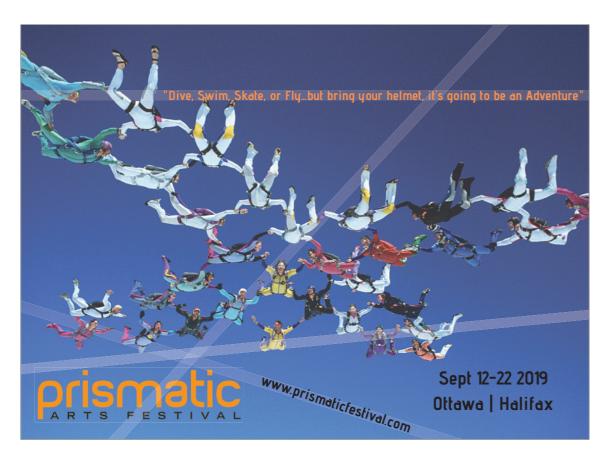
Closing Night Awards Party

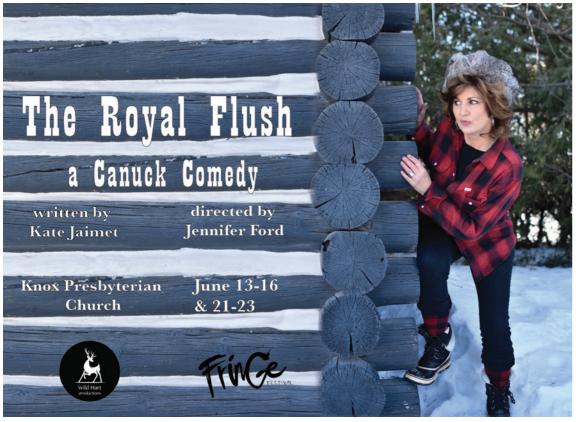
ARTS COURT THEATRE & STUDIO

SUNDAY, JUNE 23

10PM 'TIL LATE

Join artists, audiences, volunteers and staff as we say farewell to the 2019 Ottawa Fringe Festival. Raise a toast to award winners and stay up late for one last night.





Best of Fest

Sunday June 23

On closing night, the Festival's best selling shows – one from each of the Fringe's five lottery venues – will stage a round of encore performances.

Best of Fest winners will be announced online on Friday, June 21, with the performances serving as a fundraiser for the Ottawa Fringe.

Studio 1201	7:00PM
Arts Court Theatre	7:30PM
ODD Box	8:00PM
Academic Hall	8:30PM
LabO	9:00PM

Ticket revenue from these performance is split 50/50 between the artist and the Festival. Buy advance tickets at ottawafringe.com/bestof.











Support the Fringe

Join our FRONT & CENTRE campaign by supporting the Fringe in its mission to create an Ottawa culture scene that strives to make art accessible while supporting artists' careers.

Our goal? To raise \$10,000 - your gift will ensure that the festival is able to run at its greatest capacity for artists and patrons alike. Donation dollars fund our technical/logistical support and additional festival programming.

The Front & Centre campaign puts our incredible donors in the limelight as well! With perks that show our appreciation and celebrate your generosity.

The Perks

\$75 DONATION

PERK: a photo of yourself or dedicate photo will be installed on our donor wall located next to the Arts Court Theatre box office for one year! You will also receive a pair of limited edition Fringe socks and tax receipt.

\$50 DONATION

PERK: a photo of yourself or dedicate photo will be installed on our donor wall located next to the Arts Court Theatre box office for one year! Tax receipt also included.

\$25 DONATION

PERK: a pair of limited edition Fringe socks will be coming your way! Tax receipt also included.

www.ottawafringe.com/support

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Other ways you can support:

TOP UP YOUR TICKET

This one's easy! When buying Fringe tickets online, you can top-up your purchase with a gift. Donations greater than \$10 will receive a sweet, sweet tax receipt.

MAKE A ONE-TIME OR MONTHLY DONATION

You can do this any time of year.

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SEE BEST OF FEST SHOWS

On closing night, six of the festival's top-selling shows will stage encore performances. These are Fringe fundraisers, with box office split 50/50 between the artist and the Festival.

Drama Studies Program

Dramaturgy and Criticism taught by theatre scholars & community practitioners

Indulge Your Dramatic Side

Find us at: carleton.ca/english/drama-studies





Fringe Courtyard

Whether it's relaxing between shows, meeting friends to catch up, or a quick pit-stop to refuel on your theatre-binge day, the Fringe Courtyard is the place to be. Located at 67 Nicholas, on the West side of Arts Court and short walk from our other venues, it is the place to share stories and ask "What have you seen? What should I see?"

The Fringe Courtyard is home to the Downtown Rideau stage, where you can catch late night programming, and other free events throughout the festival.

Open weekdays from 5pm until late and at 4pm on weekends. Stop by before, between, and after a day of Fringing.











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Mini-Fringers

Weekend Drama Camps

Register your 4 to 12 year olds for an unforgettable drama camp experience with the fun and talented teachers from the Ottawa School of Theatre. Camp runs from 2:00 until 5:30pm on Saturdays and includes a performance by your Mini-Fringers at 5:00pm.

Space is limited, but we will reserve drop-in spots. Cost is \$10 per day. Register in advance to make sure your kid gets in on the fun!

For more info or to register visit ottawafringe.com/parents

VENUE Ottawa Art Gallery Studio 10 Daly Avenue

Saturdays June 15 & 22

Drop-off between 1:30 and 2:00pm

COST

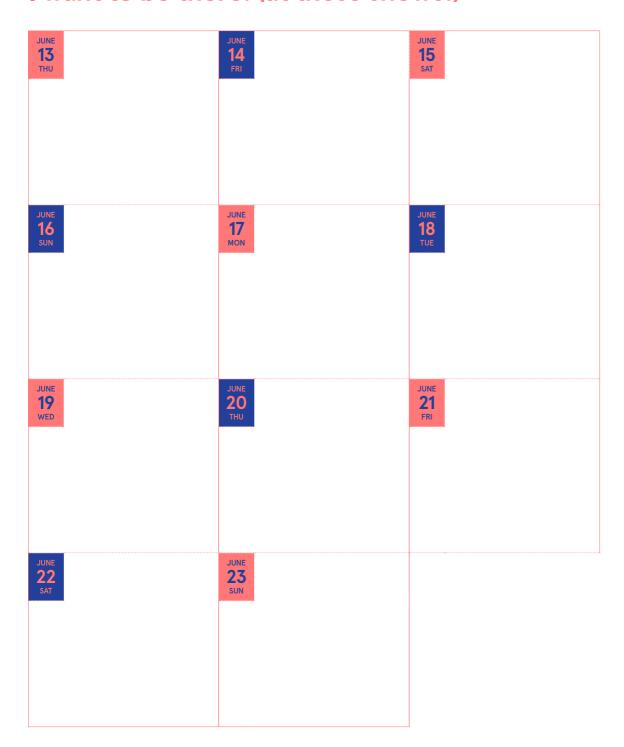
\$10 per child or FREE for 5 & 10-show pass holders





Calendar

I want to be there. (at these shows!)



Tweet or 'Gram us your daily schedule! Follow us @ottawafringe and use the #OttFringe hashtag.

Notes







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