Beverley Arts

Friday July 16th / Saturday July 17th / Sunday July 18th 2010

FUNKY PUPPET-MAKING WORKSHOPS PIGGERY JOKERY (Sun only), THE BIRDS (Sun only), FACEPAINTING FAIRIES, SIR GAWAIN & THE LOATHLY LADY, DANGEROUS DAVE (Sat only), PROFESSOR ROBANTI'S PUNCH & JUDY WORLD (Sat only), 1165 & THINGS, LADY LUCINDA HARRINGTON-CARRINGTON, LES TRINGLES,

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All ages £6 each—£5 when buying 4 or more tickets for any combination of shows Beverley, E Yorks HU17 0AB tel. 01482 391672 / 07855 328552 BEVERLEY TOURIST INFORMATION CENTRE 34 Butcher

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OUTDOORS

In the case of rain, all acts will relocate to the Friary Marquee or Foyer. All outdoor acts are free, but donations are gratefully received towards Festival Funds.

NOISY OYSTER (of Frome, Somerset)

Lady Lucinda

Harrington-Carrington

From Wednesday market-Saturday market Saturday July 17th 10.30am & 12.00noon, Sunday July 17th 11.30am & 1pm Duration: 30 minutes (Walkabout) For All Ages Standing in for the queen's stand in and accompanied by her ever vigilant bodyguards, Lady Lucinda will mix and mingle as she searches for where to perform the

opening ceremony www.noisyoyster.co.uk

COMPANIE VIA CANE (of Brittany, France)

Les Tringlés

Friary Garder Saturday July 17th 11am & 6.30pm, Sunday July 18th 11am & 5.30pm

Duration: 50 minutes For All Ages All the way from Brittany, this highly energetic company Via Cane (which translates as "The Way of the Dog"), will distract you with their impetuous and mischievous rod

marionettes. They tell tales from times of old which echo modern foibles, in mediaeval troubadour style. (Any French-speaking audience members are welcome to throw them a few English words, should they need any help...!) www.viacane.com

TONY CLARKE (of Bradford)

Professor Robanti's Punch & Judy World

Angel Square Saturday July 17th 11am, 1.00pm & 4.00pm

Duration: 30 minutes For All ages Back by popular demand! Tony Clarke (Prof. Robanti) is one of the leading globe-trotting exponents of this traditional form of puppetry. He has performed all over the UK and the world

from Hull to China, allowing a much wider audience to enjoy the antics of our very own Mr Punch. Now is your chance to catch up with Mr Punch in your own back-yard and see why he is still going strong after 348 years.

TED BERESFORD (of Telford, Shropshire)

Jigs & Things

Friary Gardens Saturday July 17th 1.00pm, 2.30pm & 5.00pm Sunday July 18th 12noon, 1.30pm & 4.30pm Duration: 30 minutes For All Ages

Ted's traditional Jig Doll routine includes various "jigging" types including two different Planchette puppets, "Billy Goats Gruff" featuring normal jigdolls, African Tulukutu puppets and variations on

these, including his "Seth Davey" marionette (which operates a jig doll). www.beresfordspuppets.co.uk



Saturday July 17th 2.00pm Sunday July 18th 6.30pm

Duration: 35 minutes For All Ages

Sir Gawain And The Loathly Lady is a storytelling show with the actor in role as a mediaeval minstrel who uses puppetry, music and dance to tell the story. King Arthur's kingdom has been threatened by the Black Knight, and unless Arthur can find the answer to a riddle the Knight will become King of England in his place.

www.corneliusiones.com

NOISY OYSTER (of Frome, Somerset)

Dangerous Dave

Saturday July 17th 3.00pm

Duration: 45 minutes For All Ages Back by insistent demand: Dangerous Dave, infinitely more daft than dangerous, and his ridiculous sidekick Herbert

Lemon present some of the most mind-bendingly silly stunts ever performed... ever! Marvel as this miniature superhero fights his way out of a wet paper bag... climbs the slippery pole of peril to plunge into a domestic food processor.. Performed in an inimitable street theatre style, complete with participation from an unsuspecting audience member, called upon to play Pop the Puppet!!

www.noisyoyster.co.uk

HAND TO MOUTH THEATRE (of Southampton) Piggery Jokery

Sunday July 18th 12.00noon, 1.30pm & 3.00pm Duration: 30 minutes For All Ages

An atmosphere of Dark Ages & New Ages which will captivate All Ages, particularly Middle Ages and Older Ages.... from little acorns to old oaks. This is a whimsical perambulation through the seasons, touching on the circular

nature of time, as told by the Green Man and his hurdy-gurdy playing Droning Crone and their troupe of rag-bag characters. There is plenty of laughter along the way as the old farmer tends his land and fattens his pig for the winter.

www.handtomouth.co.uk

APUS PRODUCTIONS (of Hessle) The Birds

From Wednesday Market to Toll Gavel Sunday July 18th 12.30pm, 2.00pm & 3.30pm Duration: 30 minutes (Walkabout) For All Ages Since his honourable discharge from the army, Major Apus

has been exploring deepest darkest Africa. He specialises in large unusual creatures, and can be found showing off

his latest find, two giant albino peacocks. Rather than kill and stuff his prizes he shows them off and encourages conservation. These fantastical giant birds, with their stunning fanned tails, entertain and inspire. They are a real treat for children and families, and are animated by rare sounds of the tropical rain forest.

www.apusproductions.co.uk

Welcome to the 4th Beverley Puppet Festival!

Since it's inception in 2005, this biennial festival has grown from an event featuring just five companies to a major feature on the busy Beverley Festival calendar. This year the Festival, organised by Beverley Arts Trust, will feature 19 companies performing over three days in three separate venues, with free outdoor performances in the town centre and the Friary Gardens (the Festival Hub). Other events include workshops and face painting, also a Schools' Showcase and Procession which will herald the festival one week before the main events. This year, for the first time, there is also a Puppet Trail at Beverley Art Gallery & Treasure House in the run-up to the festival.

Most of the shows, offering a range of diverse styles, are in venues within easy walking distance of the Festival Hub at the Friary Gardens, with refreshments available at all three

A Polish director once said to me that "Puppetry brings out the adult within the child and the child within the adult." With this in mind, our aim has been to provide events which will appeal to all ages and we hope that the puppets will fire the imagination within all of us. Should we succeed in that, it will prove again how valuable events of this nature are in bringing different ages and communities together.

My thanks go to the committee of Beverley Arts Trust, the volunteers (without whom no festival would happen!), the venues, the artists, our funders, including lottery funding from Arts Council England and, last but not least, our audiences!

If you wish to learn more about the other events organised by Beverley Arts Trust, are interested in volunteering or even joining our committee please go to www.beverlevarts.co.uk or email beverlevartstrust@hotmail.co.uk

We hope you enjoy the Festival!

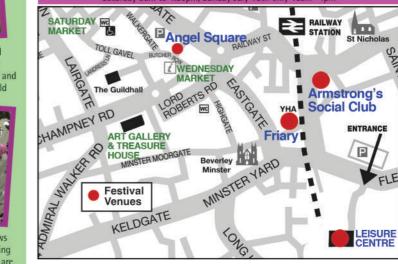
Anna Ingleby

Puppet Festival Director for Beverley Arts Trust

CHILDREN'S PUPPET TRAIL: JUNE 26th-JULY 18th AT BEVERLEY ART GALLERY & TREASURE HOUSE, CHAMPNEY ROAD

Children will have fun at the Art Gallery & Treasure House following our fantastic trail turing puppets from all over the world, on loan from Indigo Moon Theatre Company. All participating children during the trail's three week run (until the Puppet Festival weekend) will receive a small gift kindly donated by East Riding Families Information Service Hub (FISH). The Toy Gallery in Ladygate, Beverley, have also kindly donated a fabulous hand puppet for the lucky winner of the tie-breaker prize draw. The tie-breaker can be inswered by completing the Puppet Trail.

Open Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 9.30am-5pm, Tuesday & Thursday 9.30am to 8pm, Saturday 9am to 4.30pm, Sunday July 18th only 10a



DON'T FORGET TO HELP US EVALUATE THE FESTIVAL! Please fill in your name and address to have a chance of winning a raffle prize. Thanks to all our donors for the prizes: details will be on view at the Friary (Festival Hub) and on www.beverleyarts.co.uk

FRIDAY 9 JULY

Schools' Showcase

Longcroft School, Burton Road, Beverley, 1.00pm FREE! Duration: approximately 60 minutes Dunswell Primary School, Longcroft School and Brandesburton School, who have been working with Anna Ingleby, Liz Dorton and Liz Dees (assisted by musician Haviel Perdana), will showcase the results of each school's 3 day residency



Approximately 2.20pm from Longcroft School

After the Showcase, see participants display their work in a procession from Longcroft School to the town centre, finishing at Beverley Treasure House where there will be a Puppet Trail. This procession will herald the 4th Beverley Puppet Festival, just one week

EVENING SHOWS

THINGUMAJIG THEATRE (of Todmorden, W Yorks)

Armstrong's Social Club, 8.00pm (For Adults / 10+)

Duration: 55 minutes

(In association with Imperial War Museum North) In forgotten boxes in an attic, a woman discovers

stray dog who knew no boundaries. With evocative puppet characters, live music and an ever-changing set, Thingumajig Theatre presents a timeless fable on war

With the recent sad passing of Britain's last WW1 veterans, this play explores the timely question of how we remember. A November Day was created in 2008 in

"Vivid and affecting remembrance comes with this deftly-crafted two-hander..." -Mary Brennan, The Herald

www.thingumajig.info

SATURDAY 17 JULY

STEPHEN MOTTRAM (of Oxford)

(For Adults / 16+)

Duration: 55 minutes

Imagine a race of small creatures that look remarkably like humans, but are really more like insects or plants. They are THE SEED CARRIERS. Valuable and vulnerable, they are farmed for the seeds carried within them. They must develop their cunning to survive the ruthless social system in which they live. With the aid of fabulous machines they disguise themselves as birds, fish and insects. In conspiracy with Glyn Perrin's music, these puppets draw their

audience into a beautiful, colourful world which becomes horrific and then haunting as our understanding of it

The Seed Carriers has become a classic work of animation theatre, winning several international theatre awards during tours in 18 countries

The performance will be followed by a short discussion/exhibition of the sculpture,

The Seed Carriers is without dialogue and lasts for just under an hour. It is strongly atmospheric and not suitable for children under any circumstances.

attention." -The Glasgow Herald

SUNDAY 18 JULY

The Scottish Falsetto Sock Puppet Theatre (of Bristol)

comic stockings are the biz—denier miss it."
**** – The Scotsman

"A show that will rock your socks off-if only all laundry could be this fun." ***

myspace.com/scottishfalsetto



SATURDAY 17 JULY

DYNAMIC NEW ANIMATION (of Preston) Chicken Licken

Beverley Leisure Centre, 10.30an Recommended ages: 3-6 / families Duration: 45 minutes

Performed by Mark Whitaker with original music by Jon Owen. It's baking day and an inexperienced baker needs all the help he can get. In this delightful and imaginative mixture of puppetry, storytelling, music and food a baby chick hatches from an egg and grows up to become the star of the well-

loved stories of Chicken Licken and The Little Red Hen, all played out on a kitchen table. Will she be able to outwit Foxy Loxy? Don't count your chickens...

www.dynamicnewanimation.co.uk

CORNELIUS & JONES (of Newport Pagnell) Pinocchio

Armstrong's Social Club, 11.30am Recommended ages: 5-11 / families

Duration: 60 minutes Adapted from the classic Italian story by Collodi, the show follows the adventure of that likeable rascal Pinocchio. "Only good sons have a chance of becoming real boys," warns the cricket. But try as he might, Pinocchio the puppet cannot stay out of trouble. The play captures the magic of the original story and is performed with hand-carved puppets and original

music and songs. Original music and songs by Andrew Dodge. www.corneliusjones.com

SEA LEGS PUPPET THEATRE (of Hereford)

The Ugly Duckling Beverley Friary, 12.00noon & 4.00pm Recommended ages: age 3+ / families Duration: 45 minutes

Float downstream with the Story Man, in Sea Legs Puppet Theatre's gentle, new musical adaptation of Hans Christian Anderson's classic tale of belonging and identity. Meet a host of colourful characters as they run the troubled duckling out of the farmyard into a cold, lonely world. So begins the hapless creature's epic journey through the seasons. But never worry! For in a grand musical finale to melt even the coldest of hearts, a happy ending patiently awaits our humble hero.



HAND TO MOUTH THEATRE (of Southampton)

www.sealegspuppets.com

Goldilocks

Beverley Leisure Centre 1.30pm Recommended ages: 3-8 / families Duration: 45 minutes

Martin Bridle and Su Eaton have woven extra drama and humour into an original adaptation of the well-loved tale of Goldilocks, stitching together traditional glove puppetry and live music to create a patchwork of delights which is... just right! Hand To Mouth Theatre have been creating



TREASURE TROVE PUPPET COMPANY (of Wrexham) The Story Of The Willow Pattern Plate

Armstrong's Social Club, 2.30pm

Recommended ages: 5+ / families Duration: 50 minutes "Long ago in a land of lanterns and lotus blossoms in

a blue pagoda beside a weeping willow tree there lived a mighty Mandarin...' This exciting story tells of Koon Se, the Mandarin's

daughter, who has fallen in love with Chang, the Mandarin's servant. This will not do!!! The Mandarin has his own ideas that she will wed a wealthy Duke! Koon Se and Chang plan an escape only to be captured

and imprisoned. Looking down from on high is the spirit of the South Wind who takes pity on the the lonely, trapped lovers and transforms them into two immortal doves. With beautiful imagery transforming from scene to scene, Treasure Trove Puppet Company bring this classic story to life with puppets and imaginative staging based on the Willow Plate Pattern.

www.treasuretrovepuppets.co.uk

LEMPEN PUPPET THEATRE (of Skipton)

The Rainbow Forest

Beverley Leisure Centre, 5.30pm Recommended ages: 5+ / families Running time: 60 minutes

Azar is the king of the monkeys-the newly appointed guardian of the Rainbow Tree, which is the source of all life in the Rainbow Forest. So what is he doing in the zoo cage of eccentric keeper Jack Greenwood? Through Azar's visionary dreams and the crazy adventures of Jack the treasure seeking adventurer, we learn about where

he has come from and where he is going. Watch out-here comes the forest! A story full of fantasy and adventure where facts, fun and wonderment have been neatly woven into an entertaining tale that shows us the amazing world of our Rainforests. A combination of delightful puppetry, original music and subtle lighting and sound effects. www.lempen.co.uk

SUNDAY 18 JULY

GARLIC THEATRE (of Norwich) **Old Mother Hubbard** & Her Cupboard

Beverley Leisure Centre, 10.30am Recommended ages: 3-6 / families Duration: 45 minutes

Old Mother Hubbard went to the cupboard to fetch her poor dog a bone, but when she got there, the cupboard was bare... Or was it? A dotty old woman takes you on a nursery rhyme journey as she clatters about in her

kitchen and her dancing dog sniffs out trouble in the most unlikely places. Garlic Theatre delight children and adults alike with a spicy blend of slapstick and folk humour in this fresh and funny adaptation, with well crafted glove puppets, clowning and a feast of musical treats.

www.garlictheatre.org.uk

CORNELIUS & JONES (of Newport Pagnell) The Snow Queen

Armstrong's Social Club, 11.30am Recommended ages: 4+ / families **Duration: 60 minutes**

Adapted from the story by Hans Christian Andersen, this new musical play takes place in a fairytale world full of magical beings, where strange things can happen to anybody. When little Kay gets a speck of dust from a magic mirror in his

he sees as bad, and anything beautiful he sees as ugly. Whilst playing in the snow with the other boys, Kay is snatched from the world he knows. When he does not return, his friend Gerda sets out on a perilous journey-to what seems the very end of the world-in search of him. In keeping with the fantastical nature of the story this production incorporates puppets and masks.

www.corneliusjones.com

OBJECTS DART (of England's Inland Waterways)

Stories On A Shoestring

Recommended ages: 2+ / families Duration: 45 minutes

Stories On A Shoestring is a different kind of puppet show where everything is made during the performance, creating a world of everyday magic... about friendship and sharing, and a little puppet called Peg Legs who only has one leg. Where can he find some pegs to make another leg? Maybe on the washing line? This show is inspired by stories like Jack And The Beanstalk" and The Three Little Pigs from England,

The Cat Sits Spinning In The Oven from Canada and The Fisherman And His Wife from Germany. Little Peg Legs meets a Giant, builds houses that are blown down by wolves and even has his wishes granted by a fish! A delightful combination of object puppetry, shadows, music and storytelling.

Recommended ages: 4+ / families **Duration: 45 minutes**

dangerous rocks, towering waves and troublemaking seagulls. An exciting

supply boat comes, but the lighthouse keeper's nervousness turns what could have been a delight into a disaster. It is only when a storm blows in and real disaster looms that

www.horseandbamboo.org

The Lost Forest

Duration: 45 minutes

There's magic and mayhem in the rainforest! Animals homes are at risk as bulldozers and diggers crash their way through trees and foliage. Who will come to the rescue and fight the evil Endorro? Can we save the rainforest? The Lost Forest takes a vital concern and turns it

into a fun and dynamic show, using Wayang Golek

ground! www.indigomoontheatre.com

Salt Reverley Friary, 3.30nm

Recommended ages: 4+ / families Duration: 45 minutes

Using a rich mix of puppetry, object theatre and storytelling, Drew Colby explores the fascination children can have with mundane everyday objects

the sea to see what he can see. Based on an Arthur Ransome adaptation from Old Peter's Russian Tales, the story explores the importance of salt in a narrative packed with whacky characters and clever use of a picnic basket full of cups, plates and cutlery to create a seascape, a city, a kitchen and the underwater world where Ivan the Ninny

NOISY OYSTER (of Frome, Somerset) The Cat That Walked By Himself

Recommended ages: 4+ / families Duration: 45 minutes

This play of light and shadow, the most ancient of all Kipling. Inspired by traditional paintings of North-east

Woman tamed Man, Dog, Horse and Cow but... but did she tame Cat? Narrated with

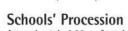














FRIDAY 16 JULY

A November Day

the story of her grandfather, a survivor of the First World War, and his unexpected encounter with a

and the miracle of friendship when all else seems lost.

association with The Imperial War Museum North.

"Quiet, poignant, poetic, masterful." -Eolo-Ragazzi

The Seed Carriers Armstrong's Social Club, 8,00pm

which takes place after a short interval.

"Brilliant.... Definitely not to be missed." -The Guardian "It's not just Mottram's exquisite craft but his potent vision which merits our

Beverley Leisure Centre, 7.30pm (For Adults / 12+) Duration: 60 minutes The Socks are the comedy double act that has to be seen to be believed. The stars of BBC 3's Comedy Shuffle, three-time Edinburgh Fringe sell-outs and the darlings of YouTube bring you songs, sketches, socks and violence. Please note: This is a comedy show not suitable for children

under age 12. BEST SHOW Nominee—Leicester Comedy Awards

"For sheer energy and laughs per hour, these

Facepainting Fairies (of Falkirk, Scotland)

-Three Weeks





Friary Gardens Saturday July 17th 10.00am-11.00am & 1.00pm-3.00pm Sunday July 18th 10.00am-11.00am & 2.00pm-4.00pm

facepainting fairies to make children happy. So they use their artistic skil to paint the faces of lovely children. All on arms, legs, necks and ankles too!



SCOTTISH MASK & PUPPET CENTRE (of Glasgow) Free Funky Puppet-Making Workshops

Saturday July 17th 10.00am & 2.00pm Sunday July 18th 10.30am & 1.30pm **Duration: 2 hours** Come and have lots of puppet-making fun with the Scottish

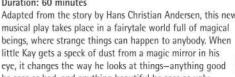
Mask and Puppet Centre, in a workshop that never fails to delight adults and children alike. "Make and Take" your very own rod puppet; create a character or an animal puppet with our help Will your puppet have a big nose or spiky hair...? Choose all the design details from the colourful bits and bobs boxes and learn how to operate your puppet before you go. Parents and/or carers are responsible for staying and supporting their child/children. Thi workshop is FREE but maximum number of children's places is 20.

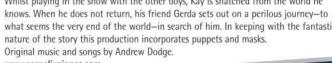
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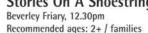


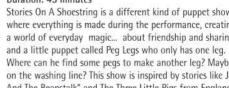












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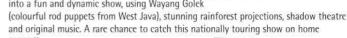


It's not always easy making friends, especially when you live in a lighthouse surrounded by

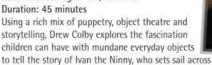
opportunity for a tea party with a friend arises when the he can find the courage to save the day and rebuild his friendship.

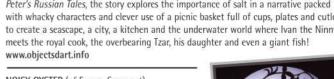


Armstrong's Social Club, 2.30pm Recommended ages: 5+ / families











puppet arts, tells the classic Just-So story of Rudyard India, these moving shadows beautifully re-create the story of the time when the world was young, when

gentle humour, this magical performance is created using simple technology and will entrance all those over the age of five. The main show lasts about 30 minutes and is followed by The Big Surprise-an original and slightly wacky tale of gastronomic adventure. Two overhead projectors are used to create a live, gentle and colorful animation. www.noisvoyster.co.uk

