



# REDBRIDGE DRAMA CENTRE

Spring 2020

## **Happy New Year! Welcome to the '20's!**

We are so excited to bring our Spring Season to you from here and at the Kenneth More Theatre. Once again we are proud to produce a wide range of artists both established and new, bringing entertainment to our community. From Paddington to Marvel to Madagascar there is no end to the journeys we can carry your imagination to with the magic of theatre and film. As ever we are continually expanding our opportunities to develop your creative skills through even more classes and workshops and our holiday provision grows year on year. This is your theatre and the team and I work hard to make sure that we are providing something for everyone. If you have any suggestions for things you would like to see or do then please do not hesitate to come in for a chat. There is always a smiley face in the train waiting to see what 'station' you want to go to! Looking forward to seeing you soon.

Sally Polden  
Head Of Centre





## **Redbridge Drama Centre**

**Churchfields, South Woodford, E18 2RB**

### **Getting Here**

The nearest underground station is South Woodford which is on the Central Line. It is a 15 minute walk from the station.

Buses 179,123,144,W13,  
all stop nearby.

Limited parking is available in the street during the daytime. Please let us know if you need a disabled parking space.

We are a fully accessible building.

### **Ticket prices**

(except where otherwise stated)

£10.00 Full price

£8.50 Concessions


Family shows all tickets £8.50

### **How To Book**

Book online at:

[www.redbridgedramacentre.co.uk](http://www.redbridgedramacentre.co.uk)

Call our Box Office: 020 8708 8803



Tuesday 28th January 7pm  
For ages 7 years+  
**All Tickets £5**

Redbridge Drama Centre and Lenna Rosenberg present

# Where Is Victor?

As part of the remembrance and reflection ceremonies taking place during Holocaust Memorial Week, Redbridge Drama Centre are proud to present a short play written by Lenna Rosenberg, former head teacher of Clore Tikva School, depicting the journey of a Jewish Child Survivor who endures the Warsaw Ghetto.

The play was inspired by visits to the Ghetto Fighters Museum in Northern Israel, to the Yad Vashem World Holocaust Memorial Centre in Jerusalem, and Auschwitz. This complex subject motivates pupils to deal with their emotional development and further their understanding of this tragic period through poetry, art and drama workshops. Pupils will be encouraged to create scenarios and interpret their feelings in a creative form led by experienced workshop facilitator David Alexander. For booking and availability please call us on 020 8708 8803.



Wednesday 22nd & Thursday 23rd January

1.30pm & 5pm

**All Tickets £8.50**

For ages 3 years+



# ARTHUR'S DREAM BOAT



One night, Arthur has an amazing dream about a beautiful pink and green boat with a stripy mast. He can't wait to tell everyone about it but no one (not even his dog!) is interested. In fact, they don't even notice that this very same boat is growing on his head, getting larger and larger by the minute! Soon, Arthur is bouncing along the waves in his very own dream boat. Maybe now his family will listen to him! A magical playful children's show with breathtaking puppets, so enchanting that everyone will want to sail away with Arthur in his dream boat!

Friday 24th January 1.30pm & 8pm  
All tickets £18 For ages 13 years+

KatMary Productions Presents



The game's Bond – just Bond!

A fully immersive dining show where the audience are transported into a slapstick, cartoon-esque parody. Featuring the much-loved characters in an adventuresome romp through the clichés of the movies adored by millions. Theatre meets vendetta, meets dinner show as our hero tries to unravel who's out to get him - and why!

With four actors playing more than 20 characters; expect lots of laughs, LOADS of costume changes and buckle up for the smallest car chase in history!

All tickets include a fish and chip meal- vegetarian option available on request.

Wednesday 29th January 12pm

**Tickets:** £12.50 in advance/ £15 on the door



Having a baby no longer means saying good-bye to enjoying the best live comedy stars from the circuit and TV. We are pleased to be teaming up with Redbridge Drama Centre to give the mums and dads of South Woodford the chance to come and enjoy the best comedians around (and maybe a cheeky G&T) ...without worrying about childcare!

Our shows are something totally new and different. As well as being an awesome night out during the day, we also have soft flooring, toys and more for baby...and plenty of buggy parking, baby changing and helping hands to make everyone's day out easy and worry-free.

15 month age limit

Thursday 30th January 12pm  
All tickets £5

# The Good Company Film Club

Come and join the The Good Company Film Club. Watch films projected on the big screen and then join us for tea, coffee and biscuits afterwards.

**All tickets £5**  
**All films at 11am**



**PADDINGTON (PG)** - Adapted from Michael Bond's beloved books, PADDINGTON follows the comic misadventures of a polite young Peruvian bear with a passion for all things British, who travels to London in search of a home. Produced by David Heyman (The Harry Potter series) PADDINGTON, is a timeless and universal story written and directed by Paul King.

Programme supported by Film Hub London, managed by Film London. Proud to be a partner of the BFI Film Audience Network, funded by the National Lottery.

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**Thursday 20th February 1.30pm & 8pm**  
**All tickets £18**      **For ages 13 years+**



Cluedo meets Agatha Christie in a classical and classically hilarious murder mystery dinner. A loving parody which places YOU in the centre of the action. The clock is ticking. Watch the action unfold, examine your clue packs closely and interrogate your suspects in time to reveal the murderer. Will it be elementary? Or down to Sheer Luck?

All tickets include a fish and chip meal- vegetarian option available on request.

Thursday 27th February 8pm  
For ages 12 years+

The worlds premier nerd-culture comedy double -act,  
The Just Us League, present their smash hit show

## **MARVELus: All the MARVEL Movies... Kind Of.**



Squeezing (almost) all the MARVEL movies into an action-packed evening of laughs, their short punchy sketches and high-energy style will delight the whole gamut of MARVEL fans; from those that have seen just one movie to mega-aficionados who know the MARVEL universe inside out. It's weapons-free comedy that takes no prisoners. Like your super-hero movies? You'll love this.

Sunday 8th March 5pm  
For ages 7 years+

Lucy Stevens and Elizabeth Marcus present

# Virginia Woolf: Killing the Angel

*"Killing the Angel in the House ... Had I not killed her she would have killed me."*

Virginia Woolf: Killing the Angel is a new one-woman play with music that weaves the life of Virginia Woolf, as expressed in her own words, with music and songs by female composers who were her contemporaries - much of which is out of print and rarely performed. Through Woolf's writing, it reveals her troubled childhood and her views on literature, the Bloomsbury group, the challenges women face as artists and how women's work has been omitted from histories of music and the arts.



'Virginia Woolf: Killing the Angel' is the latest collaboration between professional actor and classical singer, Lucy Stevens and pianist Elizabeth Marcus, a Fellow and Professor of Harpsichord at Guildhall School of Music, following their previous acclaimed plays about women in music: *Ethel Smyth: Grasp The Nettle*, *Kathleen Ferrier Whattalife!* And *Shakespeare In Song*

Friday 13th and Saturday 14th March 7pm  
**All tickets £8.50** For ages 4 years+

Redbridge Musical Theatre Workshop presents

Book by  
Kevin Del Aguila

Original Music and Lyrics by  
George Noriega &  
Joel Someillan



Based on the DreamWorks Animation Motion Picture  
Take a journey out of the zoo and onto the stage with your favourite  
crack-a-lackin' friends brought to life by our talented  
Musical Theatre Workshop members.

This amateur production is presented by arrangement with  
Music Theatre International (Europe)

All authorised performance materials are also supplied by MTI Europe

Wednesday 18th, Thursday 19th & Friday 20th March 8pm

*To also be performed at Theatre Royal Stratford on 24th March 7pm*

For ages 13 years+

National  
Theatre

**Connections**

**2020**

Redbridge Youth Theatre Workshop presents

# The IT

**by Vivienne Franzmann**

THE IT is a play about a teenage girl who has something growing inside her. She doesn't know what it is, but she knows it's not a baby. It expands in her body. It starts in her stomach, but quickly outgrows that, until eventually it takes over the entirety of her insides. It has claws. She feels them. Does it have teeth, skin, and hair as well, or is that feathers, or spikes she can feel, butting up against her organs? What is it? Then the It tries to escape from her body. She can't let that happen. She cuts an isolated weird figure at school, trying to live her life 'normally'; but battling to keep The It inside of her. But she can't contain it forever, sooner or later something's got to give...



# Workshops and Classes

Monday

## REDBRIDGE YOUTH THEATRE WORKSHOP

A twice weekly theatre company who work on two public productions per year.

MON & WEDS

7.30pm-9.30pm

For ages 14-21 years

## MUSICAL THEATRE

Develop your singing and performance skills and perform an edited version of a classic musical.

4pm-5.30pm Reception-Yr2

4.30pm-6pm Yr3- Yr6

6pm-7.30pm Yr7- Yr11

Tuesday

## ART & PROPS WORKSHOP

Learn about different art styles and techniques and create props to be used in our in house performances.

4.45pm-6.15pm

Reception-Yr 6

## YOUNG PERFORMING ARTS

Cover aspects of singing, dancing and drama in fun and energetic sessions, with a private showcase at the end of each term.

4pm-6pm

Reception-Yr 6

Wednesday

## REDBRIDGE YOUNG THEATRE WORKSHOP

Join a company  
of like minded people and  
create a show to be  
performed in our  
theatre.

5pm-7pm Yr 7-Yr 9

Costs vary so please check our  
website for more details.  
Free trial session for all classes!

Friday

## RDC MINIS

Introduce your child to  
singing and dancing  
while building their  
confidence and  
social skills.

1pm-1.45pm  
3-5 year olds



# Weekend Workshops and Classes

## AERIAL SKILLS

Participants will learn trapeze and rope skills to help build stamina, strength and confidence. For ages 7 years+.

9.30am-10.40am - Level 1

10.50am-12.00pm - Level 2

12.15pm-1.30pm - Level 3

## RDC THEATRE SCHOOL

A fun packed Saturday morning drama school, run by experienced drama practitioners. With a focus on a different project each term and a private sharing for family and friends.

10am-12 noon Reception-Yr 6

## PERFORMING ARTS SCHOOL

An all round experience for those keen to develop their dance, drama and singing skills. The school produces an annual public production and termly sharings for family and friends.

2.30pm-5.30pm Yr 3-Yr 11

Saturday

Sunday

## TRINITY MUSICAL THEATRE

Sundays

Reception - Year 4: 2.00pm-3.30pm

Year 5 and above: 4.00-5.30pm



Official Musical Theatre qualifications are available alongside this course, provided by Trinity College London. You can opt in to work on Grades 1-8 in Musical Theatre alongside this class.

We have a 100% pass rate with over 60% of candidates gaining a distinction in their grade. Explore the world of musical theatre and expand your acting, singing and dancing skills.

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## Adult Workshops

### ALTERNATIVE SHAKESPEARE COMPANY

A high energy way to explore Shakespeare, which produces a public performance each term.

For ages 16 years+.

TUESDAYS 7.30pm-9.30pm

### REDBRIDGE COMMUNITY THEATRE WORKSHOP

A dynamic theatre company who produce an annual public performance.

For those aged 21+.

TUESDAYS 8pm-10pm





## **Redbridge Drama and Dance Course Open Day Sunday 2nd February**

The RSL (Rockschool Ltd) Level 3 Diploma in Creative and Performing Arts and Extended Diploma provide a high-quality alternative to A Levels for students 16+. In partnership with RSL the Redbridge Drama and Dance Course delivers the Level 3 Diploma in Creative and Performing Arts (one year course) which is a high-quality equivalent of two A levels, as well as the extended Level 3 Diploma (two year course) which is a high-quality equivalent of three A levels. A key term in musical theatre training is to be a “triple threat performer” and the RSL diplomas are specifically designed to develop the skills and experience to build a career in musical theatre and the Performing Arts.

[www.redbridgedramaanddancecourse.co.uk](http://www.redbridgedramaanddancecourse.co.uk)





# Classes and Workshops

## **Tiny Talent**

Fridays 10.30am-11.15am

A new class for Under 5's - with fun songs, musical instruments and dance, puppets, props and bubbles! Let us help to build your child's confidence and social skills through music and action songs. Enjoy



parent and child time together, in a happy and friendly environment. For more information call Theresa on 07957214144. £6 per session (£4 for additional siblings).

## **Under 5's Musical Theatre**

Tuesdays 1.30pm-2pm

Introduce your child to singing and dancing while building their confidence and social skills. Each session £5.

## **More Youth Theatre**

Wednesdays 4.30pm-6pm (Yr 5-Yr 7)

An exciting opportunity to join a theatre company and learn acting skills: mask work, movement and stage craft, all under the direction of our highly experienced Drama Leader. £90 per term (10 weeks).