



YOUR MONTHLY NEWS FROM BATHURST THEATRE COMPANY

# Acting Up



## ACT I SCENE I

### Welcome...

Welcome to *Acting Up* the first edition of Bathurst Theatre Company's new monthly newsletter!

We appreciate each and every one of our members and we want you to be the first to get the inside scoop on what we're up to each month. You can look forward to behind the scenes photos and anecdotes, member profiles, important announcements, a calendar of events and members only offers like earlybird and discounted tickets to local events!

We'd love to hear from you, so if you have news or an event that you'd like included in the newsletter, please reach out to us at [bathursttheatre@gmail.com](mailto:bathursttheatre@gmail.com)

## What's On?

13 & 20 September 2025

**Woman 2025 - Parcan Productions**

17, 18, 19 and 23, 24, 25 October 2025

**Grease - Orange Theatre Company**

24 October 2025

**Halloween Drag Bingo**

*click on the show titles below to buy tickets!*

7 & 8 November 2025

**Peter Pan Jr - CJTS**

14, 15, 16 & 21, 22, 23 November 2025

**A Midsummer Night's Dream - BTC**



28 & 29 November 2025

**The Little Mermaid Jr - CJTS**



Icarus Palmer & Lauren Zell



Lorraine Heness & Emily Hayes



Gideon Henry, Molly Madden, Rebecca Weiss & Robert Olsen

# A Midsummer Night's Dream

## SHOW UPDATE!

Despite a spate of illnesses and a couple of cast changes, rehearsals are progressing well. Many cast are venturing off-script. There is some beautiful movement work from our Fae, hilarious hijinks from our Mechanicals and a sweet rapport developing between our Lovers. We have also seen the emergence of some fabulous costumes! It's exciting to see Mikey and Bee making their directorial debuts, with a cast that includes a lot of shiny new faces, alongside many fondly familiar ones.

This show is shaping up to be something really special. Click below to book your tickets – you don't want to miss this one!

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## Board Members

**President** - Emily Hayes

**Treasurer** - Chris O'Rourke

**Secretary** - Tabitha Lamb

### Board Members

Bethany Beattie

Michael Bower

Cassandra Hayes

Bronwyn Leal

Raphael Pearce

Alexander Woodhouse



## Membership

Need to renew your annual membership?  
Know someone who would like to join our big  
beautiful BTC family? Click below:



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# INTRODUCING...

# BTC Junior Board Members

At the Annual General Meeting on 2 September 2025, BTC launched an exciting new initiative with the introduction of Junior Board Member roles. This program is designed to give people aged 15–17 a stronger voice and presence in local community theatre in Bathurst. The aim is to create opportunities for teens to contribute their own ideas, be represented in decision making and gain valuable insight and experience into how a community theatre company is run. BTC congratulates **Millicent Gould, Charlotte Taylor and Gracie White** who were elected as the new Junior Board Members at the AGM. BTC is so proud of these theatre juniors for their talent, courage and community spirit. We look forward to working with their beautiful energy and fresh ideas and to witnessing their journeys.



## MILlicent GOULD

My name is Milly Gould and I'm 16 years old. My favourite show that I've been in was the CTS production of *Oliver!* in 2022, which is where I was first introduced to the theatre community in Bathurst. I'm really looking forward to being a BTC Junior Board Member as I believe it is a great opportunity for the young voices in the Bathurst theatre community to have a say. I wanted to be a part of this because many young performers don't get to see behind the scenes of how a show runs, or how a theatre company is operated. I want to experience that side but also to try something new and outside of my comfort zone!

## CHARLOTTE TAYLOR

Hi, my name is Charlotte, but feel free to call me Charli. I am 16 years old and I have been involved in theatre since I was four, from dance to acting to singing and much more. I travel to Sydney every Saturday to attend classes at the Australian Institute of Performing Arts, which has been amazing! So far, I have been involved in two BTC productions: *Another Openin'* (mid-show entertainment) and *Deck The Stage* (teen soloist and Amelia Scrooge). I am super excited to be joining the board of BTC because it means I can be more involved behind the scenes and properly voice my opinions to make a change in local theatre from a youth point of view.



## GRACIE WHITE

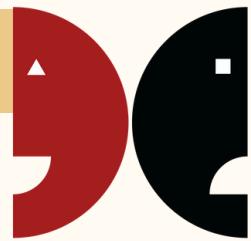


Hi, my name is Gracie, but most people call me Raa Raa. I am 15 years old and I have been performing for about four years. My favourite show that I've been in is *Honk! Jr.*, which was performed in Orange earlier this year. I played the role of Ida. I am extremely excited to be one of the new Junior Board Members of BTC because I think that we as teenagers can provide a different insight into what younger people want to perform, and be a part of! I have been writing my own play which I hope to put on stage and I would also love to direct a show one day. I think this is an amazing opportunity to help me reach those goals.

# Sponsors

## A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM

A special thank you to these local businesses who are generously sponsoring our 2025 major production. Click on their names below to visit their web sites!



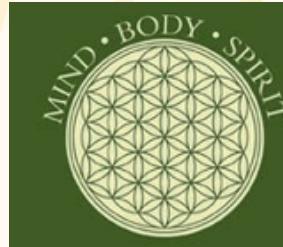
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