



NEWTON

FRESHERS WEEK

8TH-14TH SEPTEMBER

MONDAY

1PM EMERGENCY GENERAL MEETING

£3/2.50
1 HR

IT'S A DARK TIME FOR BEDLAM: THUGGISH MERCENARIES ARE EMPLOYED TO CORRAL THE MASSES INTO PERFORMING THE RULING CLASSES' WHIMS. SUDDENLY EVERYONE IS PUT ON EQUAL FOOTING AND WE ALL HAVE TO LEARN TO LIKE ONE ANOTHER.

2.30PM BEDLAM TOUR

FREE
1 HR

FREE BACKSTAGE TOUR OF THE UK'S OLDEST STUDENT RUN THEATRE. MEET CURRENT MEMBERS AND FIND OUT HOW TO GET INVOLVED IN THE BUSIEST AND MOST VIBRANT THEATRE SOCIETY IN EDINBURGH.

3.30PM INTRO TO THEATRE TECH

FREE
1 HR

EVER WONDERED WHAT HAPPENS BEHIND THE SCENES? COME SEE HOW YOUR STUDENT THEATRE DAZZLES AUDIENCES WITH LIGHTS AND SOUND. NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY

**5PM
THEATRICAL
MAKEUP
WORKSHOP**

**FREE
1 HR**

BEAUTY.
AGE.
BLOOD.
WE CAN PAINT 'EM!
WE'LL DIVULGE
WITH YOU THE
SECRET
OF MAKING YOUR
ACTORS FACE
FIT FOR STAGE –
NO MATTER IF YOU
NEED THEM TO BE OLD
AND WITHERED OR
BLEEDING FROM
A FLESH
WOUND.

BEDLAM
THEATRE
TEAMS UP WITH
MIHAELA BODLOVIK
TO BRING YOU A
HANDS ON,
INTERACTIVE
INTRODUCTION TO
PRODUCING
THEATRICAL
PHOTOGRAPHY.
NO EXPERIENCE
REQUIRED, JUST
BRING YOURSELF
AND A CAMERA
IF YOU HAVE
ONE.

**6PM
PRODUCING
THEATRICAL
PHOTOGRAPHY
WORKSHOP**

**FREE
2 HRS**

**8.30PM
EUSOG
WORKSHOP**

WE ARE HOLDING A WORKSHOP IN
BEDLAM THEATRE IN PREPARATION FOR
OUR NOVEMBER MUSICAL PRODUCTION
OF CHESS. SO COME ALONG, PLAY SOME
GAMES, LEARN MORE ABOUT THE SOCIETY,
GET SOME TIPS FOR AUDITIONS AND HAVE
SOME FUN WHILE YOU'RE AT IT!

**10.30PM
EDINBURGH
REVUE**

**£3/2.50
1 HR 30 MINS**

EDINBURGH
UNIVERSITY'S
RESIDENT COMEDY
ADDICTS AND THE FRUITEST
SKETCH TRIO IN WESTERN
EUROPE RETURN TO BEDLAM
TO SHOWCASE THE BEST OF
THEIR FRINGE SHOWS. "THE
COMIC TALENT OF THE
FUTURE" (THE SKINNY), *****
(CREAM OF THE FRINGE).

TUESDAY

2.30PM
**THE ANXIOUS
KANGAROO -
CREATIVE
MARKETING**

**FREE
1 HR**

CREATE A
FICTIONAL
SHOW AND CARRY
THROUGH THE BRIEF
FROM ITS INTIAL IDEA
THROUGH TO ITS
EVENTUAL (IMAGINARY)
IMPLEMENTATION. YOU'LL
SHOW AESTHETIC,
INVESTIGATE
INVENTIVE MARKEANG
STRATEGIES,
MERCHANDISE,
PUBLICITY IDEAS,
CREATIVE
PHOTO-SHOOTS
AND LOTS
MORE!

4PM
**ONE DAY
MORE**

**£3/2.50
30 MINS**

Bessie is trapped. She's condemned to look after her blind father until the day he dies. Captain Hagberd is mad, but the belief that his son will be coming home 'tomorrow' gives Bessie hope. Could he be her Acket out?

**5.30PM
SHAKESPEARE
COMPANY
WORKSHOP**

**FREE
1 HR**

COME ALONG AND DISCOVER HOW YOU CAN GET INVOLVED IN ONE OF EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY'S NEWEST AND MOST EXCITING THEATRE SOCIETIES. WHETHER YOU'RE ACQUAINTED WITH THE BARD OR NOT, JOIN IN AND HAVE A BLAST.

**7PM
SHAKESPEARE'S
MONOLOGUES**

**£3/2.50
1 HR**

ALLOW SOME OF EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY'S RESIDENT ACTING TALENT TO REGALE YOU WITH SOME OF THE BARD'S MOST INTERESTING MONOLOGUES. FROM THE FAMED TO THE OBSCURE, THE TRAGIC TO THE HILARIOUS, THERE'S SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE.

**8.30PM
BEDLAM
THEATRE'S
PUB QUIZ**

**FREE
1 HR
30 MINS**

BEDLAM THEATRE'S PUB QUIZ RETURNS FOR FRESHERS' WEEK. TEAM UP WITH EXISTING MEMBERS OF BEDLAM, OR BRING YOUR OWN TEAM. TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE OF OBSCURE TRIVIA, WHILE ENJOYING A DRINK FROM OUR BAR. PRIZES FOR THE WINNERS!

WEDNESDAY

1PM PARADOK WORKSHOP

FREE
1 HR

A PHYSICAL ACTING WORKSHOP LED BY FIONA ANDERSON, DIRECTOR OF THE MAIN YVETTE. EXPLORING THE QUESTIONS UNDERPINNING THE SHOW THROUGH GAMES AND IMPROVISATIONS - WHAT MAKES US WHO WE ARE? HOW DO REPRESENTATION OF LIFE CHANGE OUR PERCEPTIONS OF OURSELVES?

2.30PM BEDLAM TOUR

FREE
45 MINS

FREE BACKSTAGE TOUR OF THE UK'S OLDEST STUDENT RUN THEATRE. MEET CURRENT MEMBERS AND FIND OUT HOW TO GET INVOLVED IN THE BUSIEST AND MOST VIBRANT THEATRE SOCIETY IN EDINBURGH.

3.30PM AUDITIONS WORKSHOP

FREE
1 HR

INTERESTED IN ACTING? JOIN THE EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY THEATRE COMPANY AT THEIR HOME IN BEDLAM FOR AN AUDITIONS BEFORE MASTERCLASS THIS COMING WEEKEND! ALL ARE WELCOME. NO PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE NECESSARY.

**5PM
THEATRICAL
MASK
MAKING**

**FREE
1 HR
30 MINS**

LEARN SOME OF THE BASICS OF HOW TO USE PAPER MACHE AND PAINT, AND TALK ABOUT THE CHALLENGES OF MAKING AND DESIGNING MASKS FOR THE STAGE. WEAR CLOTHING THAT CAN GET MESSY.

A COLLECTION OF SHORT, ORIGINAL PIECES FROM THE FRENZIED MINDS OF THE EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY THEATRE COMPANY. YOU'LL LAUGH! YOU'LL CRY! SOME OF THEM MIGHT WEIRD YOU OUT A LITTLE! COME AND EXPLORE.

**7.30PM
CANDLEWASTERS**

**£3/2.50
1 HR 30 MINS**

WANT TO GET INVOLVED IN TECH-ING THE IMPROVERTS? WE'LL TEACH YOU HOW TO CUE THE LIGHTS, SOUND AND PROJECTIONS FOR THE ACTUAL SHOW - BE ON THE TEAM AN HOUR AFTER YOU FIRST SET FOOT IN THE TECH BOX!

**9PM
THE
IMPROVERTS
TECH
WORKSHOP**

**FREE
1 HR
30 MINS**

**10.30PM
THE
IMPROVERTS**

**£3/2.50
1 HR**

THE IMPROVERTS ARE A LONG-RUNNING IMPROVISATIONAL COMEDY TROUPE, PRODUCED BY THE EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY THEATRE COMPANY WHO PERFORM EVERY FRIDAY DURING TERM TIME. VARIOUS IMPROVISATION GAMES BASED ON AUDIENCE SUGGESTIONS GIVE RISE TO A HILARIOUS AND UNIQUE SHOW EVERY TIME

THURSDAY

1PM GORE WORKSHOP

FREE
1 HR

LEARN ABOUT ALL THE USEFUL TECHNIQUES EMPLOYED IN THEATRE TO GET THE MOST REALISTICALLY FRIGHTENING CREATURES OUT OF ACTORS. COME AND HAVE A GO AT CREATING YOUR VERY OWN ZOMBIE!

2.30PM TECH ON TEST WORKSHOP

FREE
3 HRS

COME ONE TECHIE, COME ALL TECHIES! WE'RE GOING TO BORROW LOTS OF COOL LOTS THE DAY AND THEN PLAY AROUND WITH IT. COME ALONG!

6PM SPECIAL EFFECTS WORKSHOP

FREE
45 MINS

LEARN HOW TO CREATE EXPLOSIVE
STAGE EFFECTS WITH PYROTECHNICS
AND THEN HAVE A GO YOURSELF.
LED BY CURRENT MEMBERS OF BEDLAM
THEATRE. SUITABLE FOR EVERYONE, NO
THEATRE EXPERIENCE REQUIRED.

7.30PM RELIEF WORKSHOP

2 HRS
FREE

GET AN
INTRODUCTION
TO RELIEF, A
SOCIETY DEDICATED
TO LEARNING ALL
ABOUT THEATRE,
TEACHING THEATRE,
AND DOING
THEATRE IN THE
COMMUNITY! YOU'LL
EVEN GET A TASTER
OF ONE OF OUR
MOST POPULAR
WORKSHOPS:
STAGE
COMBAT!

10PM BEDLAM (LEARN TO) FIGHT CLUB

FREE
2 HRS

THE
FIRST
RULE OF
BEDLAM
FIGHT CLUB IS 'TALK
ABOUT BEDLAM
FIGHT CLUB'.
COME JOIN US AS
WE GO THROUGH
SOME TECHNIQUES
OF BOTH
HAND-TO-HAND
AND
SWORD-FIGHTING
STAGE COMBAT,
AS WELL AS HOW
TO GO ABOUT
CREATING YOUR
OWN
CHOREOGRAPHY.

FRIDAY

**1PM
INTRO TO
FOOTLIGHTS**

**£3/2.50
1 HR**

**AN INTRODUCTION TO FOOTLIGHTS IN
A TASTER WORKSHOP AT BEDLAM**

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5.30PM
THE ASTRONAUT
FITTING THROUGH
THE MEDIEVAL
ARCHWAY:
INTRO TO STAGE

FREE
1 HR
30 MINS

TAKE ON THE ROLE OF STAGE MANAGER TASKED WITH SOURCING APPROPRIATE SET, COSTUME AND PROPS. WHETHER YOU ARE A COMPLETE BEGINNER OR ALREADY HAVE SOME EXPERIENCE AND YOU ARE WILLING TO TRY, THEN THIS IS THE PLACE FOR YOU!

CHUTNEY EXHIBITION RETURN WITH THEIR ACCLAIMED COMIC PLAY. IT'S THE FATALISTIC RABELAISIAN EXTRAVAGANZA EVERY FRESHERS' WEEK NEEDS. SET ON THE HIGH SEAS, EXPECT SONG! DANCE! ADVENTURE! A HILARIOUS SENSE OF FOREBODING! 'TOO SOON' - EDINBURGH DIGEST.

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PIG IN THE
CITY

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SATURDAY

12PM
THE IMPROVERTS:
IMPROV
COMEDY
WORKSHOP

FREE
2 HRS

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN PLAYING SOME OF THE GAMES WE PERFORM IN A RELAXED ENVIRONMENT WITH SOME OF THE CURRENT PLAYERS? WELL HERE'S YOUR CHANCE TO GET INVOLVED! COME ALONG TO THE SIDE DOOR AT BEDLAM AND JOIN THE FUN.

4PM
AUDITIONS

4 HRS

POP ALONG ANY TIME BETWEEN 2 - 6PM TO BEDLAM AND AUDITION FOR OUR UPCOMING SHOWS THIS SEMESTER! NO PREPARATION REQUIRED, ALL AUDITION PIECES PROVIDED. ENTRANCE VIA THE RED STAGE DOOR. EVERYONE WELCOME - NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY

SUNDAY

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SIGN UP
FOR THIS
YEAR'S FRESHERS'
PLAY! ACT, DEVISE,
PRODUCE, STAGE OR
TECH MANAGE. THIS IS
THE INTRODUCTION
SESSION FOR TAKING
PART. THERE WILL BE
REHEARSALS DURING
WEEK 1. SHOWS TAKES
PLACE IN WEEK 2.
NO EXPERIENCE
NECESSARY;
EVERYONE
WELCOME.

7PM
FRESHERS' PLAY
CAST AND CREW
SIGN-UPS

1 HR