



2021 International Arts Festival

*for bright
young things*

27 September - 2 October
Perth Cultural Centre

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Welcome



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Welcome to the 2021 AWESOME Festival!

As we prepare to celebrate our 25th birthday it is wonderful to know that many children who attended the festival early on are now bringing their children to the AWESOME Festival.

Once again, we've lined up a very special program with many free events and all of our ticketed offerings heavily subsidised to make them affordable for families.

Peter and the Wolf by the West Australian Ballet returns to the AWESOME Festival by popular demand with free performances daily at 11am and I am thrilled once again to showcase some of our extraordinary local talent with *Roald Dahl's Little Red Riding Hood* by Wind Quintet Plus, ARCO by WA Youth Theatre Company, *Indigo Sand* by Sandpiper Productions and performances by the Giovanni Consort. The world premiere of *Koolbardi wer Wardong* by the West Australian Opera promises to be a truly magical journey and features the talents of award-winning songwriters and performers, Gina Williams AM and Guy Ghouse.

Acknowledgement of Country

AWESOME Arts Australia acknowledges the Traditional Owners of country throughout Australia and recognises their continuing connection to land, waters and community. We pay our respects to them and their cultures; and to elders past, present and emerging. We are proud that this Festival takes place on Whadjuk Noongar boodja.

This year's literature program is extraordinary and features a range of exciting author events, Story Circles and... a GAME SHOW that is not to be missed!

From further afield we welcome *Blinky Bill is on the Loose* (Kobugs Theatre) and *Hiccup!* (Windmill Theatre).

Of course, there are loads of free activities, fantastic workshops and two stunning exhibitions: *Graff My Train* by our 2021 Festival Artist in Residence, Christopher Hummel at the State Theatre Centre and *Florette*, an immersive exhibition at the State Library of WA based on the beautiful book by Anna Walker.

On behalf of Team AWESOME, I can't wait to welcome you to our 2021 Festival these September holidays.

I'll see you there!!!

**Jenny Simpson
& The AWESOME
Festival Team**



The City of Perth is delighted to host the 2021 AWESOME International Arts Festival for Bright Young Things.

For 25 years, the AWESOME Festival has brought our great city to life, inviting thousands of families into Perth to experience world class theatre, dance, music, exhibitions, workshops, literature and film... and best of all it is great FUN!

The Perth Cultural Centre will come alive with activities, exhibitions and performances. *Hiccup!* by Windmill Theatre will delight children and adults alike, while *Blinky Bill is on the Loose* from KoBugs Theatre Company will fill the WA Museum City Room with music and bush creatures. At the AWESOME Festival, families can meet local authors, experience world class ballet, create their own artworks and enjoy being out and about in our beautiful city.

The City of Perth is definitely the place to be for families, and the 2021 AWESOME Festival is the place to be these September School Holidays.

I wish the 2021 AWESOME Festival every success, and look forward to welcoming children and their families to the City of Perth these school holidays.

Lord Mayor Basil Zempilas



As Premier of Western Australia, I am thrilled to welcome you to the 2021 AWESOME International Arts Festival for Bright Young Things.

The State Government, through the Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries and Lotterywest, is proud to support AWESOME Arts in giving families the opportunity to share in a celebration of arts and culture during the school holidays.

As always, outstanding Western Australian talent will be on display at this year's AWESOME Festival. Back by popular demand is the West Australian Ballet's extraordinary rendition of *Peter and the Wolf* with daily performances presented free to the public in the Perth Cultural Centre, The West Australian Opera world premiere of *Koolbardi wer Wardong* is generating lots of excitement and I am thrilled to see the vast array of Western Australian authors, performers and visual artists in this year's program.

We are a state that is rich in cultural talent which is highly evident in the AWESOME Festival program.

The importance of engaging young children and their families with quality arts experiences is recognised and supported by the State Government, and I encourage all WA families to share in the joy of the 2021 AWESOME Festival together.

Mark McGowan MLA Premier



Welcome to the 2021 AWESOME International Arts Festival for Bright Young Things. With the support of the State Government, through the Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries, the 2021 AWESOME Festival Program features a wide range of world class acts across theatre, music, visual art, literature and creative workshops.

This year, AWESOME Festival will see our beautiful new Western Australian Museum, Boola Bardip play host to some great performances and events including *Backyard Bugs* with Professor Helen Milroy and Story Circles, performed by a range of phenomenal Western Australian artists. You might also experience some unexpected moments of surprise and delight when the Giovanni Consort pop up in our cultural institutions - The State Library of WA and Boola Bardip!

West Australian talent will again be the highlight of this year's AWESOME Festival, which includes the West Australian Ballet's *Peter and the Wolf*, ARCO by WA Youth Theatre Company and DADAA, *Indigo Sand* by Sandpiper Productions, *Roald Dahl's Little Red Riding Hood* by Wind Quintet Plus and the world premiere of *Koolbardi wer Wardong*, a magical journey back to the time of creation by the West Australian Opera.

The AWESOME Festival is a fantastic opportunity to focus on the importance of providing high quality creative product to our children and their families.

As Minister for Culture and the Arts, I am proud to support the 2021 AWESOME Festival and encourage West Australian families to dive in and ENJOY!

David Templeman MLA Minister for Culture and the Arts



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Discover and be
inspired by the arts.



We are proud to support
Awesome Arts as Principal Partner,
engaging over 190,000 Western
Australians through art each year.

Info

AWESOME Concession Tickets

AWESOME will offer a limited number of concession priced tickets to government issued Health Care and Pension Card holders for selected shows.

Terms and Conditions apply.

Shows that have an allocation of concession priced tickets are as follows:

- Hiccup!
- Blinky Bill is on the Loose
- Roald Dahl's Little Red Riding Hood

Autism Spectrum Disorder Navigational Guide

If you have a child with additional needs, we have designed a guide so you can get the most out of your Festival experience. We know that all children are different, so the guide has been designed so that you can make informed choices based on the specific needs of your child. The guide will be available from awesomearts.com.

We are always looking to improve this resource, so if you have any feedback about the guide, we would love to hear from you! Please contact us at admin@awesomearts.com.

How to Book

Follow the ticketing links on the show/workshop page or visit awesomearts.com to purchase your tickets online.

You can also call us at AWESOME on (08) 9328 9666 during business hours. We are here to help!

Would your school like to participate in an arts excursion?

Visit the AWESOME Festival and receive WA Curriculum linked resources to accompany your visit.

We can take your class bookings over the phone at (08) 9328 9666 or send us an email at admin@awesomearts.com.

Getting Here

Walk from the city. Walk across the Perth Train Station pedestrian bridge or through Yagan Square.

Bus to Perth Busport, then walk up William Street to the west entrance of Perth Cultural Centre at James Street.

Train to Perth Train Station then make your way across the foot bridge to the Perth Cultural Centre.

Cat Bus the Blue Cat stop 5 (Beaufort St entrance to Perth Cultural Centre), Stop 12 (Corner of James St and Francis St).

City of Perth Parking:

- State Library Car Park, Francis Street
- Cultural Centre Car Park, Roe Street (Northbridge)

AWESOME City of Perth Parking Offer!

We've partnered with City of Perth Parking to offer you 5 hours of parking for just \$7*

Park at the State Library or Perth Cultural Centre City of Perth Car Parks between 27 September and 2 October 2021 and validate your ticket at the AWESOME Ticket Booth located in the Perth Cultural Centre to redeem the offer.

**Please note, this offer will be applied for people arriving and leaving between 6:00am and 5:59pm and only applicable to those who park at the State Library Car Park (entry located at 15 Francis Street, Northbridge) and Perth Cultural Centre Car Park (entry located at 2 Roe Street, Northbridge).*

The AWESOME Ticket Booth is open for ticket validation from 9am – 3pm from 27 September – 2 October.



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The 2021 AWESOME Festival presents

Blinky Bill is On The Loose

KoBugs Theatre Company

Hi Everyone

My name is Blinky Bill and
I am a cheeky koala from
South Australia!

I am visiting the AWESOME
Festival to catch up with my
Western Australian friends
and to perform in my new show,
Blinky Bill is on the Loose!
Hope to see you there!



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Ages:

4+
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KOBUGS THEATRE COMPANY

Cheeky and courageous Koala, Blinky Bill is a truly iconic Australian character. Join Blinky Bill as he goes on a mighty adventure and meets many magical new friends including Professor Wombat, Angelina Wallaby, Lady Beatrice Bandicoot, Bobbin the Bilby and Go-Go Goanna. There are 10 delightful original songs which will have the whole family humming and toe-tapping all the way back home to their very own gumtree.

Dates & Times: Mon 27 Sept 10am & 1pm, Tues 28 - Thurs 30th Sept 12:30pm, Fri 1st Oct 9:30am & 12:30pm, Sat 2nd Oct 12:30pm

Venue: WA Museum Boola Bardip Stage

Duration: 60 Minutes

Cost: Adult/Child: \$10.50, Concession: \$5.00

Tickets: [awesomearts.com/festival-program/](https://www.awesomearts.com/festival-program/) or phone (08) 9328 9666 during business hours

The 2021 AWESOME Festival and Sandpiper Productions present

Indigo Sand

Sandy McKendrick and Jenny Hill



Indigo Sand

Ages:

5+ years
WA

Stories that give breath to the elements.

Come and immerse yourself in a sea of stories that will ebb and flow around you with intrigue, whimsy and magic. Listen to the tender heart of Tua the whale, the absurd conversation of the three raindrops and wonder at the ancient mysteries of seals and selkies.

These delightful traditional and original tales are performed with an evocative mix of storytelling, puppetry, acoustic music and visual imagery that will leave you with a taste of salt on your lips and a yearning for more. Let go and float on the incoming tide with Jenny Hill and Sandy McKendrick.



Dates & Times: Tues 28th Sept - Sat 2nd Oct
11am daily

Venue: Middar Room, State Theatre Centre of Western Australia

Duration: 60 Minutes

Cost: Adult/Child: \$15

Tickets: ptt.wa.gov.au, phone (08) 9328 9666 during business hours, or in person: State Theatre Centre of Western Australia

Fee on tickets via PTT: Web: \$3.95 if cart values is \$36 or less, \$5.95 if cart value is more than \$36. Phone or mail: \$6.95. In Person: \$0. Group bookings: \$8.95. Add \$4.40 for resistered mail.

WA Youth Theatre Co. and the 2021 AWESOME Festival present

ARCO *Adam Kelly*



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Ages:

7+ years
WA

ARCO is Adam Kelly's FRINGEWORLD award-winning show about living with autism. Or in Finbar the fish's case, living in water. ARCO takes a heartfelt look at the life and struggles of someone trying to make connections with the people and world around them. Along the way he asks gently of his audience to consider life from his perspective and encourages them to take a moment to get things off their chest. Join us as Adam and Finbar dance, draw, fly and joke their way into our hearts once more in this second iteration of a Perth favourite.



Dates & Times: Tues 28th Sept - Sat 2nd Oct
1pm daily

Venue: Rehearsal Room 1, State Theatre Centre of Western Australia

Duration: 50 Minutes

Cost: Adult/Child: \$16.50, Concession: \$10.50

Tickets: ptt.wa.gov.au, phone (08) 9328 9666 during business hours, or in person: State Theatre Centre of Western Australia

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Wesfarmers Arts and the
2021 AWESOME Festival present

Hiccup!

Windmill Theatre Company

Ages:
4-10
years
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Government of
South Australia



Australia
Council
for the Arts



A rocking, outback adventure to find the great hiccup cure.

It's a perfect, balmy night in the outback. A sleep-deprived camper, a cheeky quokka and an emu with a penchant for creating wild inventions, awake to discover that a koala has come down with a stubborn and ear-shatteringly loud case of the hiccups.

The three embark on an epic journey through the night that sees them frantically eat, sing and invent their way towards a cure before the sun comes up.

Hiccup! is a hilarious rocking musical extravaganza about working together, finding friendship and how to, once and for all, stop the hiccups.

Dates: 28th Sept - 2nd Oct

& Times: 12pm & 2pm daily

Venue: Studio Underground, State Theatre Centre

Duration: 45 Minutes

Cost: Adult/Child: \$26, Group Bookings of 4+: \$21, Concession: \$20

Tickets: ptt.wa.gov.au or phone (08) 9328 9666 during business hours in person: State Theatre Centre of Western Australia

Fee on tickets via PTT: Web: \$3.95 if cart values is \$36 or less, \$5.95 if cart value is more than \$36.

Phone or mail: \$6.95. In person: \$0. Group bookings: \$8.95. Add \$4.40 for registered mail.



Music

The 2021 AWESOME Festival presents

Cloud Nine

*The Giovanni
Consort*



Keep your eyes and ears peeled for special pop-up performances from the Giovanni Consort in the WA Museum Boola Bardip and the State Library of Western Australia.

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Join the Giovanni Consort, Western Australia's professional chamber choir, as they escort you through a musical shadowland filled with lullaby, soundscape and dreaming. Shrouded in darkness, prepare to be transported to a realm of hushed tones, shimmering vocals and calm relaxation under the expert guidance of some of Perth's finest singers.

**The Giovanni
Consort**

THE
RECHABITE

Dates & Times: Fri 1 Oct, Sat 2 Oct, 10am daily

Venue: The Rechabite, Main Hall

Duration: 30 Minutes

Cost: Adult/Child: \$15.50, Concession: \$10

Tickets: [awesomearts.com/festival-program/](https://www.awesomearts.com/festival-program/)
or phone (08) 9328 9666 during business hours

Teeny Tiny Stevies

*Bethany Stephen
and Sybylla Stephen*

Due to current border restrictions, the 2021 AWESOME Festival season of the Teeny Tiny Stevies has been rescheduled to April 2022.



The Teeny Tiny Stevies have done the impossible: created music that keeps children entertained and doesn't drive parents crazy!

Join the much-loved Aussie band as they sing through a bunch of family favourites and songs from their ARIA award-winning album 'Thoughtful Songs for Little People', this show will be fun for the whole family!



THE
RECHABITE

Ages:

**7+ years
WA**

**All ages
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Dates & Times: Tues 12th & Wed 13th April 2022,
10am & 1pm daily

Venue: The Rechabite, Main Hall

Duration: 60 minutes

Cost: \$18.50 Adult/Child, \$60 Family
of Five, \$10 Concession

Tickets: [awesomearts.com/festival-program/](https://www.awesomearts.com/festival-program/)
or phone (08) 9328 9666 during business hours



The 2021 AWESOME Festival Presents

Roald Dahl's Little Red Riding Hood

Wind Quintet Plus

Based on Roald Dahl's Revolting Rhymes, this wickedly funny production changes everything you thought you knew about the Red Riding Hood story. While creeping through the bushland on the hunt for something tasty to eat, Wolf stumbles upon Grandma's cottage — but this particular Grandma is full of surprises. Wolf had better watch out, because Little Red Riding Hood might just have a trick up her sleeve! Wind Quintet Plus are joined by narrator Melissa Priemus for this energetic and engaging performance of this classic fairy tale reimagined in the Australian bush.

Dates & Times: Tues 27 Sept - Sat 2 Oct, 12:30pm daily
Venue: The Rechabite, Main Hall
Duration: 45 minutes
Cost: Adult/Child: \$15.50, Concession: \$10
Tickets: [awesomearts.com/festival-program/](https://www.awesomearts.com/festival-program/)
 or phone (08) 9328 9666 during business hours



Ballet

West Australian Ballet and the
2021 AWESOME Festival present

Peter and the Wolf

West Australian Ballet



This is the tale of Peter and The Wolf.

Grandmother warns Peter not to go beyond the garden gate because of lurking wolves. But when he does and a wolf appears, Peter must work with his other animal friends to catch the scary creature! This specially adapted fairy tale is the perfect way for young children (and their grown-ups!) to discover the magic of ballet.

Artistic Director: Aurélien Scannella
Choreographer: Andries Weidemann
Set and Costume Designer: Maeli Chere
Composer: Sergei Prokofiev
Music Performed by: Perth Symphony
Orchestra: WAAPA
Narrator: Julia Moody



WEST AUSTRALIAN
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Dates & Times: Tues 28th Sept - Sat 2nd Oct
11am daily

Venue: Perth Cultural Centre Outdoor Stage,
James Street Amphitheatre

Duration: 35 Minutes (show). 20 Minutes (post
show activity)

Cost: FREE! No tickets needed

To best enjoy this special outdoor performance,
we recommend wearing sunscreen and a hat!

The 2021 AWESOME Festival
and Born in a Taxi present

The Whale's Tale

Born in a Taxi

Due to current border restrictions,
the 2021 AWESOME Festival
season of The Whale's Tale has
been rescheduled to April 2022.

BORN IN A
TAXI



Ages:
3-12
VIC

A beached whale, a confused navigator, a ridiculous doctor... whatever could be the matter?

A highly interactive spectacle full of slapstick, clowning and a 9 metre whale puppet that can swallow you whole!

Watch out, you could be the whale's next snack... or become the hero of the story and live to tell the tale!

An environmental tale to warm the heart and inspire you to play your part in caring for our planet and the animals we share it with.

Co-commissioned by Arts Centre Melbourne and Windmill Theatre.

Dates & Times: Tues 19th - Sat 23rd April, 2022, 10am and 1pm daily

Venue: The NWS Shipping Theatre, Western Australian Maritime Museum, Fremantle

Duration: 50 Minutes

Cost: Adult: \$20, Junior (Under 14): \$15, Concession \$15, Companion \$0, Groups 6+ \$15

Tickets: [awesomearts.com/festival-program/](https://www.awesomearts.com/festival-program/) or phone (08) 9328 9666 during business hours

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Creativity at play!

Thanks to you, children and their families can get involved in creative learning at the 2021 AWESOME Festival.

By simply playing, you're helping to make an already great state, greater.

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*For your
dream state*

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Sensorium Theatre

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Storytelling

FREE Music

The 2021 AWESOME Festival
and Sensorium Theatre present

Sensory Storytelling

Sensorium Theatre

Sensorium Theatre's Sensory Storytelling provides children with disability and/or access needs and their families with a multi-sensory reading of their favourite stories and rhymes.

Through music and sensory play, everyone participates in these interactive sessions. Sensory Storytelling is suitable for children with a broad range of access needs, including those with profound disability and on the autism spectrum.



Dates & Times: Wed 29th Sept. 0-4 year olds - 9:30am,
11:45am. 4-8 year olds - 2pm

Venue: State Library of Western Australia

Duration: 45 Minutes

Cost: Child: \$5, Accompanying Adults: FREE

Tickets: [awesomearts.com/festival-program/](https://www.awesomearts.com/festival-program/)
or phone (08) 9328 9666 during business hours

2021 AWESOME Festival Closing Party

Perth Symphony Orchestra

FREE!

Featuring Summer from The Four Seasons by Vivaldi, popular songs arranged for orchestra, and various works from children's films, the Perth Symphony orchestra brings home the 2021 AWESOME Festival in a performance to delight the entire family. Known for its rule breaking attitude, unique energy, and ability to surprise and delight, prepare for the unexpected. Experience orchestral music like you've never heard it before. Bring your kids, bring your parents, or even bring your entire street for a magical orchestral experience like no other.

Dates & Times: Sat 2nd Oct,
2:15 pm

Venue: Perth Cultural Centre
Outdoor Stage, James Street
Amphitheatre

Cost: This performance is FREE!
No tickets needed, come
along early to get a good spot!





All Ages

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Florette - A Garden of Green

Anna Walker

Florette by Anna Walker shares the adventures of Mae, who moves from the country to the city. Mae misses the apple trees and daffodils - until she discovers a beautiful place of green in the centre of the city.

Explore Mae's garden in a creative installation developed with Anna Walker. Look for the frogs among the leaves, add to the wall of greenery, and nestle among the flowers for a story. Help create art and stories in a leafy forest.

Visit the Story Place Gallery (Mezzanine Floor) to see original watercolour artwork from *Florette* the picture book.

Anna Walker is the award winning author and illustrator of *Florette*, *Mr Huff*, *Lottie* and *Walter and Hello Jimmy!*

Dates & Times: 9am - 8pm Tues, Wed, Thur
Fri 9-5, Sat 10-5, Tues 28th
Sept 2021 - 16 Jan 2022

Venue: State Library of Western Australia,
Ground Floor Gallery and
The Story Place Gallery

Cost: FREE! No tickets needed

Exhibition & Free Activity

Graff My Train

Christopher Hummel

Artist in Residence

Christopher Hummel is a 19-year-old emerging artist from Perth's northern suburbs. Chris loves to virtually travel and 'go on holidays in my head' where he visits and admires different trains and their graffiti.

Christopher's works will be on display through an exhibition in the Studio Underground Foyer for the duration of the 2021 AWESOME Festival as the 2021 Artist in Residence.

Come along and take a virtual holiday with us!

Dates & Times: Tues 28th Sept - Sat 2nd Oct
10am - 3pm daily

Venue: Studio Underground Foyer,
State Theatre Centre of
Western Australia

Cost: FREE! No tickets needed



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All ages



Film

Big Screen, Little People, Free Films!



All ages

The 2021 AWESOME Festival is proud to present a selection of short films on the big screen for little people! This year's selection is sure to delight and captivate audiences young and old.

Dates & Times: Tues 28th Sept - Sat 2nd Oct
12pm - 3pm

Venue: Seagull Tent, Perth Cultural Centre

Cost: FREE! No tickets needed

LOOKING FOR AN AWESOME FAMILY ADVENTURE?

Discover a great range of exciting events and activities throughout the city this spring. You'll be sure to keep the kids busy!

1 NOSTALGIA BOX

See the interactive games area where kids can play classic video games.

thenostalgiabox.com.au

2 SCITECH

Explore the interactive exhibits or visit the Horizon Planetarium.

scitech.org.au

3 ART GALLERY OF WA

Discover a variety of free art based activities for the family these school holidays.

artgallery.wa.gov.au

4 YAGAN SQUARE

See the nature inspired play space overlooking the city or splash around in the water play area.

mra.wa.gov.au/projects-and-places/yagan-square

5 WELLINGTON SQUARE

Take a trip to Wellington Square and enjoy all that Koolangka Koolangka Waabiny Playground has for a full day of fun.

visitperth.com/see-and-do/parks-gardens-and-reserves

6 WA MUSEUM BOOLA BARDIP

Plan a visit to the WA Museum and view all the incredible collections on display.

visit.museum.wa.gov.au

7 THE PERTH MINT

See the world's largest coin or watch real gold being poured in the Melting House.

perthmint.com

8 CITY OF PERTH LIBRARY

Discover an entire level dedicated to kids. Plus, younger visitors can take part in Storytime and Rhymetime programs.

perth.wa.gov.au/living-community/city-perth-library

9 KINGS PARK

Explore unique playgrounds including the Rio Tinto Naturescape playground and climb the DNA Tower.

bgpa.wa.gov.au

10 THE ELIZABETH QUAY CAROUSEL

Experience the magic of a traditional Venetian carousel and explore all that Elizabeth Quay has to offer.

elizabethquaycarousel.com.au



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West Australian Opera in association
with the 2021 AWESOME Festival
present a Wesfarmers Arts Commission

Koolbardi wer Wardong



Aliwa yeyi! (Look out now!) Feathers will fly in this cautionary tale.

Koolbardi the Magpie and Wardong the Crow are two very proud, vain, jealous brothers. Watch as their cunning, rivalry and one-upmanship brings them unstuck in spectacular fashion.

Set on Noongar Boodja (the south west corner of Western Australia), we invite you to join us for a journey back to the Nyittingy, the time of Creation, where love, loyalty, betrayal and jealousy are all stretched to their limits. Because pride always comes before the fall.

Award winning songwriters and story tellers, Gina Williams and Guy Ghouse weave magic in a world first, brought to life under the deft direction of Matt Reuben James Ward. Experience the incredible beauty of the language of this land, as this production promises to delight audiences of all ages.

Composers: Gina Williams & Guy Ghouse

Conductor: Aaron Wyatt

Director: Matt Reuben James Ward

Featuring: Western Australian Young Voices and West Australian Youth Orchestra



Dates & Times: 2nd Oct 6:30pm, 5th Oct 3pm
(relaxed performance) & 6:30pm,
6th Oct 3pm & 6:30pm

Venue: His Majesty's Theatre

Duration: 60 Minutes, no interval

Language: Sung in Noongar with English Surtitles

Cost: A Reserve from \$40, B Reserve from \$35, C Reserve from \$30

Tickets: ptt.wa.gov.au or phone
(08) 6212 9292 during business hours

Relaxed Performances are for anyone who would benefit from a more relaxed environment – this can include but is not limited to people with autism, sensory sensitivities, learning disabilities, dementia as well as those living with anxiety or who have experienced trauma.

Schedule

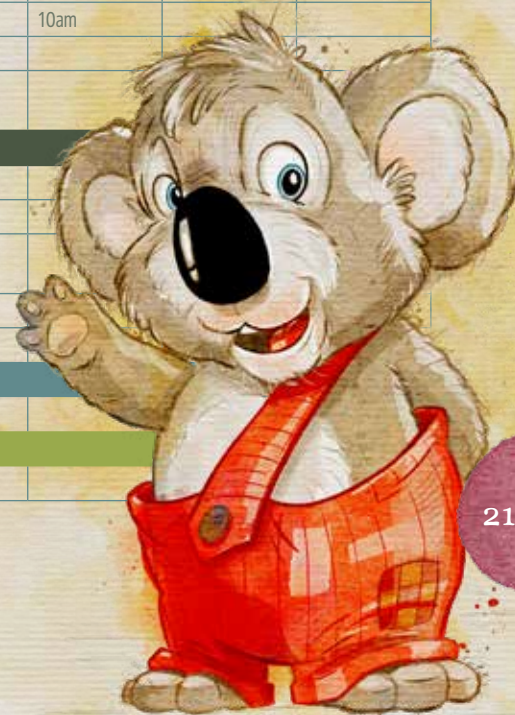


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All Ages										
Public Art Tours		25		10:30am			10:30am			
2021 AWESOME Festival Closing Party - Perth Symphony Orchestra	Music	15						2pm		
Graff My Train - Chris Hummel Artist in Residence	Visual Arts Exhibition	17		10am - 3pm	10am - 3pm	10am - 3pm	10am - 3pm	10am - 3pm		
Peter and the Wolf	Ballet	12		11am	11am	11am	11am	11am		
Koolbardi wer Wardong	Opera	19						6:30pm	3pm & 6:30pm	3pm & 6:30pm
Little Impressions Exhibition	Exhibition	30		9:30am-3pm	9:30am-3pm	9:30am-3pm	9:30am-3pm	9:30am-3pm		
Creative Challenge Exhibition	Exhibition	30		9:30am-3pm	9:30am-3pm	9:30am-3pm	9:30am-3pm	9:30am-3pm		
Big Screen, Little People, Free Films!	Films	17		12pm-3pm	12pm-3pm	12pm-3pm	12pm-3pm	12pm-3pm		
Florette - A Garden of Green	Exhibition	16		9am - 8pm	9am - 8pm	9am - 8pm	9am-5pm	10am - 5pm		
The Story Circle with Saraswati Mahavidhyalaya (SMV)	Storytelling	28					10:30am			
The Story Circle with Alton Walley	Storytelling	28			10:30am					
The Story Circle with Mararo Wangai & Mahamudo Selimane	Storytelling	28				10:30am				
Let's get Lit(erate) Gameshow	Literature/ Performance	29						10am		
Story Time Take Over with Alton Walley	Literature	27				10:30am				
Sensory Storytelling	Literature	15			9:30am, 11:45am, 2pm					
Better Beginnings Books-To-Go				9:30am-3pm	9:30am-3pm	9:30am-3pm	9:30am-3pm	10am-3pm		
Shine with Ruth de Vos	Storytelling	26					11:30am			
Backyard Bugs with Helen Milroy	Storytelling/ Exhibition	27				9:30am				
Ask me Anything	Panel Event	31		10am						
Pop-Up Activities	Activities	25	9:30am - 2:30pm	9:30am - 2:30pm	9:30am - 2:30pm	9:30am - 2:30pm	9:30am - 2:30pm	9:30am - 2:30pm		
Crafty Nannas	Activities	25	9:30am - 2:30pm	9:30am - 2:30pm	9:30am - 2:30pm	9:30am - 2:30pm	9:30am - 2:30pm	9:30am - 2:30pm		
Ages 2 and Up										
Where do the Stars Go? With Katie Stewart	Literature	26				11:30am				



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Ages 4 and Up										
Hiccup!	Theatre	9		12pm & 2pm	12pm & 2pm	12pm & 2pm	12pm & 2pm	12pm & 2pm		
Blinky Bill is on the Loose!	Theatre	6	10.30am & 1pm	12:30pm	12:30pm	12:30pm	12:30pm	12:30pm		
Erik the Book Buddy	Literature	27		10:30am						
Ages 5 and Up										
Indigo Sand	Theatre	7		11am	11am	11am	11am	11am		
Roald Dahl's Little Red Riding Hood	Music	11		12:30pm	12:30pm	12:30pm	12:30pm	12:30pm		
Model Magic Memories with Addam	Workshop	22						10am		
Australian Critters Bunting with Vanessa Lombardo	Workshop	24					9:30am			
African Dance with Isaac Adebisi	Workshop	24				11:45am				
Ages 7 and Up										
ARCO	Theatre	7		1pm	1pm	1pm	1pm	1pm		
Cloud Nine	Music	10					10am	10am		
Beneath The Trees with Cristy Burne	Literature	26				11:30am				
Meet the Author: Meg McKinlay & Luke Kerridge	Literature	27		11:30am						
Ages 8 and Up										
3D Painting with Nathan Hoyle	Workshop	23					1pm			
Encyclopedia Postcards with Claire Davenhall	Workshop	22		9:30am						
Owl Tote, a fabric printing workshop with Nicola Cowie	Workshop	23		1:30pm						
The Art of Clowning with Hardey McMurrick	Workshop	23				1:30pm				
Illustration with James Foley	Workshop	22			1:30pm		1:30pm			
Ages 9 and Up										
Acting 101 with Elouise Martin	Workshop	22			1:30pm					
Ages 10 and Up										
Relief Paper Sculptures with Holly Pepper	Workshop	24				1pm				



All Workshop
Tickets: \$20.50

Tickets:
awesomearts.com or
phone (08) 9328 9666
during business hours

Acting 101 with Elouise Martin

Dive into the awesome world of acting with Elouise. From creating a character and choosing a scene, to learning how to get up and perform like a superstar. Participants will leave this fun workshop feeling energised, after experiencing adventure through acting.

Ages: 9+



Dates & Times: Wed 29th Sept
1:30pm
Venue: Great Southern Room,
State Library of
Western Australia

Duration: 90 minutes

Encyclopedia Postcard Workshop with Claire Davenhall

Using world book encyclopedias and your imagination, create a collage of a world you want to escape to, or a place you want to escape from. Turn your collage into a postcard and share its story in the form of an imagined experience written to your future or past self!

Ages: 8+



Dates & Times: Tues 28th Sept
9:30am
Venue: Education Room,
State Library of
Western Australia
Duration: 60 minutes

Workshops

Illustration with James Foley

An-thro-po-morph-ism' (noun): giving human characteristics to something that isn't human, e.g. drawing a duck playing the bagpipes, or a pig driving a bulldozer, or a flamingo that's the president.

Join local author/illustrator James Foley for a wild and wacky drawing workshop, where you'll learn how to draw your own anthropomorphic animal characters.

Plus, get a sneak peek at his brand new upcoming picture book, *Stellarphant*, which features an elephant who wants to become an astronaut.

Ages: 8+

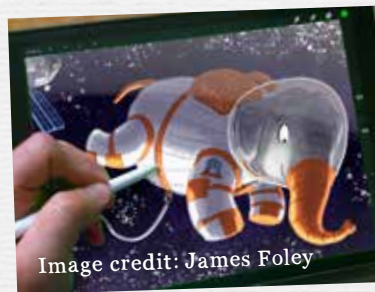


Image credit: James Foley

Dates & Times: Wed 29th Sept and
Fri 1st Oct, 1:30pm
Venue: Education Room,
State Library of
Western Australia

Duration: 60 minutes

Model Magic Memories with Addam

Create an artwork that is bursting out of the frame in an explosion of vibrant colour. Come squish, smooth and roll your clay magic to create a bold, bright artwork which is framed and ready to display.

Use your imagination to tell a visual story to recreate a special moment, an experience or a feeling.

Little artists will need to bring their own frame, up to 20cm X 20cm.

Ages: 5+



Image credit: Addam

Dates & Times: Sat 2nd Oct,
10am
Venue: Education Room,
State Library of
Western Australia

Duration: 60 minutes

3D Painting with Nathan Hoyle

Mix and match colours, shapes and sizes as you paint and assemble your unique artwork. You'll be using spray paint, stencils, wood, glue and your own ideas as you make your painting, which will become a bright and beautiful masterpiece for you to take home.

Ages: 8+



Image credit: Nathan Hoyle

Dates & Times: Fri 1st Oct, 1pm
Venue: The Red Tent, Perth Cultural Centre
Duration: 90 minutes

The Art of Clowning with Hardey McMurrick

What does it take to be a clown? Crazy clothes? Being funny? Being silly? Well all of this and so much more! In The Art of Clowning children will discover how to play like a clown, how to create funny characters, the classic clown roles and how they relate to each other, how to perform a clown routine and even how to create one!

Ages: 8+



Dates & Times: Thurs 30th Sept, 1:30pm
Venue: Great Southern Room, State Library of Western Australia
Duration: 90 minutes

Owl Tote, A Fabric Printing Workshop

Join award-winning artist Nicola Cowie to print a cotton tote bag with your own carved linocut stamp.

Nicola is a professional printmaker who will show you how to safely carve a rubber block and how to use it as a fabric stamp. Linocut blocks will be pre-drawn with one of Nicola's owl designs.

Exploring repeat pattern and printing techniques which you can continue with at home using your stamp on t-shirts and cards to match your new bag.

Ages: 8+



Dates & Times: Tues 28th Sept, 1:30pm
Venue: Education Room, State Library of Western Australia
Duration: 60 minutes

All Workshop Tickets: \$20.50

Tickets: awesomearts.com or
phone (08) 9328 9666 during
business hours

African Dance with Isaac Adebisi

Isaac's fun-tastic Afro Dance class will bring energy to children in a mood-boosting session. You will learn popular African dances like Gwara in South Africa to Tanzania's Kanyaga. This workshop is a journey that allows participants to experience dance through energy and movement.

Ages: 5+



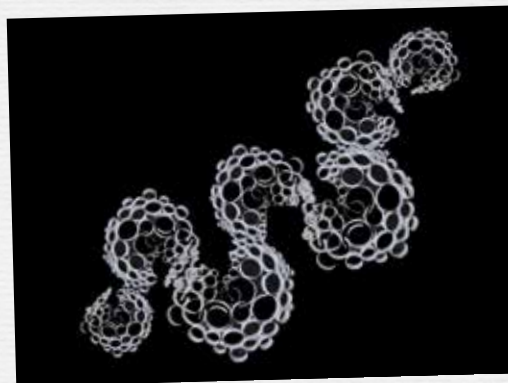
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Dates & Times: Thur 30th Sept,
11:45am
Venue: Red Tent, Perth Cultural Centre
Duration: 60 minutes

Relief Paper Sculptures with Holly Pepper

Through this workshop participants will gain an understanding of the benefits of conceptualising ideas and modelling sculptural forms from paper. This hands-on workshop will enable children to develop relief paper sculptures by creating repetitive shapes with paper and hot glue guns.

Ages: 10+



Dates & Times: Thur 30th Sept,
1pm
Venue: Geographe Room,
State Library of Western Australia
Duration: 90 minutes

Workshops

Australian Critters Bunting with Vanessa Lombardo

Create your own bunting featuring amazing Australian Critters in this hands-on workshop.

From learning how to use a foam printing plate to print their designs onto rainbow bunting, be part of the process from beginning to end! You will get to take home your own rainbow Australian Critter Bunting to hang up at home!

Ages: 5+



Dates & Times: Fri 1st Oct,
9:30am
Venue: Red Tent, Perth Cultural Centre
Duration: 90 minutes

All ages
WA



Image credit: Richard Watson

AWESOME Free Pop-Up Activities

The AWESOME Festival is well known for its range of exciting and delighting pop-up activities. You're sure to be surprised each day with a range of activities to discover, create and explore. Featuring the famous 'Crafty Nannas' these activities are the perfect way to release some creativity.

Keep your eyes peeled for these activities all over the festival!

Dates & Times: Mon 27th Sept - Sat 2nd Oct, 9:30am - 2:30pm
Venue: Perth Cultural Centre
Cost: Free! No bookings required

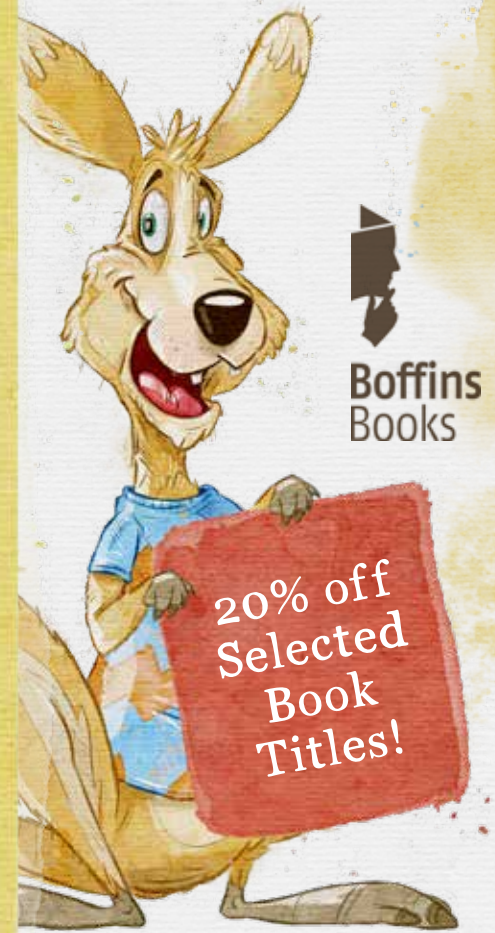
Public Art Tours

Join our AWESOME Festival tour guide Alan for an adventure to discover some of the most exciting and interesting public art in our city. Little and big people alike are sure to love going on this art hunt!

Dates & Times: Tues 28th Sept, 10:30am, Fri 1st Oct, 10:30am
Venue: Meet at the AWESOME Ticket Booth, Perth Cultural Centre
Cost: Free! Registration necessary
Registration: awesomearts.com/festival-program/ or phone (08) 9328 9666 during business hours

Boffins Bookshop

Our friends at Boffins are back at the AWESOME Festival with their Bookshop this year! You will be able to find books from the featured authors of the festival with some at special discounted prices. A few of our amazing authors will even be signing books during the festival!



All Literature Events

Cost: Adult/Child: \$12, Family of 5: \$40
 Tickets: awesomearts.com or phone
 (08) 9328 9666 during business hours
 Duration: 60 Minutes

Shine Ruth de Vos

It's the little moments that help a family SHINE. Little ones are invited to bring along their families for a live reading of SHINE, a warm-hearted look at family life. Followed by a guided illustration and colouring experience with Illustrator Ruth de Vos.



Ages: 0+

Dates & Times: Fri 1st Oct, 11:30am
Venue: C.U.B.S. Cubby, AKA Discovery Zone, State Library of Western Australia

Where do the Stars go? Katie Stewart

Ever wondered what happens to the stars during the daytime? So did Possum and his friends. Join WA author Katie Stewart for an intimate live reading of her new book *Where do the Stars Go?* A playful story about curiosity and the world around us. You will even get to go on a treasure hunt for your very own star!



Ages: 2+

Dates & Times: Thur 30th Sept, 11:30am
Venue: C.U.B.S. Cubby, AKA Discovery Zone, State Library of Western Australia

Literature

Beneath the Trees Cristy Burne

Science, nature, and creativity often go hand in hand... Come along and get lost in the rainforest as local WA author and all-round science whiz Cristy Burne talks about her new book *Beneath the Trees*, a squishy, squelchy, slime filled look at what it means to be responsible, whilst lost in a rainforest. Then learn how to turn fact into fiction, or a question into a plot. Bring along a nature based fun fact and a science question for some fun activities.



Ages: 7+

Dates & Times: Thur 30th Sept, 11:30am
Venue: Education Room, State Library of Western Australia

Story Time Takeover

Alton Walley

Come and listen to WA Author Alton Walley read his stories for young people, full of culture, heart and some cheeky Australian animals. Expect to hear about Yonga the Kangaroo and Waitch the Emu and their friendships or Norn the Snake and the bushland animals.

Ages: All Ages

Dates & Times: Thur 30th Sept, 10:30am
Venue: The Story Place, State Library of Western Australia

Duration: 60 Minutes
Cost: FREE! No tickets needed



Story Time Takeover with Erik the Book Buddy

Kelly and Sam Pilgrim-Byrne

Erik the Book Buddy dog needs your help to read some of his favourite stories. Join Erik and his handler in a fun, relaxed session where children get a one-on-one session to read out loud to Erik and together, they can become confident readers with a love for stories.

Erik will be available for a meet and greet prior to kicking off the one-on-one sessions.

Ages:
4+



Dates & Times: Tues 28th Sept, 9:30am - 12pm
Venue: The Story Place, State Library of Western Australia

Duration: 2.5 Hrs, 20 Mins story time, followed by 10-Min sessions with Erik.

Cost: FREE! No tickets needed

Tickets: awesomearts.com or phone (08) 9328 9666 during business hours

Backyard Bugs with Helen Milroy

Helen Milroy

Join Helen Milroy on a creepy crawly fantastical look at all the bugs found in our very own backyard. Come explore an exhibition of Helen's artwork, and listen to a live reading of her wonderful new book, *Backyard Bugs*, a picture book for little ones to learn all about bugs. You will get to build your own bug to add to the backyard after the reading.

Ages:
All Ages



Dates & Times: Thur 30th Sept, 9:30am
Venue: WA Museum Boola Bardip, 3rd Floor
Duration: 60 Minutes
Cost: Adult/Child: \$12, Family of 5: \$40
Tickets: awesomearts.com or phone (08) 9328 9666 during business hours

Meet the Author: Meg McKinlay

Luke Kerridge + Meg McKinlay

Do you love night time voyages on the ocean, unexpected but perfect presents, and your family? So do Bella and her restless house. Come along with your grandparent to meet author Meg McKinlay as she talks with Luke Kerridge about her new book *Bella and the Voyaging House*. followed by a guided session where you can create your own travelling house adventure with a customised story map.

Grandparents are encouraged to join their grandchildren on this special adventure!

Ages: 7 +



Dates & Times: Tues 28th Sept, 11:30am
Venue: Discovery Lounge, State Library of Western Australia
Duration: 60 Minutes
Cost: Adult/Child: \$12, Family of 5: \$40, Grandparents Free
Tickets: awesomearts.com or phone (08) 9328 9666 during business hours

The Story Circle with...



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Mararo Wangai and Mahamudo Selimane

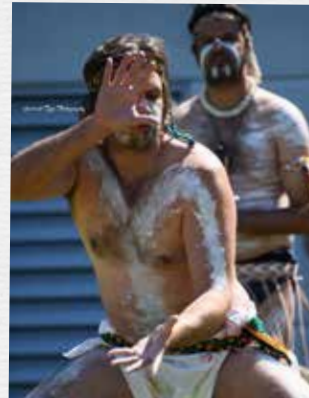
Join the circle as performer and storyteller Mararo Wangai takes you on a soulful journey with a re-telling of an African folk tale inspired by the renowned Nigerian writer Chinua Achebe. Accompanied by musician Mahamudo Selimane, for a performative story telling session like no other.

Dates & Times: Thurs 30th Sept, 10:30am
Venue: Undercroft Circle, WA Museum Boola Bardip
Duration: 30 Minutes
Cost: FREE! No tickets needed

Alton Walley

Come along and join Noongar author and storyteller Alton Walley in a free live story performance.

Yonga and Waitch tells the story of two friends, Yonda the Kangaroo and Waitch the Emu. Two animals of the Australian bushland that were dealt different hands in life. Their friendship is put to the test when one of them grows weary of their circumstances and plots a devious plan.



Dates & Times: Wed 29th Sept, 10:30am
Venue: Undercroft Circle, WA Museum Boola Bardip
Duration: 30 Minutes
Cost: FREE! No tickets needed

Saraswati Mahavidhyalaya (SMV)

Come join our story circle, a free live storytelling performance for the whole family to enjoy. Sit and listen as SMV guides you on a journey with their performative story telling using dance, music and narration.



Dates & Times: Tues 28th Sept, 10:30am
Venue: Undercroft Circle, WA Museum Boola Bardip
Duration: 30 Minutes
Cost: FREE! No tickets needed

The 2021 AWESOME Festival Presents

Let's get Lit(erate) Gameshow!

*Luke Joseph Ryan, Wyatt Nixon-Lloyd,
James Foley, Charlotte Otton, Kelly Canby*

Come along and watch some of Perth's best authors and improvisors compete for the top spot of Lit-Master in a live gameshow, hosted by Luke Joseph Ryan. Join author and illustrator James Foley, performer and improvisor Charlotte Otton, improvisor and performer Wyatt Nixon-Lloyd, and illustrator Kelly Canby and two young literature enthusiasts as they compete in a series of literature themed games. Watch out, they may call on some audience members for help to win the grand prize!

Dates & Times: Sat 2nd Oct 10am
Venue: Theatre, State Library of Western Australia
Duration: 60 Minutes
Cost: \$15 Adult/Child \$50 Family of 5
Tickets: [awesomearts.com](https://www.awesomearts.com) or phone (08) 9328 9666 during business hours

All ages



Exhibition

All ages

Little Impressions

Postcards help families and friends stay connected when they can't see each other.

COVID has put a hold on physical travel around the globe to connect with people, culture, and architecture. This year, AWESOME encouraged schools from all over the state to go on a virtual holiday, anywhere in the world, learn about the local sights, history and people, design a postcard and send it to display at the 2021 AWESOME Festival.

You may not be able to travel the world, but with a little bit of imagination, this display might just take you somewhere new!



Image credit: Brianna Wotzko

Creative Challenge 'Gathering'

All ages
WA

What does Gathering mean to you?

Celebrating the resilience and importance of community throughout Western Australia, the 2021 Creative Challenge Program has visited schools in rural, remote and metro Western Australia. As AWESOME's Artist in Residence program, Creative Challenge engages children and young people in process driven art that focuses on sharing their stories.

Outcomes from these residencies will be showcased throughout the Festival, showing the unique experiences of children across the state, through the lens of 'Gathering'.

Dates: Tues 28th Sept - Sat 2nd Oct

Venue: Perth Cultural Centre

Cost: FREE! No bookings needed

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As part of the State Library of Western Australia's Disrupted Festival of Ideas, the 2021 AWESOME Festival presents

Ask Me Anything!

We've invited some of our local leaders to join us at the State Library of WA to answer your burning questions.

If you are under 12 years old and you have a question that you'd like to ask, feel free to send it to us at: admin@awesomearts.com by close of business, Tuesday 21st Sept.

If your question is selected, you'll be our special guest at this event. We can't wait to hear from you!

Dates & Times: Tues 28th Sept, 10am

Venue: Theatre, State Library of Western Australia

Duration: 60 Minutes

Cost: FREE! Register via [awesomearts.com](https://www.awesomearts.com)



Professor Helen Milroy, Perth Children's Hospital Foundation Professor in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, State Recipient, Australian of the Year



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Patrick Gorman MP, Federal Member for Perth



Professor Peter Klinken AC, Chief Scientist of Western Australia

Schedules

Monday 27th September

	Genre	Page	Time
All Ages			
Pop-Up Activities	Activities	25	9:30am - 2:30pm
Ages 4 and Up			
Blinky Bill is on the Loose!	Theatre	6	10.30am & 1pm

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Flavour of the Festival

Our friends at **Chicho Gelato** are bringing more Blinky Bill Magic to the festival, with their Blinky Bill Blueberry Marshmallow Gelato!



Available for a short time only, be sure to try out this delicious treat from the gelato cart in the Perth Cultural Centre or their store on William Street.



Tuesday 28th September

	Genre	Page	Time
All Ages			
Public Art Tours	Activities	25	10:30am
Graff My Train - Chris Hummel Artist in Residence	Visual Arts Exhibition	17	10am - 3pm
Peter and the Wolf	Ballet	12	11am
Little Impressions Exhibition	Exhibition	30	9:30am-3pm
Creative Challenge Exhibition	Exhibition	30	9:30am-3pm
Big Screen, Little People, Free Films!	Films	17	12pm-3pm
Florette - A Garden of Green	Exhibition	16	9am - 8pm
Better Beginnings Books to Go			9:30am-3pm
Ask me Anything	Panel Event	31	10am
Pop-Up Activities	Activities	25	9:30am - 2:30pm
Crafty Nannas	Activities	25	9:30am - 2:30pm

	Genre	Page	Time
Ages 4 and Up			
Hiccup!	Theatre	9	12pm & 2pm
Blinky Bill is on the Loose!	Theatre	6	12.30pm
Erik the Book Buddy	Literature	27	10:30am
Ages 5 and Up			
Indigo Sand	Theatre	7	11am
Roald Dahl's Little Red Riding Hood	Music	11	12.30pm
Ages 7 and Up			
ARCO	Theatre	7	1pm
Meet the Author: Meg McKinlay & Luke Kerridge	Literature	27	11:30am
Ages 8 and Up			
Encyclopedia Postcards with Claire Davenhall	Workshop	22	9:30am
Owl Tote, a fabric printing workshop with Nicola Cowie	Workshop	23	1:30pm

Wednesday 29th September



	Genre	Page	Time
All Ages			
Graff My Train - Chris Hummel Artist in Residence	Visual Arts Exhibition	17	10am - 3pm
Peter and the Wolf	Ballet	12	11am
Little Impressions Exhibition	Exhibition	30	9:30am-3pm
Creative Challenge Exhibition	Exhibition	30	9:30am-3pm
Big Screen, Little People, Free Films!	Films	17	12pm-3pm
Florette - A Garden of Green	Exhibition	16	9am - 8pm
The Story Circle with Alton Walley	Storytelling	28	10:30am
Sensory Storytelling	Literature	15	9.30am, 11:45am, 2pm
Better Beginnings Books-to-Go			9:30am-3pm
Pop-Up Activities	Activities	25	9:30am - 2:30pm
Crafty Nannas	Activities	25	9:30am - 2:30pm

	Genre	Page	Time
Ages 4 and Up			
Hiccup!	Theatre	9	12pm & 2pm
Blinky Bill is on the Loose!	Theatre	6	12.30pm
Ages 5 and Up			
Indigo Sand	Theatre	7	11am
Roald Dahl's Little Red Riding Hood	Music	11	12.30pm
Ages 7 and Up			
ARCO	Theatre	7	1pm
Ages 8 and Up			
Illustration with James Foley	Workshop	22	1:30pm
Ages 9 and Up			
Acting 101 with Louise Martin	Workshop	22	1:30pm



Thursday 30th September

	Genre	Page	Time
All Ages			
Graff My Train - Chris Hummel Artist in Residence	Visual Arts Exhibition	17	10am - 3pm
Peter and the Wolf	Ballet	12	11am
Little Impressions Exhibition	Exhibition	30	9:30am-3pm
Creative Challenge Exhibition	Exhibition	30	9:30am-3pm
Big Screen, Little People, Free Films!	Films	17	12pm-3pm
Florette - A Garden of Green	Exhibition	16	9am - 8pm
The Story Circle with Mararo Wangai & Mahamudo Selimane	Storytelling	28	10:30am
Story Time Take Over with Alton Walley	Literature	27	10:30am
Better Beginnings Books-to-Go			9:30am-3pm
Backyard Bugs with Helen Milroy	Storytelling/ Exhibition	27	9:30am
Pop-Up Activities	Activities	25	9:30am - 2:30pm
Crafty Nannas	Activities	25	9:30am - 2:30pm

	Genre	Page	Time
Ages 2 and Up			
Where do the Stars Go? with Katie Stewart	Literature	26	11:30am
Ages 4 and Up			
Hiccup!	Theatre	9	12pm & 2pm
Blinky Bill is on the Loose!	Theatre	6	12:30pm
Ages 5 and Up			
Indigo Sand	Theatre	7	11am
Roald Dahl's Little Red Riding Hood	Music	11	12:30pm
African Dance with Isaac Adebisi	Workshop	23	11:45am
Ages 7 and Up			
ARCO	Theatre	7	1pm
Beneath The Trees with Cristy Burne	Literature	26	11:30am
Ages 8 and Up			
Clowning with Hardey McMurrick	Workshop	23	1:30pm
Ages 10 and Up			
Relief Paper Sculptures with Holly Pepper	Workshop	24	1pm

Friday 1st October



Genre Page Time

All Ages			
Public Art Tours	Activities	25	10:30am
Graff My Train - Chris Hummel Artist in Residency	Visual Arts Exhibition	17	10am - 3pm
Peter and the Wolf	Ballet	12	11am
Little Impressions Exhibition	Exhibition	30	9:30am-3pm
Creative Challenge Exhibition	Exhibition	30	9:30am-3pm
The Story Circle with SMV	Storytelling	28	10:30am
Big Screen, Little People, Free Films!	Films	15	12pm-3pm
Florette - A Garden of Green	Exhibition	16	9am-5pm
Better Beginnings Books to Go			9:30am-3pm
Shine with Ruth de Vos	Storytelling	26	11:30am
Pop-Up Activities	Activities	25	9:30am - 2:30pm
Crafty Nannas	Activities	25	9:30am - 2:30pm
Ages 4 and Up			
Hiccup!	Theatre	9	12pm & 2pm
Blinky Bill is on the Loose!	Theatre	6	9.30am, 12:30pm

Genre Page Time

Ages 5 and Up			
Indigo Sand	Theatre	7	11am
Roald Dahl's Little Red Riding Hood	Music	11	12:30pm
Australian Critters Bunting with Vanessa Lombardo	Workshop	24	9:30am
Ages 7 and Up			
ARCO	Theatre	13	1pm
Cloud Nine	Music	10	10am
Ages 8 and Up			
3D Painting with Nathan Hoyle	Workshop	23	1pm
Illustration with James Foley	Workshop	22	1:30pm



Saturday 2nd October

	Genre	Page	Time
All Ages			
2021 AWESOME Festival Closing Party Perth Symphony Orchestra	Music	15	
Graff My Train - Chris Hummel Artist in Residence	Visual Arts Exhibition	17	10am - 3pm
Peter and the Wolf	Ballet	12	11am
Koolbardi wer Wardong	Opera	19	6:30pm
Little Impressions Exhibition	Exhibition	30	9:30am-3pm
Creative Challenge Exhibition	Exhibition	30	9:30am-3pm
Model Magic Memories with Addam	Workshop	22	10am
Big Screen, Little People, Free Films!	Films	15	12pm-3pm
Florette - A Garden of Green	Exhibition	16	10am - 5pm
Let's get Lit(erate) Gameshow	Literature/ Performance	29	10:00am
Better Beginnings Books to Go			10am-3pm
Pop-Up Activities	Activities	25	9:30am - 2:30pm
Crafty Nannas	Activities	25	9:30am - 2:30pm

	Genre	Page	Time
Ages 4 and Up			
Hiccup!	Theatre	9	12pm & 2pm
Blinky Bill is on the Loose!	Theatre	6	12:30pm
Ages 5 and Up			
Indigo Sand	Theatre	7	11am
Roald Dahl's Little Red Riding Hood	Music	11	12:30pm
Ages 7 and Up			
ARCO	Theatre	7	1pm
Cloud Nine	Music	10	10am

Closing Days

	Genre	Page	Tuesday 5th October	Wednesday 6th October
All Ages				
Koolbardi wer Wardong	Opera	19	3pm & 6:30pm	3pm & 6:30pm



Volunteer With Us!

Volunteers are the lifeblood of the AWESOME Festival, and we are always on the hunt for superstar volunteers! If you want to gain industry experience while sharing your passion for events and the arts, volunteering at the AWESOME Festival is a great way to give back to the community. With various volunteer roles available, every day at the festival brings an opportunity for something new!

If you're looking to learn new skills, gain industry experience or have some fun on your day off, express your interest today! (Ages 15+)

Email: volunteer@awesomearts.com

School Excursions

AWESOME Day Out!

Is your school looking for a quality arts excursions? An AWESOME Day Out is the way to go.

Our flexible excursion program designed to engage and inspire Bright Young Things, is available during the final week of Term 3.

We can design an excursion that suits the needs of your students and your budget. Email admin@awesomearts.com or call us on (08) 9328 9666 for more information on our packages.

Excursion Bookings include:

- Theatre Performance
- Tour of pop-up activities and exhibitions
- Excursion Management Plan
- Curriculum-linked resources
- Artist-led workshops

Dates: Mon 20th - Fri 24th Sept

Venue: Perth Cultural Centre, Northbridge

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