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## **THE GARAGE EVENTS LISTINGS Sept- Dec 2014**

### **PERFORMANCES**

**Saturday 6 September, 8pm**

Nabokov and Soho Theatre Presents

#### **SYMPHONY**

Theatre meets live gig and stand-up comedy as three of the UK's hottest writers collaborate with Fringe First winning new writing company nabokov to present a hilarious and eclectic mix of stories told through raucous live music and spoken word. Presented by Nabokov and Soho Theatre.

**Tickets £10 / £5 Under 25's & F/T students**

**Age 14+**

**Tuesday 9 September, 7pm & Wednesday 10 September 1.30pm**

20 Stories High presents

#### **TALES FROM THE MP3**

With live music, poetry and beatboxing, young people from 20 Stories High tell each other's true stories straight from their MP3 players. Boys and girls play each other and cultural identity is swapped, revealing challenging and insightful perspectives.

**Tickets £10 / £5 Under 25's & F/T students / £22.50 Family Ticket**

**Age 13+**

**Wednesday 24 September, 7pm**

The Flanagan Collective presents

#### **THE BRIDGE THAT TOM BUILT**

Meet Thomas Paine, the Thetford-born man who started the American War of Independence, nearly died in the French Revolution and among other things, built a bridge in a field in Paddington. This is a story about not giving up and fighting for what we believe in.

**Tickets £10 / £5 Under 25's & F/T students / £22.50 Family Ticket**

**Age 12+**

**Friday 3 October, 7pm**

Macrobert presents

#### **TITUS**

A drama about telling big lies and small truths. About pigs that fall in love. About crows that talk. About running away from grief and finding yourself. The story of a 10 year-old boy on the edge – literally on the roof of his school – confronted by a situation that seems hopeless. He can either give up or fight.

**Tickets £10 / £5 Under 25's & F/T students / £22.50 Family Ticket**

**Age 11+**

**Thursday 9 October, 8pm**

The Paper Birds presents

#### **BLIND**

UK beat-boxing champion Grace Savage explores what young people are hearing in the world today, from motherly advice to what we learn in the school playground and the music charts. This energetic and powerful show will have you on the edge of your seat.

**Tickets £10 / £5 Under 25's & F/T students**  
**Age 15+**

**Friday 10 October, 8pm**

Show and tell present Tortoise in a Nutshell with Cumbernauld Theatre

**FERAL**

Combining puppetry, immersive soundscapes and multimedia technology, the multi award-winning company Tortoise in a Nutshell build an entire world in front of the audience's eyes.

**Tickets £10 / £5 Under 25's & F/T students / £22.50 Family Ticket**

**Age 13+**

**Monday 13 October, 1.30pm**

Theatre Hullabaloo presents

**ANGEL**

Angel is the story of Bill who returns an old woman's shopping bag on an afternoon when she had nothing better to do and finds her life is never the same again.

**Tickets £10 / £5 Under 25's & F/T students / £22.50 Family Ticket**

**Age 10+**

**Thursday 16 October, 8pm**

DumbWise and Greenwich Theatre Presents

**FAUST**

In this stylish re-telling of Goethe's classic tale, a young man sells his soul for fame and fortune, embarking on a musical spree of corruption and sin. With a masterful score of original songs orchestrated live by an actor-musician cast of five.

**Tickets £10 / £5 Under 25's & F/T students**

**Age 14+**

**Monday 20 October, 7pm**

Theatre Centre presents

**THE MUDDY CHOIR**

It's November 1917 and the Third Battle of Ypres is lurching towards its bloody conclusion. Young soldiers Will, Robbie and Jumbo are thrust into a landscape starkly different to their Sunderland home. When the trio's singing causes a disturbance up the line they face unwelcome attention. Is music their ticket away from the front, as Robbie dreams, or will the passion it brings about prove more dangerous than bullets and gas?

**Tickets £10 / £5 Under 25's & F/T students / £22.50 Family Ticket**

**Age 13+**

**Wednesday 22 & Thursday 23 October, 7.30pm**

Jim Rymer presents

**WALKING THE ROAD & SEA LAVENDER**

Walking the Road tells the tale of Irish nationalist poet and road worker Francis Ledwidge, 100 years after his death and World War I. Sea Lavender is a one man show based on true events during the siege of Derry in 1689, and has an unusual love triangle at its heart.

**Tickets £10 / £8 concessions**

**Age 12+**

**Monday 27 October, 2pm**

Half Moon presents

**FREE**

Free tells the story of two teenagers, brought together through the dynamic discipline of free-running who face life-changing choices when a practice designed for self-improvement and freedom starts to cage them in. Free asks what we're running away from and if we're ever willing to stop and confront what we've left behind.

**Tickets £10 / £5 Under 25's & F/T students / £22.50 Family Ticket**  
**Age 13+**

**Tuesday 28 October 11am & 2pm**

Wriggle Dance Theatre presents

**ONCE IN A BLUE MOON**

It's the moon's birthday and he is having a party! We're all invited, but how do we get there? Incorporating dance, live music and audience interactivity, this dance theatre piece offers 3-6 year olds and their grown-ups a truly magical experience.

**Tickets £10 / £5 Under 25's & F/T students / £22.50 Family Ticket**  
**Age 3-6yrs**

**Thursday 30 & Friday 31 October, 7pm & 9pm**

Zest Theatre presents

**GATECRASH**

With his parents on holiday Sam's having a house party. Nothing big, just a few friends...at least that was the plan until you knocked on the door. Zest Theatre's groundbreaking production gives you control of the conversations you listen to through silent disco technology. Experience the night unfold all around you as you Gatecrash the party.

**Tickets £10 / £5 Under 25's & F/T students**  
**Age 14+**

**Wednesday 3 – Saturday 6 December, 7.30pm**

Norwich Theatre Royal Youth Company presents

**OH WHAT A LOVELY WAR**

A powerful chronicle, set against the background of a period end-of-the-pier show, told through songs and sketches of the time, with original pictures and film footage from the trenches. Staged to commemorate the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the start of World War I.

**Tickets £9**  
**Suitable for all ages**

**Thursday 11 – Saturday 13 December, 7.30pm**

Norwich Theatre Royal Studio Company Presents

**RICHARD III**

AS part of the celebrations of the 450<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Shakespeare's birth, one of his most famous history plays is brought to life in an inventive new staging that is at once sardonic, comic and macabre.

**Tickets £9**  
**Suitable for all ages**

**Monday 22 December, 7pm**

Slingshot Theatre presents

**NATIVITY IN CREAKEBOTTOM**

"Face-hurtingly funny" Slingshot Theatre are building a fine reputation for leaving audiences with laughter-induced injuries and no more so in this rambunctious comedy.

**Tickets £10 / £5 Under 25's & F/T students / £22.50 Family Ticket**  
**Age 10+**

**BOOKING**

**By phone** 01603 598646

**Online** [www.thegarage.org.uk](http://www.thegarage.org.uk)

**In person** at the Theatre Royal Box Office

**On the day** in person at The Garage 1 hour before the show

## EVENTS

Thursday 11 & Friday 12 September, All Day

### 2014 HERITAGE OPEN DAYS

The Garage will be open for an exhibition and building tours across the two days. On Thursday 11 September, 7.30pm Dr Mary Fewster will deliver a talk on the industrial heritage of Norwich.

**Free, no booking required**

**Suitable for all ages**

Tuesday 28 October, 11am – 3pm

### FAMILY FUN DAY

Join us for a fun-filled family day packed with activities, including free circus skills, facepainting and balloon modelling in the Café. There will be an array of 45 minute taster workshops taking place throughout the day.

**Tickets: Free, class booking optional**

**Bookings: 01603 283382, [thegarage.org.uk](http://thegarage.org.uk)**

Wednesday 29 October, 6.30pm

### SLAM

One of the only nights in Norwich where young performers showcase their skills to other young people.

**Tickets: £3 adv/£3.50 on the door**

**Bookings: 01603 598646 / [thegarage.org.uk](http://thegarage.org.uk)**

Friday 31 October, Parade starts at the Castle at 6.30pm, Finale outside the Forum at 7.30pm

### HALLOWEEN PARADE

Take part in the Halloween Parade through the City, then watch young people from The Garage's Emerging Artist Academy perform a fantastic finale outside the Forum.

**Tickets: Free, no booking required**

Thursday 20 November, 6pm – 7pm

### NORWICH CITY COUNCIL CHRISTMAS LIGHT SWITCH ON

Join us to celebrate Christmas with the Norwich City Christmas light switch on! Young people from The Garage Emerging Artists Academy bring festive cheer with performances outside City Hall.

**Tickets: Free, no booking required**

## CLASSES

There are over 60 classes on offer for all ages and abilities, from toddler dance to ballet. Please refer to [http://issuu.com/thegarage/docs/the\\_garage\\_autumn\\_performances\\_cl](http://issuu.com/thegarage/docs/the_garage_autumn_performances_cl) for the classes timetable.

## The Garage

The Garage is a lively performing arts centre in Norwich and home to The Garage Trust, a charity providing support and development opportunities for children, young people and families from all backgrounds. The Garage offers a wide range of community dance, fitness, music and drama classes, open to all, and performance companies for all ages. As part of its charitable work, The Garage reaches out beyond its building base, working in partnership to deliver strategic initiatives for young people in schools and organisations across Norfolk. For more information visit

[www.thegarage.org.uk](http://www.thegarage.org.uk).

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