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David Sefton

ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

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It is with a bundle of mixed emotions that I welcome you to the 2016 Adelaide Festival of Arts, my final selection as Artistic Director.

The last three years have been an amazing journey and 2016 promises to be just as fabulous. For this final festival I am delighted that we'll see the epic and the intimate, the traditional and the new and the range of excellence people have come to expect from this festival.

I am delighted that Adelaide audiences will finally get to see the return of Pina Bausch, not seen here in Adelaide for 35 years, alongside the epic James Plays, the spectacular Groupe F (in the festival's Adelaide Oval debut) and the return of our two ground-breaking music programs. Unsound and Tectonics. And a closing event featuring two of the world's most remarkable live bands. SUNN 0))) and MAGMA. From the largest event in the festival's history to unquestionably one of the loudest, 2016 will start and end with a bang and promises not to let up in the middle.

I'm also delighted in my final festival to be able to showcase so much great work from South Australia. One of the joys of my time here has been the discovery of just how much world-class work is made locally and it is a particular pleasure to include a powerful crosssection of it this year.

I'm enormously proud of all of the festivals I have directed and grateful to everyone in Adelaide - I couldn't wish for a better team or more engaged audience than I have had here. I wish my successors all the very best in the knowledge that they inherit a festival with credibility, strength and standing, and the best staff in the world.

So thank you all for everything and please enjoy my

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Jay Weatherill

PREMIER OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA

The 2016 Adelaide Festival of Arts promises to be 18 unforgettable days of boldness and exuberance.

It will start with a breathtaking show on our biggest stage, with Groupe F's opening-night pyrotechnic spectacular À Fleur de Peau illuminating the magnificent Adelaide Oval.

Another feature of the festival is Adelaide Writers' Week - six days of readings and discussions about books and ideas in the lovely surrounds of the Adelaide parklands.

The festival will be the last hurran for Artistic Director, David Sefton. David has attracted many world-class performances in the past four years, and his impact will be long-lasting and overwhelmingly positive.

With more than 600,000 attendances in 2015, the Festival is drawing people from all over the world and furthering one of the South Australian Government's key economic priorities - to make Adelaide the heart of a vibrant state.

I urge you to book your tickets soon for the upcoming festival, and I look forward to seeing you around Adelaide in February and March 2016.

Jack Snelling

MINISTER FOR THE ARTS

Our Adelaide Festival of Arts has a fantastic reputation for bringing new and exclusive art to our city, and this year's program is no exception.

A major coup for this year will be the presentation of The James Plays - a trilogy of plays about the three kings of Scotland. An Australian premiere exclusive to Adelaide, Rona Munro's new historical trilogu is the tupe of unforgettable, unrepeatable theatrical experience synonymous with the festival. Each play stands alone, but combined, The James Plays are gripping, historical, political thrillers.

For lovers of visual arts, you can't go past our iconic Adelaide Biennial, one of the world's most respected and comprehensive surveus of Australian contemporary art. Magic Object, the 2016 iteration of the Adelaide Biennial, will be the most ambitious to date, taking place across an unprecedented number of venues around our city.

I hope you enjoy our iconic festival.



Jay Weaterill





OPENING WEEKEND

Groupe F À FLEUR DE PEAU

FRANCE

This breathtaking stadium spectacular explodes for one night only at Adelaide Oval. Two Olympic ceremonies, the Eiffel Tower on Bastille Day and a residency at the Palace of Versailles - Groupe F's internationally-renowned theatrical pyrotechnic prowess is second to none. Illuminated actors, monumental video and spectacular pyrotechnics play out to an unforgettable soundtrack in a performance that will fill the sky and your heart.

Where Adelaide Oval, War Memorial Drive

When Sat 27 Feb, 9pm
Gates open 7pm for DJ entertainment
Food and refreshments available at stadium outlets

Duration 55mins, no interval

Tickets Adult \$40, Friends \$33, Concession/Under 30 \$29, Child (14 and under) \$15, Family (2+2) \$96

Bookings adelaidefestival.com.au Ticketek 13 28 49 Transaction fees apply

Free Transport Present your ticket to the performance on any regular Adelaide Metro bus, train and tram services for FREE travel on Sat 27 Feb

"Wholeheartedly astonishing and breathtaking." **LA MONTAGNE**

AUSTRALIAN
PREMIERE,
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Script, Stage Design, Production Christophe Berthonneau Musical Compositions Scott Gibbon Technical Creations Thomas Nomballais Project Manager, Executive Producer Cédric Moreau Video Animation Thierry Dorval - Yann Loïc Lambert Artistic Collaboration Dominique Noel Costumes Ann Williams - Gitta Heinz-Franquet









Pay What You Can – see page 62



James I

THE KEY WILL KEEP THE LOCK

Bold and irreverent, James I explores the complex, colourful poet, lover and law-maker. A political prisoner of the English court from the age of 12, James is delivered home 18 years later with a ransom on his head and a new English bride. Bringing the rule of law to a volatile nation divided by warring factions, James faces terrible choices if he is to save himself, his Queen and the crown.

James II DAY OF THE INNOCENTS

In this cut-throat royal playground, a terrifying arena of sharp teeth and long knives, James II becomes the prize in a vicious game between Scotland's most powerful families. Approaching adulthood in an ever more threatening world, James must fight to keep his tenuous grip on the crown while the nightmares

of his childhood rise up to haunt

him once more.

James III

THE TRUE MIRROR

Opening with a huge party complete with live band, James III is as colourful and unpredictable as the king himself. Charismatic, cultured, and obsessed with grandiose schemes his nation can ill afford, James is by turns loved and loathed. Scotland thunders dangerously close to civil war, but its future may be decided by James' resourceful, resilient wife, Queen Margaret of Denmark.



When The James Plays Trilogy* (all three in the same day)

Sat 27 Feb, 12pm + 4pm + 8.15pm Sun 28 Feb, 12pm + 4pm + 8.15pm

James I Fri 26 Feb, 8pm Sat 27 Feb-Sun 28 Feb, 12pm

James II Sat 27 Feb-Sun 28 Feb, 4pm Tue 1 Mar, 5.30pm

James III Sat 27 Feb-Sun 28 Feb, 8.15pm Tue 1 Mar, 9.30pm

*We encourage you to experience the entire trilogy, either in one day or across multiple days. Single tickets are also available for all performances.

Duration James Trilogy 11hrs, includes three intervals and two meal breaks Individual Performance 2hrs 30min, includes interval

Tickets Trilogy Package

Premium \$180, Friends \$150 A Reserve \$162, Friends \$138, Concession \$129, Under 30 \$75 B Reserve \$147, Friends \$129, Concession \$120, Under 30 \$75 On Stage GA† \$255

Single Performance

Premium \$79, Friends \$67 A Reserve \$69, Friends \$59, Concession \$55, Under 30 \$30 B Reserve \$59, Friends \$49, Concession \$45, Under 30 \$30 On Stage GA† \$99

†On stage seating strictly limited – see page 65 Schools pricing – see page 63

Bookings adelaidefestival.com.au BASS 131 246 Transaction fees apply

Warning Contains strong language, violent scenes and nudity. Recommended for ages 14+

Catering options available between performances – see page 65







Features previous cast

DANCE

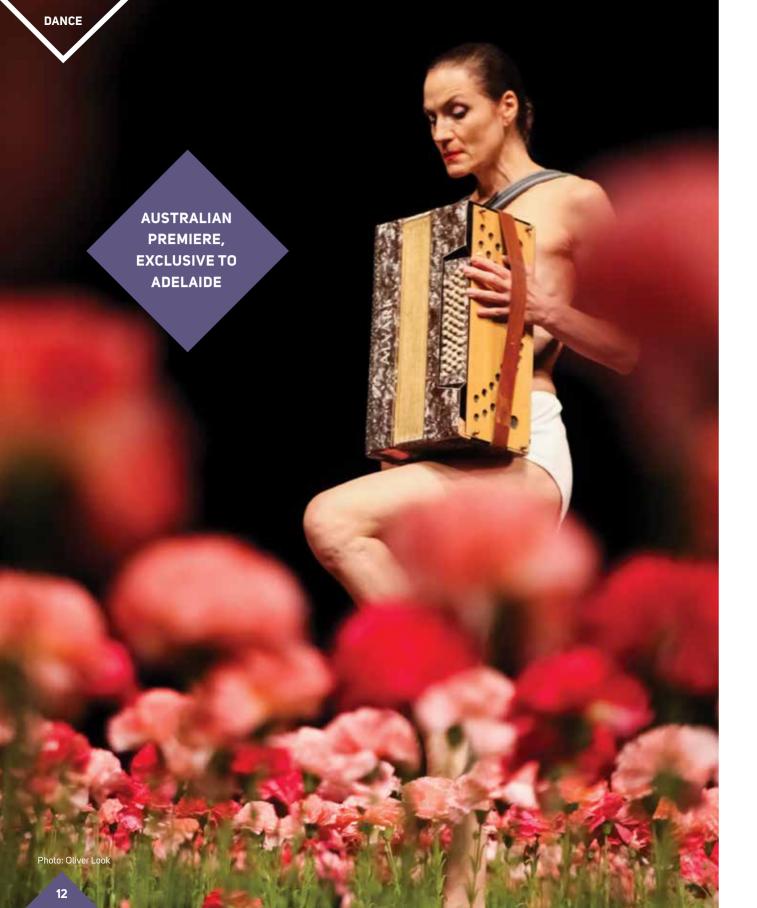
"One of the most breathtaking designs in dance history."

THE GUARDIAN

TANZTHEATER WUPPERTAL

Pina Bausch IN AUSTRALIA FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 16 YEARS





Nelken (Carnations) A PIECE BY PINA BAUSCH

TANZTHEATER WUPPERTAL PINA BAUSCH (GERMANY)

Pina Bausch. Australian premiere. Exclusive to Adelaide. You know what this means? Stop reading. Book tickets. Bausch's influence is universal; her work, unmistakable. In *Nelken*, a stage carpeted in a spectacular field of silk carnations is the stunning playground for twenty of the world's best dancers performing Bausch's unmistakable choreography of classical dance spliced with theatre, plenty of humour and trademark bold imagery. This is one of the mightiest companies to tick off your festival bucket list. If you have seen them before, you won't miss this; if you haven't, you simply cannot afford to miss it.

▶ Where Festival Theatre, Adelaide Festival Centre

When Wed 9 Mar-Sat 12 Mar, 8pm

Duration 1hr 50min, no interval

Tickets Premium \$119, Early Bird Friends \$89*, Friends \$101 A Reserve \$99, Early Bird Friends \$69*, Friends \$84, Concession \$80, Under 30 \$50

B Reserve \$89, Friends \$76, Concession \$72, Under 30 \$30 C Reserve \$69, Friends \$59, Concession \$55, Under 30 \$30 Schools pricing – see page 63

Sat 12 Mar VIP Ticket \$260
Includes Premium ticket and invite to closing night celebration

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Warning Contains partial nudity

*Early Bird Friends Special

Join as a Friend before Mon 2 Nov to save \$60 on two tickets See page 62

Director and Choreographer Pina Bausch Set Design Peter Pabst Costume Design Marion Cito Dramatic Advisor Raimund Hoghe
Collaboration Matthias Burkert, Hans Pop Music Franz Schubert, George Gershwin, Franz Lehar
Artistic Director Tanztheater Wuppertal Pina Bausch Lutz Förster Managing Director Tanztheater Wuppertal Pina Bausch Dirk Hesse
Premiere 30 December 1982 Performance Rights L'Arche Editeur

Presented by arrangement with Arts Projects Australia









monumental THE HOLY BODY TATTOO

WITH LIVE MUSIC BY **GODSPEED YOU! BLACK EMPEROR (CANADA)**

For the first time ever, super-hip dance company, The Holy Body Tattoo perform monumental with live musical accompaniment from post-rock legends Godspeed You! Black Emperor. Masterfully precise choreography combines with film projections, light sculptures and hypnotic rhythms in this intense investigation into the nature of modern life. Exhilarating contemporary dance that will leave its mark like a tattoo on your soul.

Where Festival Theatre, Adelaide Festival Centre

When Fri 4 Mar-Sat 5 Mar, 8pm

Duration 1hr 15min, no interval

Tickets Premium \$79, Friends \$67

A Reserve \$69, Friends \$59, Concession \$55, Under 30 \$30

B Reserve \$59, Friends \$49, Concession \$45, Under 30 \$30

C Reserve \$49, Friends \$42, Concession \$38, Under 30 \$30

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Produced bu Animals of Distinction Created by The Holy Body Tattoo (Noam Gagnon and Dana Gingras)



Canada Council Conseil des arts

A co-production with the Adelaide Festival of Arts, PuSH International Performing Arts Festival, Place des Arts Montréal, Edinburgh International Festival and BAM for the Next Wave Festival



PWYC Pay What You Can - see page 62



Golem 1927 (UNITED KINGDOM)

Like a giant graphic novel come to life, the universally acclaimed *Golem* is a deliciously dark dystopian fable about Robert, a binary coder by day, performance-shy punk rocker by night. Technically brilliant, 1927's super slick synthesis of handmade animation, claymation, live music and stylised performance reminds us that the danger lies not in machines replicating humans but humans replicating machines. Endlessly inventive and delightfully funny, this is a festival crowd-pleaser for the family.

Where Dunstan Playhouse, Adelaide Festival Centre

When Tue 8 Mar-Fri 11 Mar, 7pm Sat 12 Mar, 2pm and 7pm Sun 13 Mar, 3pm

Duration 1hr 30min, no interval

Tickets Adult \$59, Friends \$49, Concession \$45, Under 30 \$30 Schools pricing – see page 63

Bookings adelaidefestival.com.au BASS 131 246 Transaction fees apply

Warning Contains light coarse language, recommended for ages 12+

Created by 1927 Directed and Written by Suzanne Andrade Animation and Design by Paul Barritt

A 1927, Salzburg Festival, Theatre de la Ville Paris and Young Vic co-production Development supported by The Tolmen Centre Cornwall, Harrogate Theatre, Stratford Circus and Tom - The Old Market











Touch Tour: Thu 10 Mar, 6pm Audio Description: Thu 10 Mar, 7pm Access Information

Go Down, Moses BY ROMEO CASTELLUCCI

SOCÌETAS RAFFAELLO SANZIO (ITALY)

Unquestionably one of the most important figures in contemporary theatre, Romeo Castellucci's *Go Down, Moses* is striking, esoteric and abstract. Exploring existential doubts and uncertainties from the Old Testament Book of Exodus, it is laden with layers of meaning to excavate. Dark, deep and divisive, this profound meditation on the human psyche by Italy's most radical theatre company is ripe for post-show rumination.

▶ Where Dunstan Playhouse, Adelaide Festival Centre

When Thu 25 Feb-Sat 27 Feb, 8pm Sun 28 Feb, 6pm

Duration 1hr 30min, no interval

Tickets Adult \$79, Friends \$67, Concession \$63, Under 30 \$30

Bookings adelaidefestival.com.au BASS 131 246 Transaction fees apply

Warning Contains sexual themes, adult themes and nudity.

Recommended for ages 18+

In Italian with English surtitles

Direction, Set, Costumes and Lights Romeo Castellucci Music Scott Gibbons

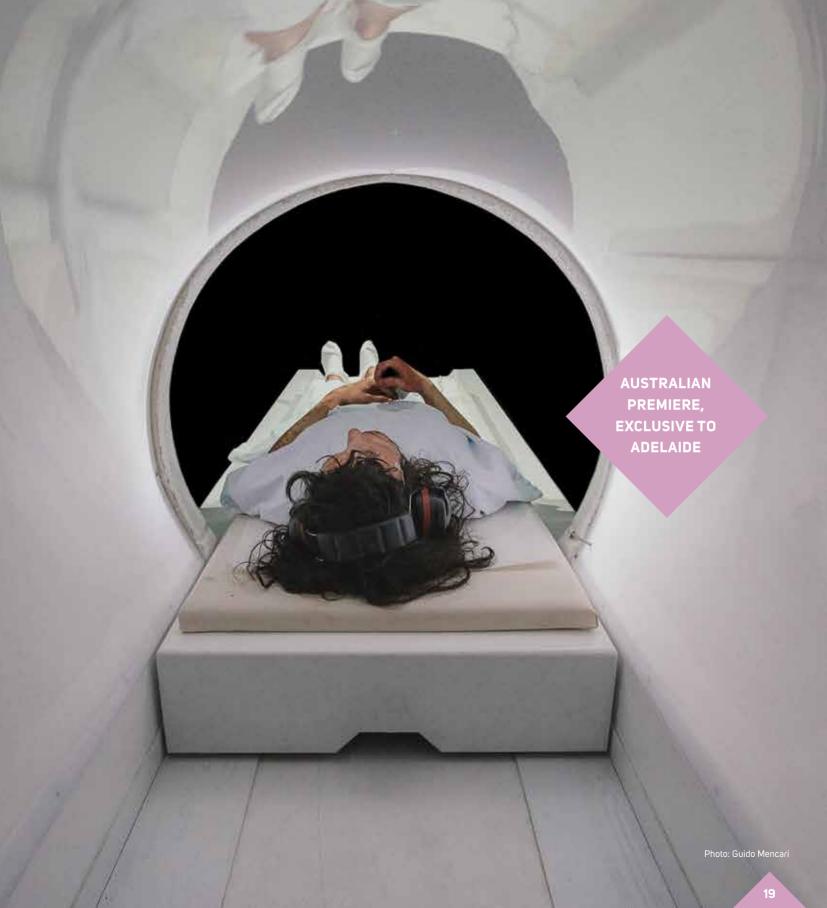
Text by Claudia Castellucci and Romeo Castellucci

With Rascia Darwish, Gloria Dorliguzzo, Luca Nava, Stefano Questorio, Sergio Scarlatella

In co-production with Théâtre de la Ville with Festival d'Automne à Paris, Théâtre de Vidy-Lausanne, deSingel International Arts Campus / Antwerp, Teatro di Roma, La Comédie de Reims, Maillon, Théâtre de Strasbourg / Scène Européenne, La Filature, Scène Nationale de Mulhouse, Festival d'Automne en Normandie, Festival Printemps des Comédiens, Athens Festival 2015, Adelaide Festival of Arts 2016, Peak Performances 2016, Montclair State-USA

With the participation of: Festival TransAmérique-Montreal







Erth's Prehistoric Aquarium ERTH VISUAL & PHYSICAL (AUSTRALIA)

Don't have a time-travelling submarine? Erth's Prehistoric Aquarium is the next best thing. Dive into the action of this ancient aquatic world and swim up close to the amazing prehistoric marine reptiles that inhabit it. This truly immersive theatre show's lifelike puppets recreate an extinct underwater universe you won't want to leave. Primeval swimwear not required.

Where Norwood Concert Hall, 175 The Parade, Norwood

When Thu 10 Mar-Fri 11 Mar, 10.30am and 6pm Sat 12 Mar-Sun 13 Mar, 11am, 2pm and 4pm

Duration 50min, no interval

Tickets General Admission \$25, Family (2+2 or 1+3) \$80

Schools pricing - see page 63

Bookings adelaidefestival.com.au

BASS 131 246 Transaction fees apply

Warning Contains haze and strobe effects. Recommended for ages 5+

Writer Scott Wright with Drew Fairley and Catherine McNamara Director Scott Wright Designer Steve Howarth Sound Design Phil Downing Animation Christian J Heinrich Illustrations Gabbie Paananen







Auslan: Fri 11 Mar, 10.30am Relaxed Performance: Fri 11 Mar, 10.30am - see page 64 **Access Information**





The Events **BY DAVID GRIEG**

AUSTRALIAN PREMIERE

STATE THEATRE COMPANY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA. **BELVOIR AND MALTHOUSE THEATRE (AUSTRALIA)**

Award-winning Scottish playwright David Greig's The Events follows a community's search for compassion, peace and understanding in the wake of unthinkable violence, asking: how far can forgiveness stretch in the face of atrocity?

This brilliantly inventive piece showcases a different local community choir at each performance. The hit of the Edinburgh Festival Fringe, The Events garnered fivestar reviews before transferring to sell-out seasons around Europe and America. Featuring renowned star of stage and screen Catherine McClements (Rush, Water Rats), The Events tells of tragedy, obsession and our destructive desire to fathom the unfathomable.

Where Her Majesty's Theatre, 58 Grote Street

When Preview: Thu 25 Feb-Fri 26 Feb, 8pm

Season: Sat 27 Feb, 8pm Tue 1 Mar, 6.30pm*

Wed 2 Mar, 11am* and 6.30pm Thu 3 Mar-Fri 4 Mar, 8pm Sat 5 Mar, 2pm and 8pm

*Post show Q&A

Tickets Preview: Adult \$59, Friends \$51, Concession \$49, Under 30 \$32 Evenings: Adult \$72, Friends \$61, Concession \$62, Under 30 \$32 Matinees: Adult \$64, Friends \$56, Concession \$59, Under 30 \$32

Schools pricing - see page 63

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Director Clare Watson Cast Includes Catherine McClements









Presented by State Theatre Company of South Australia, Belvoir and Malthouse Theatre in association with the Adelaide Festival of Arts

Audio Description and Touch Tour: Tue 1 Mar, 5.30pm and Sat 5 Mar, 1pm Captioned Performances: Wed 2 Mar, 11am and 6.30pm Access Information



Deluge BY PHILLIP KAVANAGH

TINY BRICKS (AUSTRALIA)

In this frantic world of rapidly rising information, our brains are reshaping and our souls are transforming.

Deluge sees five plays run simultaneously as ten characters attempt to find meaning and connection without drowning in the flood. An act of treason. A one-night stand. A prophetic speech. A gamer trolled. A life derailed.

The dam has burst.

▶ Where Plant 1, Corner of Fifth Street and Park Terrace, Bowden

When Tue 8 Mar, 8pm
Wed 9 Mar, 6pm and 8pm
Thu 10 Mar, 8pm*
Fri 11 Mar, 6pm and 8pm
Sat 12 Mar, 2pm and 8pm
Sun 13 Mar, 2pm and 6pm
*post-show Q&A

Duration 50min, no interval

Tickets Adult \$39, Friends \$35, Concession \$30, Under 30 \$25

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Writer Phillip Kavanagh **Director** Nescha Jelk **Producer** Ben Roberts **Design** Elizabeth Gadsby **Lighting** Chris Petridis **Sound** Will Spartalis

Tiny Bricks in partnership with Brink Productions in association with the Adelaide Festival of Arts



The Young King BY OSCAR WILDE

SLINGSBY (AUSTRALIA)

What kind of king would you be? A naïve boy raised by goatherds is discovered to be heir to the kingdom. Treasures and privileges are laid at his feet, but at what cost to others? The achingly beautiful and tender language of Oscar Wilde joins the intimate and magical world of internationallyacclaimed Adelaide theatre company, Slingsby. Journey in wonder to a land of challenging choices and rich rewards.

Where Dazzeland site, Level 5 Atrium, Myer Centre, Rundle Mall

When Sat 27 Feb, 5pm Sun 28 Feb, 2pm and 5pm Wed 2 Mar, 1pm Thu 3 Mar-Fri 4 Mar, 1pm and 7pm Sat 5 Mar, 3pm and 7pm Sun 6 Mar, 2pm and 5pm Wed 9 Mar, 1pm Thu 10 Mar-Fri 11 Mar, 1pm and 7pm Sat 12 Mar, 3pm and 7pm Sun 13 Mar, 2pm and 5pm

Duration 1hr 10min, no interval

Tickets Adults \$39, Friends \$33, Concession \$30, Under 30 \$25. Under 18 \$22, Family (2+2 or 1+3) \$99, Groups (6+) \$35 each Schools pricing - see page 63

Bookings adelaidefestival.com.au BASS 131 246 Transaction fees applu

Warning Performance contains lighting effects, haze and smoke effects

Recommended for ages 8+

Starring Tim Overton and Jacqu Phillips with Quincy Grant Director Andy Packer Composer Quincy Grant Designer Wendy Todd Lighting Designer Geoff Cobham









Touch Tour: Sat 12 Mar. 2pm **Access Information**

Presented by Slingsby in association with the Adelaide Festival of Arts





"Stewart's raison d'etre as a choreographer is to push dance beyond the conventional limits and there is no doubt that his dancers are amongst the most impressive I've seen." THE TIMES, LONDON

GARRY STEWART'S

Habitus

AUSTRALIAN DANCE THEATRE (AUSTRALIA)

WORLD PREMIERE

From one of Australia's most inventive dance makers.

Will the artefacts of the modern world eventually be reclaimed by nature?

Come and see what this ingenious dance ensemble do with a stage full of sofas, ironing boards, kitchen drawers and an avalanche of books. Out of this debris, the dancers form geographical representations that stunningly evoke the vast complexity of a living ecosystem.

With music from the Baroque period and an original score by Brendan Woithe.

"One of Australia's and the world's most prestigious contemporary dance companies." - Le Journal de Saone et Cote

Where Space Theatre, Adelaide Festival Centre

When Preview: Fri 26 Feb, 6.30pm Season: Sat 27 Feb, 6.30pm Mon 29 Feb-Sat 5 Mar, 8pm Pre-show talk - Mon 29 Feb, 7pm Post-show Q&A - Tue 1 Mar

Duration 1hr 10min, no interval

Tickets Preview: Adult \$49, Friends \$42, Concession \$40 Evenings: Adult \$55, Friends \$47, Concession \$45, Under 30 \$29 Schools pricing – see page 63

Bookings adelaidefestival.com.au BASS 131 246 Transaction fees apply

Warning Recommended for ages 12+

Conceived and Directed by Garry Stewart Assistant to Garry Stewart Elizabeth Old Choreography Garry Stewart and Larissa McGowan Dramaturgy Gideon Obarzanek Lighting Design Damien Cooper Composer Brendan Woithe Design Gaelle Mellis and Garry Stewart

Australian Dance Theatre and Adelaide Festival Centre in association with the Adelaide Festival of Arts



Photo: Chris Herzfeld Camlight Productions





"A revolutionary,
psychologically challenging,
daring, dangerous and
richly rewarding experience."
DB MAGAZINE

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Body of Work

ATLANTA EKE

VITALSTATISTIX (AUSTRALIA)

Atlanta Eke's acclaimed *Body of Work* (Keir Choreographic Award, 2014) sees the visceral and mechanical collide. Described as dance meets performance art, this work is both strangely familiar and radical, with its nods to science fiction and cyborg feminism. One of Australia's most exciting new artists, Eke's performance is commanding as she stretches the boundaries of a woman, an unfolding present and the functions of choreography, documentation and image.

Where Space Theatre, Adelaide Festival Centre
When Thu 10 Mar–Sat 12 Mar, 6pm
Duration 1hr, no interval

Tickets Adult \$39, Friends \$33, Concession \$25. Under 30 \$25

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Concept and Choreography Atlanta Eke Video Projection Design Hana Miller and Jacob Perkins (Ready Steady Studio)

Music Composition Daniel Jenatsch Lighting Design Matthew Adey

Presented by Vitalstatistix in association with the Adelaide Festival of Arts

Body of Work in its short version was commissioned by Carriageworks,

Dancehouse and the Keir Foundation for the Keir Choreographic Award 2014



The Country BY MARTIN CRIMP

STONE / CASTRO (AUSTRALIA)

A doctor and his wife move to the country to start a new life, but their rural idyll is shattered one night when he returns home with an unconscious woman he claims to have found collapsed on a rural roadside. A game of secrets and lies unveils a vivid backdrop of even greater delusion, that the countryside offers escape. Martin Crimp is one of the world's greatest contemporary dramatists and his cryptic thriller *The Country* is an international success.

Where State Opera Studio, 216 Marion Road, Netley When Preview: Mon 7 Mar, 7.30pm
Season: Tue 8 Mar–Wed 9 Mar, 7.30pm
Thu 10 Mar–Fri 11 Mar, 6pm and 8.30pm

Sat 12 Mar, 5pm Sun 13 Mar, 2pm

Duration 1hr 30min, no interval

Tickets Preview \$25 Adult \$36, Friends \$31, Concession \$26, Under 30 \$26

Bookings adelaidefestival.com.au BASS 131 246 Transaction fees apply

Author Martin Crimp Director Paulo Castro Cast Jo Stone, Natalia Sledz, Nathan O'Keefe Set David Lampard Lighting Daniel Barber Producer Insite Arts



Presented in association with Insite Arts, Stone/Castro and State Opera of SA and the Adelaide Festival of Arts



sunn®)) and MASMA (UNITED STATES/FRANCE)

Put simply, SUNN 0))) have changed the face of music. Their epic and visceral live performances are equal parts concert, ritual and happening.

MAGMA, founded in 1969 by the visionary Christian Vander, have created a mythology and universe whose fans include John Lydon and Paul McCartney.

A live appearance by either of these bands is a big deal. Experiencing both in one night is history. Unmissable. Unrepeatable. The live music event of the year.

Where Thebarton Theatre, 112 Henley Beach Road, Torrensville

When Sat 12 Mar, 8pm (Doors open 7pm)

Duration 3hrs 30min, including interval

Tickets General Admission \$70

Bookings adelaidefestival.com.au Ticketmaster 136 100 Transaction fees apply

Warning SUNN O))) presents an intense situation of which the audio energy can reach high decibel levels. SUNN O))) reminds you to take care of your personal health and to wear earplugs (available at the venue) in case of discomfort

Contains smoke effects

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Main SUNN 0))) photo: Andrew Beardsworth Inset MAGMA photo: JB Millot



SUNN 0))) - Vocals Attila Csihar Guitar Stephen O'Malley, Greg Anderson Synth Tos Nieuwenhuizen Front of House Chris Fullard

MAGMA - Drums, Vocals Christian Vander Vocals, Percussion Stella Vander, Isabelle Feuillebois Vocals Hervé Aknin Fender Rhodes Jérémie Ternoy Vibraphone Benoit Alziary Guitar Jim Grandcamp Bass Philippe Bussonnet

Godspeed You! Black Emperor (CANADA)

You have to see Godspeed You! Black Emperor live to fully comprehend the epic nature of what they do. For one glorious night only, bathe in the post-rock post-gods' mesmerising, achingly visceral and multi-layered symphonic waves. By journey's end, every hair on the back of your neck will be ecstatically standing to attention.

Where Thebarton Theatre, 112 Henley Beach Road, Torrensville

When Sun 6 Mar, 7.45pm (Doors open 7pm)

Tickets General Admission \$65

Bookings adelaidefestival.com.au Ticketmaster 136 100 Transaction fees apply

[They] make resistance sound holy, and love sound like a revolutionary act." NME

"Few bands ask more of the body than this thunderous Montreal collective. Few bands weave their way into the sinew more." **NEW YORK TIMES**



Tectonics Adelaide

CURATED AND CONDUCTED BY ILAN VOLKOV FEATURING THE ADELAIDE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Acclaimed conductor and curator Ilan Volkov returns with a spectacular new two-day Tectonics Adelaide program. The first night, Volkov, with the Adelaide Symphony Orchestra, showcases new orchestral works with a stunning array of collaborators. Day two sees luminaries including Phill Niblock and others unite with new ensembles to premiere experimental electronic, chamber and a cappella work.

Program One (Friday)

Ilan Volkov (Conductor)
with the Adelaide Symphony Orchestra

Annie Hsieh

Cathy Milliken

Jim O'Rourke

The Necks

Splinter Orchestra

2014 TECTONICS: WINNER OF APRA AMCOS 2015 STATE ART MUSIC AWARD

Program Two (Saturday)

Andrew Fedorovitch

Arcadia (Music Viva FutureMakers)

Bonnie Stewart

Cor Fuhler

David Shea

Easter Toru

Eyvind Kang

Jessika Kenneu

Jim Denley

Klaus Lang

Laura Altman

Melanie Herbert

Mindy Wong

Nik Kamvissis

Papaphilia

Peter Farrar

Phill Niblock

Romy Caen

Prue Fuller

Speak Percussion

"Classical meets abstract sound-art in fruitful festival collision."

THE GUARDIAN

Where Adelaide Town Hall, 128 King William Street

When Fri 4 Mar, 6pm

Sat 5 Mar, 3pm

Tickets Two Program Package

Adult \$79, Friends \$67, Concession \$63, Under 30 \$45

Single Program

Adult \$49, Friends \$42, Concession \$38, Under 30 \$30

Friday - Allocated Seating

Saturday - General Admission (limited seating)

Bookings adelaidefestival.com.au

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Warning Extreme sound levels

Tectonics Adelaide program subject to change

Check adelaidefestival.com.au or download the app for details

TECTONICS

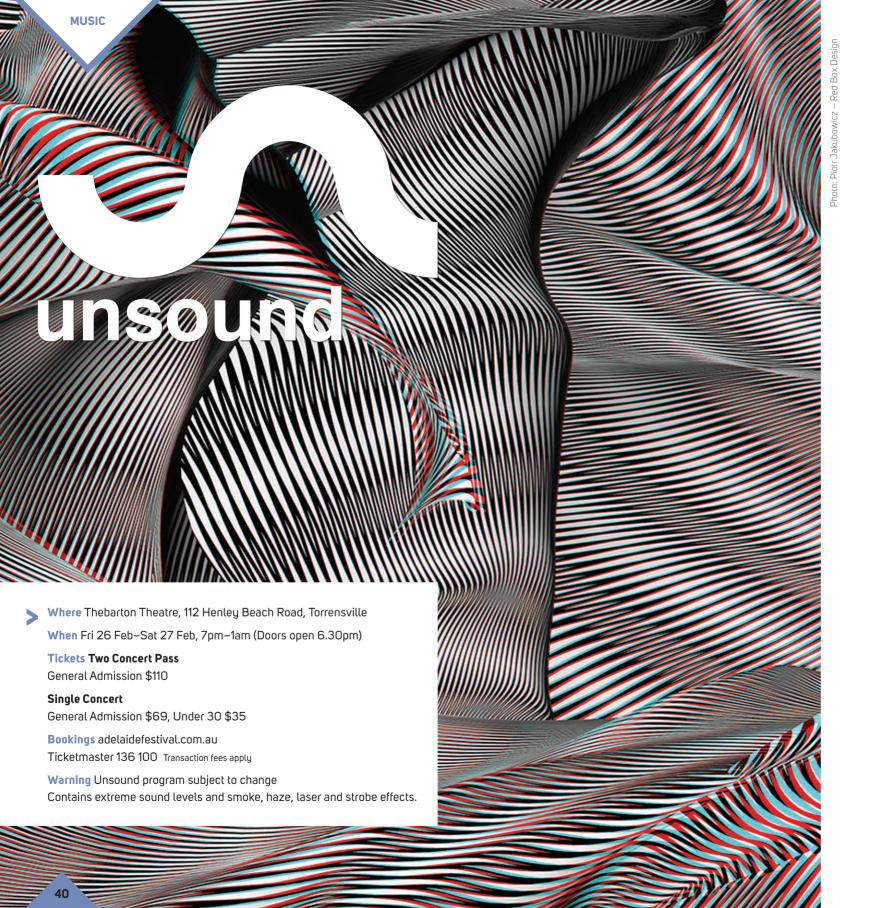
Presented by the Adelaide Festival of Arts in partnership with the Adelaide Symphony Orchestra



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Unsound Adelaide

CURATED BY MAT SCHULZ AND DAVID SEFTON

Over two jam-packed nights, witness star-studded Australian debuts, rare collaborations and specially commissioned works celebrating the world's best experimental and underground club music. For its fourth instalment, *Unsound Adelaide* presents its most wide-ranging program yet, blending experimental, dark techno, post-punk, deconstructed rave, dubstep, grime, footwork, strings, mind-melting visuals and more. Warning: *Unsound Krakow* 2015 sold out in just eight minutes. Don't miss out.

FRIDAY

Unsound Adelaide detonates with a stellar line up featuring three phenomenal Australian premieres. Nine Inch Nails keyboardist **Alessandro Cortini** performs an experimental set on synth accompanied by his own visuals. **Kangding Ray** makes his Australian debut, joining forces with Mogwai bassist **Barry Burns** to present a grand, dark and cinematic new work. Plus the world premiere of the new live audio visual show from dubstep pioneer and Hyperdub boss **Kode9**. Weep tears of joy.

SATURDAY

Fennesz returns to Australia with his guitar for the first time in 15 years collaborating with Berlin-based Lillevan. Golden Globe Award winner and Academy Award nominated composer Johann Johannson goes back to his beginnings, presenting minimalist, drone and electronic compositions with Zephyr Quartet. At the forefront of new abrasive techno self-confessed noisician, Paula Temple entertains with her hard-hitting high-voltage output. What else? Dark techno solos, a deconstructed rave post-punk techno commission and all the hypnotic visuals, reverb and smoke you can handle.

Full line up announced January 2016. Check adelaidefestival.com.au or download the app for details.







Exquisite Corpse

ZEPHYR QUARTET (AUSTRALIA)

A musical version of the Surrealist game, Exquisite Corpse.

Musical fragments passed between composers across the world. A large-scale composition for amplified string quartet performed with live projected art created by Luku Kukuku and Jo Kerlogue. Surreal, quirky, extreme, vital and surprisingly beautiful. Where Space Theatre, Adelaide Festival Centre
When Mon 7 Mar–Tue 8 Mar, 8pm
Duration 1hr 5min, no interval
Tickets Adult \$40, Friends \$35, Concession \$30,
Under 30 \$25

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Performers Zephyr Quartet (Belinda Gehlert, Emily Tulloch, Jason Thomas, Hilary Kleinig), Luku Kukuku, Jo Kerlogue Composers JG Thirlwell, Jherek Bischoff, Erik Griswold, Andrea Keller, Robert Davidson, Zoë Barry and Jed Palmer, Belinda Gehlert, Adam Page, Jarrad Payne, Jason Sweeney, Kate Moore

Zephyr Quartet in association with Adelaide Festival Centre and the Adelaide Festival of Arts





Sufjan Stevens

(UNITED STATES)

Just over a decade on from the critic-certified classic *Illinois*, legendary Michigan-born songwriter Sufjan Stevens embarks on a full Australian tour playing the beautiful, symphonic folk suites of his seventh album, *Carrie & Lowell*. Stevens will also perform material from his back catalogue with full band and immersive light and video production.

Where Thebarton Theatre,
112 Henley Beach Road, Torrensville
When Mon 29 Feb, 8pm

Tickets \$89

Bookings adelaidefestival.com.au Ticketmaster 136 100 Transaction fees apply

Presented by Billions Australia in association with the Adelaide Festival of Arts





Voyage to the Moon

MUSICA VIVA AND VICTORIAN OPERA (AUSTRALIA)

Theatre legend Michael Gow creates an exciting new chamber opera with music realised by Calvin Bowman and the late Alan Curtis, performed by a stellar cast of Australian singers and instrumentalists. Baroque music is set to 21st-century words to tell of Astolfo's journey to the moon, negotiating supernatural beings and a love triangle, in the hope of restoring his friend's sanity.

Where Adelaide Town Hall, 128 King William Street
When Fri 11 Mar*–Sat 12 Mar, 7:30pm
*limited capacity

Duration 2hrs approx. including interval

Tickets A Reserve \$110.30, Friends \$94.25, Concession \$96.30

B Reserve \$78.30, Friends \$67.05, Concession \$68.30, Under 30 \$33.30

C Reserve \$53.30, Friends \$45.80, Concession \$47.30, Under 30 \$33.30

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Written and Directed by Michael Gow Music Realised by Calvin Bowman and the late Alan Curtis

Harpsichord Phoebe Briggs Soprano Emma Matthews Mezzo-Soprano Sally-Anne Russell Bass-Baritone Jeremy Kleeman

Oboe Emma Black Violin Rachael Beesley, Zoë Black Viola Simon Oswell Cello Molly Kadarauch

Presented by Musica Viva and Victorian Opera in association with the Adelaide Festival of Arts. Presented in partnership with the ARC Centre for the History of Emotions and supported by the Musica Viva Amadeus Society.



Alleged Dances

AUSTRALIAN STRING QUARTET AND PERCUSSIONIST CLAIRE EDWARDES

The Australian String Quartet launches its season with Beethoven, arguably the supreme master of the string quartet. His op 18 no 6 is a breakthrough work, the most forward-looking of his early quartets. In an all-Australian collaboration with the dynamic percussionist, Claire Edwardes, the ASQ presents an exciting new commission by Matthew Hindson. Rounding out the program is the luscious first quartet of Robert Schumann alongside American minimalist, John Adams, in a selection of irresistibly funky dances.

Where Adelaide Town Hall, 128 King William Street
When Mon 29 Feb, 7pm

Duration 1hr 20min, plus interval

Tickets Adult \$75, Friends \$60, Concession \$55, Under 30 \$30

Bookings adelaidefestival.com.au BASS 131 246 Transaction fees apply

Violin 1 Dale Barltrop Violin 2 Francesca Hiew Viola Stephen King Cello Sharon Draper Percussion (quest) Claire Edwardes

Presented by Australian String Quartet in association with the Adelaide Festival of Arts



ADELAIDE WRITERS' WEEK

It is a great pleasure to once again present Adelaide Writers' Week. In 2016 we will gather under the trees to welcome some of contemporary literature's most exciting writers and thinkers. The 2016 program is a rich mix of fiction, fantasy, history, memoir, poetry, politics and political unease. The stories we'll encounter include journeys into post-apocalyptic futures, across the Pacific, into hotels and living rooms, outback landscapes and well into the past. This year the idea of memory makes its way through many of these stories, and it seems fitting that we consider one of the most fascinating issues of our time in a place of remembrance at our long-time home, the Pioneer Women's Memorial Garden.

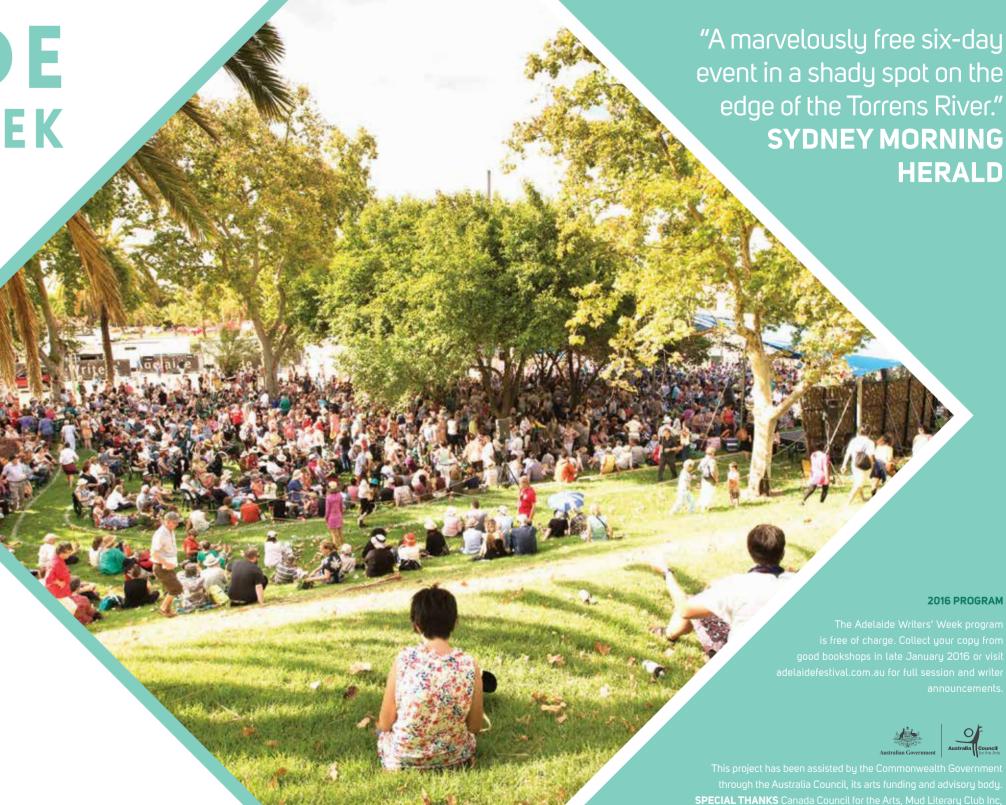
Director Laura Kroetsch

Pioneer Women's Memorial Garden

Sat 27 Feb-Thu 3 Mar Free Entry



Wheelchair recharge station and assistance dog water stations available Auslan selected sessions. Request forms available at adelaidefestival.com.au



2016 PROGRAM



FEATURED WRITERS

Debra Adelaide AUS Paolo Bacigalupi US Jesse Ball US Muriel Barbery FRA Jonathan Bate UK Bernard Beckett NZ Troy Bramston AUS Simon Bryant AUS Anson Cameron AUS Jane Caro AUS Lucy Cousins UK Annabel Crabb AUS Chris Wallace Crabbe AUS Stephen Daisley AUS Gregory Day AUS Sonja Dechian AUS Patrick deWitt CAN Tim Flannery AUS Patrick Gale UK Lisa Genova US Masha Gessen RUS/US Kate Grenville AUS Andy Griffiths AUS Gideon Haigh AUS Gail Jones AUS Heidi Julavits US Paul Kelly AUS Etgar Keret ISR Malcolm Knox AUS Ramona Koval AUS Catherine Lacey US Hyeonseo Lee KOR Bill Manhire NZ Ben Marcus US Peter May UK Jennifer McLagan CAN George Megalogenis AUS Drusilla Modjeska AUS Rob Mundle AUS Craig Munro AUS Gerald Murnane AUS Kerry O'Brien AUS Andrew O'Hagan UK Paddy O'Reilly AUS Felix J Palma SPA Max Porter UK Jim Shepard US Carl Shuker NZ Anna Smaill NZ Lucy Sussex AUS Magda Szubanski AUS Lucy Treloar AUS Laura van den Berg US Robert Wainwright AUS Vikki Wakefield AUS Joanna Walsh UK Simon Winchester UK Charlotte Wood AUS Beth Yaho AUS Paul Yoon US

ON MEMORY

Memory is a tie that binds us all and **Lisa Genova's** *Inside the O'Briens* explores the ravages of
Huntington's disease. In **Jesse Ball's** strange and
beautiful *A Cure for Suicide* a man is trying to relearn
the world. In **Laura van den Berg's** brilliant novel *Find Me* a young woman discovers she is immune
to a disease that is stealing people's memories.
In **Andrew O'Hagan's** *The Illuminations* a woman
negotiates the truth and lies of a long ago past.

THE TIES THAT BIND

There are few stories as compelling as family stories and some of the fascinating ones this year include Magda Szubanski's haunting memoir Reckoning, a story about the shadows we inherit. Etgar Keret's memoir The Seven Good Years is an account of life in wartime, the birth of his son and the death of his father. Heidi Julavits' wonderful The Folded Clock is a diary that becomes a meditation on time, self, aging, marriage, family and, of course, death.

GOING REGIONAL

Regional libraries around the state will be hosting their own Adelaide Writers' Week events, live streaming sessions straight from the Pioneer Women's Memorial Garden. Email awaters@adelaidefestival.com.au to get your library involved.

DIGITAL

Join us on Twitter and Instagram using #AdlWW or tweet us @adelwritersweek

ISN'T IT FANTASTIC

Who can resist a fairy tale? Certainly not **Patrick deWitt's** extraordinary *Undermajordomo Minor* –
think castles, mad men and a beautiful girl.
In *The Life of the Elves* **Muriel Barbery** brings us a lyrical novel about two girls and the quest for enchantment. In his new thriller, *The Water Knife*, **Paolo Bacigalupi** takes us into a near future, decimated by drought and plagued by water wars.

THE MAVERICKS

Politics may be the background noise of our lives, but there are some stories that require more than a headline. Masha Gessen's The Tsarnaev Brothers: The Road to an American Tragedy is a fascinating, and timely, account of the Boston bombings.

Hyeonseo Lee's The Girl with Seven Names is an extraordinary account of a young woman's escape from North Korea. Tim Flannery's Atmosphere of Hope is a must, a timely look at climate change and yes, a call to action.

LIVE BROADCAST

Don't miss 891 ABC Adelaide's Afternoons with Sonya Feldhoff broadcasting live from the garden each week day during Adelaide Writers' Week

891 BOOK CLUB

Hear Adelaide Writers' Week Director Laura Kroetsch on the 891 ABC Adelaide Book Club, first Friday of each month at 2.30pm. For more information, visit abc.net.au/adelaide

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indrew O'Hagan, Charlotte Wood, George Megalogenis, Hyeonseo Lee, Jane Caro, Kerry O'Brien, Magda Szubanski, Jesse Ball, I im Flannery, Kate Grenville, Simon Bryant, Muriel Barberry, Sonja Dechian, Stephen Daisley, Debra Adelaide, Gail Jones



BITTERJENNIFER MCLAGAN (CANADA)

Celebrated chef and cookbook writer, Jennifer McLagan, is a pioneering voice when it comes to nose-to-tail cooking. She is a long time champion of real food and traditional food customs. She is the author of Fat, winner of the James Beard Cookbook of the Year, Bones, Odd Bits and most recently Bitter. Join her at this exclusive lunch where you will be able to eat her food, prepared by chef Andrew Davies, and enjoy a conversation about why good food matters.

Where Osteria Oggi, 76 Pirie Street
When Wed 2 Mar, 12pm–4pm

Tickets Adult \$150, includes three-course meal and matching wine

Bookings adelaidefestival.com.au BASS 131 246 Transaction fees apply

Warning Menu not suitable for vegetarians

KIDS' WEEKEND

Kids' Weekend returns with two days of full on fun! The Story Tent is back and this year will feature the antics of Andy Griffiths, the magic that is Story Trove and the wonderful Lucy Cousins will be joining us with the one and only Maisy. Evelyn Roth's Nylon Zoo will be leading the parade. Nest Studio returns with new activities as well as favourites such as Little Artists and the Press Club.

Where Pioneer Women's Memorial Garden, King William Road

When Sat 27 Feb-Sun 28 Feb, 9am-3pm

Entry Free

Information adelaidefestival.com.au

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Magic Object 2016 ADELAIDE BIENNIAL OF AUSTRALIAN ART

AN ART GALLERY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA EXHIBITION IN PARTNERSHIP WITH SAMSTAG MUSEUM OF ART, UNISA CURATED BY LISA SLADE (AUSTRALIA)

Every artist is a conjuror

Titled *Magic Object* and presented by the Art Gallery of South Australia, the 2016 Adelaide Biennial takes its cue from the *Wunderkammer* to present work by Australian artists that bedevils classification – art that arouses our curiosity to speak to contemporary concerns.

Magic abounds

The 2016 iteration of the Adelaide Biennial will be the most ambitious to date, unfolding across an unprecedented number of venues.

Held every two years since 1990, the Adelaide Biennial of Australian Art is the country's longest-standing survey of contemporary Australian art.

Where Art Gallery of South Australia

Anne & Gordon Samstag Museum of Art, UniSA Santos Museum of Economic Botany, Adelaide Botanic Garden Carrick Hill Gallery 2 JamFactory

When Sat 27 Feb-Sun 15 May
Daily 10am-5pm at the Art Gallery of South Australia
Hours vary at other venues

Entry Free

Information adelaidebiennial.com.au









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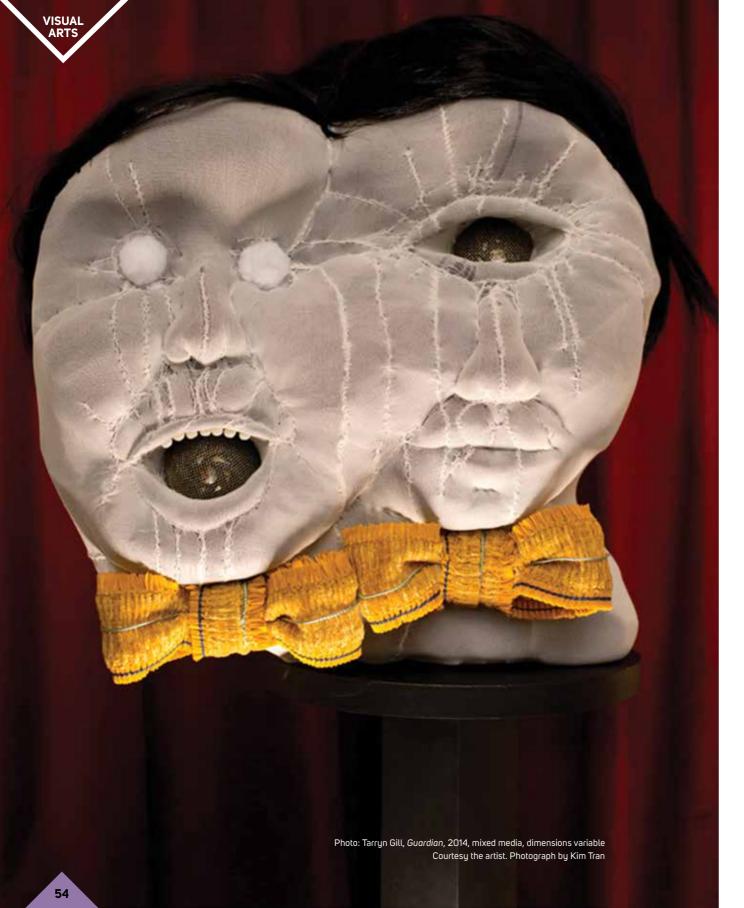


Auslan Tour: Sat 5 Mar 11am and Sun 1 May 2pm Access Information



Image: Gareth Sansom, A universal timeless allegory, 2014, oil and enamel on linen, 213.0 \times 274.0 cm Courtesy the artist and Milani Gallery, Brisbane

Artists include Abdul-Rahman Abdullah, Glenn Barkley, Chris Bond, Pepai Carroll, Tarryn Gill, Louise Haselton, Juz Kitson, Loongkoonan, Ramesh Mario-Nithiyendran, Fiona McMonagle, Danie Mellor, Clare Milledge, Tom Moore, Nell, Bluey Roberts, Gareth Sansom, Robyn Stacey, Garry Stewart and Australian Dance Theatre, Jacqui Stockdale, Heather B Swann, Hiromi Tango, Roy Wiggan, Tiger Yaltangi and Michael Zavros



Vernissage Weekend

WUNDERKAMMER: A WEEKEND OF IDEAS, WONDER AND REVELATION

Join us for the 'new' Artists' Week

The Vernissage weekend of the 2016 Adelaide Biennial welcomes you to a 'Wunderkammer' of perspectives on material and magical thinking, as artists and thinkers examine the juxtapositions that make the world itself a magic object. Featuring artists exhibiting across the Biennial, Tandanya, the Australian Experimental Art Foundation and SASA Gallery at the University of South Australia, join us for free artist talks, panels and performances.

Before the museum or gallery as we know it existed, the *Wunderkammer* reigned. This cabinet or room contained collections of yet-to-be classified works of art, antiquities, and natural and geological objects, creating encyclopaedic and often confounding microcosms of the unfolding world. In a contemporary world saturated by the new, the known and the visible, the *Wunderkammer* holds a special fascination, suggesting a place of discovery and magic where past and present can coexist.

Where Art Gallery of South Australia
Anne & Gordon Samstag Museum of Art, UniSA
Hawke Building, City West campus, UniSA

When Fri 26 Feb-Sun 28 Feb

Entry Free, open to the public

Information For a full list of artist talks and times visit adelaidebiennial.com.au







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Boo!

ABORIGINAL GHOST STORIES AND OTHER SCARY MATTER

TANDANYA NATIONAL ABORIGINAL CULTURAL INSTITUTE (AUSTRALIA)

Australia has a thriving imported heritage of nursery rhymes, fables, Halloween celebrations and Day of the Dead, but spooky spirits are also located within Aboriginal cultures.

Mamu (Pitjantjatjara), Mulyawongk (Ngarrindjeri), and Jerrewarrah (Bundjalung) are such entities, as well as contemporary mythologies created from the minds of artists. This exhibition presents such manifestations, including themes of surveillance, omnipresence and spiritual disembodiment.

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Where Tandanya National Aboriginal Cultural Institute, 253 Grenfell Street

When Wed 24 Feb-Sat 23 Apr Mon-Sat, 10am-5pm Closed Sundays and public holidays

Entry Free

Curator Troy-Anthony Baylis

Artists Bronwyn Bancroft, Joel Birnie, Destiny Deacon, Nura Rupert, Jacob Stengle

Presented by Tandanya National Aboriginal Cultural Institute in association with the Adelaide Festival of Arts



Heart Beat

LISA ROET (AUSTRALIA)

Lisa Roet is renowned for her exploration of the complex ape-human intersection. *Heart Beat* is a groundbreaking immersive 4D video installation that uses the mutations of Roet's own body to examine how cutting-edge scientific technology affects 'humanness'. With a hint of freak show 'smoke and mirrors', *Heart Beat*'s giant hybrid gorilla/human heart pulsates to a blood-rushing soundscape, in a realm of science fiction where contemporary spirituality and ethical dilemmas collide.

Where Australian Experimental Art Foundation, Lion Arts Centre, North Terrace

When Thu 25 Feb, 5pm-7pm (Opening)

Fri 26 Feb-Fri 4 Mar Dailu. 11am-5pm

Sat 5 Mar-Sat 2 Apr

Tue-Fri, 11am-5pm Sat, 2pm-5pm

Closed Good Friday and Easter Saturday

Entry Free

Information aeaf.org.au

Warnings Graphic images and loud audio.

Produced in collaboration with musician Charlie Owen (Beasts of Bourbon/Divinyls) and scientific animator Drew Berry (Walter and Eliza Institute)

This project has been supported by The International Primate Heart Project based at Cardiff Metropolitan University, Arts Victoria, Melbourne Heart Care and the Adelaide Festival of Arts. The artist is represented by Hugo Michell Gallery, Adelaide



"A feast of pleasure with sides of unexpected magic."

SYDNEY MORNING HERALD

Artists include The Cat Empire (AUS), 47SOUL (PLE), Angelique Kidjo (BEN) and the Adelaide Symphony Orchestra (AUS), John Grant (USA), Ladysmith Black Mambazo (RSA), Australian Dance Theatre (AUS), Orange Blossom (FRA/EGY), Diego el Cigala (ESP), Seun Kuti (NGR), Edmar Castañeda Trio (COL/USA), Mahsa and Marjan Vahdat (IRI), Savina Yannatou & Primavera en Salonico (GRE), Marlon Williams (NZ/AUS), Songhoy Blues (MLI), DakhaBrakha (UKR), Violent Femmes (USA), The Jerry Cans (CAN)

Plus David Suzuki, Tanya Monro, First Dog on The Moon and Simon Hackett in the Planet Talks

Full program released November 2015

Photo: Tonu Lewis

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Online

adelaidefestival.com.au

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In person

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Concession

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Under 30

If you're aged under 30, you can purchase from a limited number of discounted tickets to selected festival events. Details on individual event pages and at adelaidefestival.com.au

Use your ID (or school card if under 18) to access under 30 pricing.

18-30? Join TREv (tickets/ reviews/events) at trev.org.au for ticket discounts, events and more. Membership is free.

Morning Melodies

Morning Melodies tickets are available for *James I* on Sat 27 Feb, 12pm. For more information on the program visit adelaidefestivalcentre.com.au/ whats-on-morning-melodies

GreenRoom

GreenRoom tickets are available for selected shows. Details at adelaidefestivalcentre.com.au/greenroom

Group bookings

Groups of 10 or more may book selected events at the Friends' price. BASS group bookings: 08 8205 2222

PAY WHAT YOU CAN

PWYC

Pay What You Can tickets are made available by the festival for low income earners who cannot otherwise afford to attend. These tickets are available at the box office one hour before the show and are subject to availability.

Eligible patrons can present a current healthcare card, pension card or full time student card to access a Pay What You Can ticket via donation of an amount chosen by the patron based on what they can afford.

In 2016, Groupe F, Nelken (Carnations) and monumental will have Pay What You Can tickets available at a performance date and time to be confirmed. Other shows may also become available. All performance times for Pay What You Can tickets will be published on the festival website from Monday 15 February 2016, and promoted at the box-office on the day of the performance.

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Join before Mon 2 Nov for just \$135 and also save \$30 per ticket on Nelken (Carnations)*

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PRIMARY

Erth's Dinosaur Zoo

Erth Visual & Physical Tue 1 Mar–Wed 2 Mar, 10.30am and 1pm Thu 3 Mar–Fri 4 Mar, 10.30am Schools Price \$12



SECONDARY

The James Plays

National Theatre of Scotland All performances (limited allocation) Schools Price \$15



PRIMARY + SECONDARY

The Events

State Theatre Company of SA Mon 29 Feb, 10.30am Schools Price \$20 Bookings +61 8 8415 5314



PRIMARY

Erth's Prehistoric Aquarium

Erth Visual & Physical Thu 10 Mar–Fri 11 Mar, 10.30am Schools Price \$12



SECONDARY

Nelken (Carnations)

Tanztheater Wuppertal Pina Bausch Thu 10 Mar, 8pm (limited allocation) Schools Price \$15



SECONDARY

Golem

1927 Tue 8 Ma

Tue 8 Mar–Fri 11 Mar, 7pm Schools Price \$15



SECONDARY

Habitus

Australian Dance Theatre Thu 3 Mar, 12pm Schools Price \$15



PRIMARY + SECONDARY

The Young King

Slingsby Wed 2 Mar–Fri 4 Mar, 1pm Wed 9 Mar–Fri 11 Mar, 1pm Schools Price \$16.50 Bookings +61 8 7324 7343 or schools@slingsby.net.au

FREE EVENTS

2016 Adelaide Biennial

Sat 27 Feb-Sun 15 May
Visit the *Magic Object* Studio
adelaidebiennial.com.au
for info

Adelaide Writers' Week Sat 27 Feb-Thu 3 Mar Program released January 2016

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Please check event pages in the guide and on the website for access symbols and session times. When booking your ticket please inform the operator of any access requirements.

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RELAXED PERFORMANCE

Specifically designed for people who benefit from a more relaxed environment. There is a relaxed attitude to noise and movement among the audience and some small changes made

to the light and sound effects. Audience members can enter and exit the venue throughout the show.

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Watering stations for assistance dogs are available at Pioneer Women's Memorial Garden.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE JAMES PLAYS (PAGES 6-9)

The James Plays is a new trio of history plays that bring to life three generations of Stewart kings. Each of the three plays stand alone as individual stories, and the trilogy as a whole creates a compelling narrative on Scottish culture and nationhood.

Trilogy package or single tickets available for all shows

We encourage you to experience the entire trilogy (you can do it!). When purchasing the Trilogy package, you can either see all shows on one day or build your own schedule by choosing any of the performance times that best suit you. Single tickets are also available for all performances.

Duration and intervals

The James Plays Trilogy experienced all on the same day runs for just under 11 hours. Each individual performance runs for 2hrs 30min, including interval, and there are two meal breaks between performances.

On-stage seating

Each performance has a limited number of seats built into the set so you can be right at the heart of the action. On-stage seats are benches and are allocated on arrival. These seats are accessed via stairs and therefore are not accessible to wheelchair users or people with limited mobility. No food, drinks or large bags on stage. No latecomers admitted, no re-admittance if you leave your on-stage seat during the performance.

Seating allocation

When purchasing a Trilogy Package, your seating will be allocated per show. Seats will be in same reserve but the same seat for all three performances cannot be guaranteed. On-stage seating is allocated on arrival.

Dinners and high teas at the Adelaide Festival Centre

During The James Plays dinners and high teas will be available at the Adelaide Festival Centre at the following times:

Fri 26 Feb: Pre-show dinner at 6pm Sat 27 Feb-Sun 28 Feb: High tea at 2.30pm, dinner at 6.30pm Tue 1 Mar: Pre-show dinner at 6pm **Dinner - \$44pp** including: Choice of main, a glass of premium wine or Coopers beer, coffee and petits fours

High tea - \$39pp including: Chef's selection of sandwiches, assorted sweet and savoury items, a selection of T Bar teas and Rio coffee and a glass of sparkling wine on arrival

Visit adelaidefestival.com.au or call BASS on 131 246 for more information and bookings (transaction fees apply.)

(Dinner/High Tea bookings close 24hrs before performance)

Also at the centre

The Foyer Café, Bistro by the Food Business and Elder Park Café will be open.

Festival Fast Fine Dines

If you are looking for other dining options in the area, check out our Festival Fast Fine Dines for a great value meal deal nearby. See page 60 for more information.

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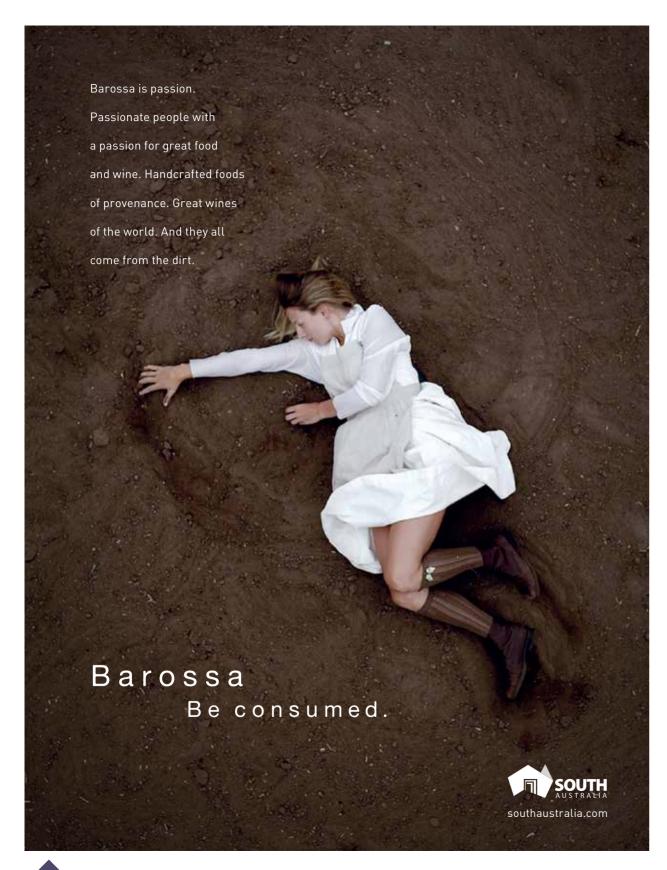


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SHOW	VENUE	PG	24/2	25/2	26/2	27/2	28/2	29/2	1/3	2/3	3/3	4/3	5/3	6/3	7/3	8/3	9/3	10/3	11/3	12/3	13/3	14/3
Groupe F (Gates at 7pm)	Adelaide Oval	4				9pm																
DANCE																						
Body of Work	Space Theatre	32																6pm	6pm	6pm		
Habitus	Space Theatre	30			6.30pm	6.30pm		8pm	8pm	8pm	8pm	8pm	8pm									
Monumental	Festival Theatre	14										8pm	8pm									
Nelken (Carnations)	Festival Theatre	10															8pm	8pm	8pm	8pm		
THEATRE																						
The Country	State Opera Studio	33													7.30pm	7.30pm	7.30pm	6pm, 8.30pm	6pm, 8.30pm	5pm	2pm	
Deluge	Plant 1, Bowden	26														8pm	6pm, 8pm	8pm	6pm, 8pm	2pm, 8pm	2pm, 6pm	
Erth's Dinosaur Zoo	Norwood Concert Hall	20				11am, 2pm,	11am, 2pm,		10.30am,	10.30am,	10.30am,	10.30am,	11am,	11am,								
						4pm	4pm		1pm	1pm	6pm	6pm	2pm, 4pm	2pm, 4pm								
Erth's Prehistoric Aquarium	Norwood Concert Hall	22																10.30am, 6pm	10.30am, 6pm	11am, 2pm, 4pm	11am, 2pm, 4pm	
The Events	Her Majesty's Theatre	24		8pm	8pm	8pm			6.30pm	11am, 6.30pm	8pm	8pm	2pm, 8pm									
Go Down Moses	Dunstan Playhouse	18		8pm	8pm	8pm	6pm															
Golem	Dunstan Playhouse	16														7pm	7pm	7pm	7pm	2pm, 7pm	3pm	
The James Plays: James I	Festival Theatre	6			8pm	12pm	12pm															
The James Plays: James II	Festival Theatre	6				4pm	4pm		5.30pm													
The James Plays: James III	Festival Theatre	6				8.15pm	8.15pm		9.30pm													
The Young King	Level 5 Myer Centre	28				5pm	2pm, 5pm			1pm	1pm, 7pm	1pm, 7pm	3pm, 7pm	2pm, 5pm			1pm	1pm, 7pm	1pm, 7pm	3pm, 7pm	2pm, 5pm	
MUSIC																						
Alleged Dances	Adelaide Town Hall	45						7pm														
Exquisite Corpse	Space Theatre	42													8pm	8pm						
Godspeed You! Black Emperor	Thebarton Theatre	36												7.45pm								
Sufjan Stevens	Thebarton Theatre	43						8pm														
SUNN 0))) and MAGMA	Thebarton Theatre	34																		8pm		
Tectonics Adelaide	Adelaide Town Hall	38										6pm	3pm									
Unsound Adelaide	Thebarton Theatre	40			7pm	7pm																
Voyage to the Moon	Adelaide Town Hall	44																	7.30pm	7.30pm		
Womadelaide	Botanic Park	58																	•	•	•	•
ADELAIDE WRITERS' WEEK																						
Adelaide Writers' Week	Pioneer Women's Memorial Garden	46				•	•	•	•	•	•											
Kids' Weekend	Pioneer Women's Memorial Garden	51				•	•															
Bitter - Jennifer McLagan	Osteria Oggi	50								12pm												
VISUALARTS																						
Adelaide Biennial: Magic Object	Various	52																				_
(Until Sun 15 May)						•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Adelaide Biennial:	Various	54																				
Vernissage Weekend					•	•	•															
Boo! (until Sat 23 Apr)	Tandanya	56	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•		
Heartbeat (until Sat 2 Apr)	AEAF	57		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	•		





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 Dunstan Playhouse
 Space Theatre
- Adelaide Oval
 War Memorial Drive
- Adelaide Town Hall
 128 King William Street
- Anne & Gordon Samstag Museum of Art Hawke Building, 55 North Terrace
- Art Gallery of South Australia
 North Terrace
- 6 Australian Experimental Art Foundation Lion Arts Centre, North Terrace

- **Botanic Park**Plane Tree Drive
- 8 Carrick Hill 46 Carrick Hill Dr, Springfield
- Dazzeland, Level 5 Atrium, Myer Centre
 Rundle Mall
- Her Majesty's Theatre
 58 Grote Street
- JamFactory (Gallery 2)
 19 Morphett Street
- Norwood Concert Hall 175 The Parade, Norwood
- Osteria Oggi 76 Pirie Street

- Pioneer Women's Memorial Garden
 King William Road
- Plant 1, Bowden
 Corner of Fifth St and Park Terrace
- Santos Museum of Economic Botany
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 - 253 Grenfell Street
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