

OTHER OUTDOOR SHOWS

Mon 29 May

Looking After No. 1: Celebrating the people who built and worked in Bath's most famous houses.

2pm at Royal Crescent

FREE

Fri 3 & Sat 4 June;

Miraculous Theatre Co. present:

Romantic Botanic

A guided journey into the seductive nature of plants

Ticket £3 via www.bathfringe.co.uk



TRAILS

Richard White:
Bath's Last Legal
Slaveowners
Sweat & Sugar
Sweet Waters

Richard White hosts creative performative walks, wayfaring through the obscured histories and reluctant heritage of Bath.

Series starts June 10th. See Fringe programme or look for "walknowlive" on the Fringe website or Google.

Stanley Donwood

The Misery of Crowds / Bath's Dark Past

read by Ric Jerrom

Available to download from the end of the festival. See Fringe website for details then.

A new app version of Donwood's nightmare vision of Bath History tailored to your smartphone and a walk round the city (ending in a pub).

Kilter Theatre

The Pub Tour

May 26-7, June 1-3 & 8-10

Theatricalised tour of Bath pubs with local favourite immersive environmental theatre group. A bit of history and a good pint at the end. See Fringe programme & website.

Bedlam Fair and our outdoor programme of events is supported by Arts Council England; St John's Foundation; Roper Family Trust; Wessex Water. Our sponsors are Green Park Brasserie, Deeley Freed, and Source Antiques.

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GREEN PARK BRASSERIE & BAR



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BEDLAM SATURDAY

3rd June 12.00 – 4.30 Abbey Courtyard, Kingston Parade

Look out for our walkabout shows which will be leaving The Co-Working Hub and performing in spaces around the Abbey.

Animystic Productions, Avanti Display, Dynamogene, ETA, Julia Vita, Inverted, Lino Creamy, Natural Theatre Co, Old Spot Theatre Co, Street to the Point

BEDLAM PARTY

8pm – Late Green Park Station and Brasserie

After a busy day on the streets of Bath what we all need is a bit of a party to recharge the batteries for tomorrow. Performances from Avanti, DotComedy and Inverted plus Music and a chance to dance with the very colourful Rajasthan Heritage Brass Band. Then on into the night with Indian-into-Worldbeat DJ Desi Heights inside the Brasserie.

BEDLAM SUNDAY

4th June, 11.30 - 19.00, Kingsmead Square & Sawclose (roadways closed for the afternoon, no parking).

It's the street theatre event of the year with dozens of performers spilling on to the streets - from new performers; new shows and new ideas through to renowned companies at the top of their game.

We'd hoped that works at Sawclose would have been completed in time for Bedlam Fair – 'twas not to be! Full schedules of who's appearing when and exactly where will be available close to the date at www.bathfringe.co.uk and on signage placed prominently around the site.

Animystic Productions, Avanti Display, Bongo Bolero, Dynamogene, ETA, Grand Palladian Puppets, Julia Vita, Inverted, Lino Creamy, Natural Theatre Co, Old Spot Theatre Co, Rajasthan Heritage Brass Band, Street to the Point

EATING

Performers are being fed by our generous cafe and shop neighbours. Thank you to them all. Can we suggest you follow suit and buy a bite to eat or a drink from:

Gascoyne Place, The Garricks Head, Tesco, Waitrose, Sainsbury's, The Oven, Castle Farm Organic Veg

CREDITS

Bedlam Fair is co-ordinated and directed for Streets Ltd & Bath Fringe by Steve Henwood and Wendy Matthews; Event manager Liz Lavender; workshops and mentoring Holly Stoppit, Gwen Hales & others: Looking After No1 project manager Mark Bishop, Natural Theatre & Cie Directie.



FREE BEDLAM FAIR

SATURDAY 3RD JUNE
& SUNDAY 4TH JUNE

HELLO!

It's year 6 of our Arts Council supported New Works project and we've picked some great new shows and companies, mostly from the SW, to take part. Performers are offered a small fee and the opportunity to take part in workshops and mentoring with guest director Holly Stoppit.

Look out as well for invited companies:

Avant Display, Bongo Bolero, DotComedy, Dynamogène, The Rajasthan Heritage Brass Band and, back for another year, Street to the Point students company from Hampshire.



WHERE TO HANG OUT AND SEE THE GROOVY STUFF
ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY...



RAJASTHAN HERITAGE BRASS BAND

With a diverse repertoire spanning Rajasthani folk songs, Bollywood hits, spiritual qawwali and Bhangra beats these ten vividly costumed artists cover the full spectrum of the evocative and joyous music that governs life in Rajasthan.

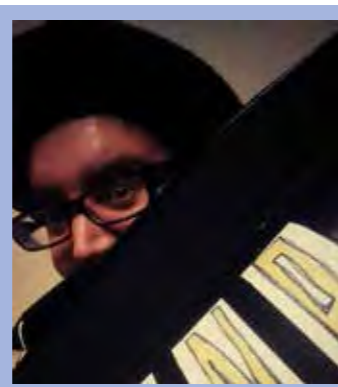


AVANTI DISPLAY FULL CIRCLE

Buckets full of mayhem and erm..yes, water..from one of the UK's finest and longest established street theatre companies, premiering their new show here with US!!

NATURAL THEATRE CO

The maestros of comic interactive characters, serving brand spanking new things and personas with a sway of perfect theatrical artistry.



LINO CREAMY

He may not want to set the world on fire but will Lino start a flame in your heart? Join him to find out at this sweet and silly clown show about a man in a hat looking for love and fun.



JULIA VITA SPLISH

Join Splish on her journey across the high seas! Put a little wind in her sail, hear her strange tale in a foreign tongue, and hopefully find a few fish along the way too.

LOOKING AFTER NUMBER ONE



DOTCOMEDY

Stompy's back with character comedy and interactive walk-about from Bedlam's most booked company.



INVERTED BOX

A playful, touching duet of sibling rivalry performed through acrobatics, balance and circus. Brilliant and beautiful skills and sentiments.



GRAND PALLADIAN PUPPETS

Beautiful traditional marionettes and enchanting storytelling from Bath based international puppeteers Tony & Iksana

OLD SPOT

Los Perdidos Village Band

Lost in the cracks between the centuries and wearing Venetian masks, Los Perdidos are still looking for their way home using live music and peripatetic humour.



ETA

An accordion, an antique pram, a washing line and a task which only very talented sisters could complete. Good old fashioned street show fun.



PLUS

FAB Art Fair
"Rainbow on the asphalt"
Colombian Carnival Arts
The Theatre Bus

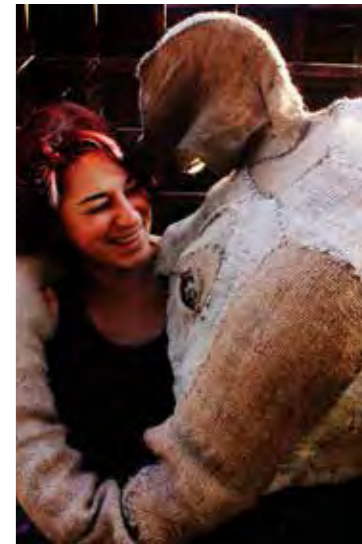


BONGO BOLERO FAT CAT

Slapstick buffoonery from Sir Felix and Mousey taking on the world of international money makers in a larger than life kinda way.

STREET TO THE POINT

Our youngest Bedlam Performers on their annual visit to Bedlam from the Youth Theatre at The Point in Eastleigh, with a range of walkabout interactive pieces to catch your eye and provoke a smile.



ANIMYSTIC

Lost in a foreign land, a young elephant is on an adventure! He may be far from home, but wants nothing more than to make friends. Come and help him explore, but make sure he doesn't steal your shopping; he likes bananas!

Dynamogene present

MONSIEUR CULBUTO

'320 kilos de poesie brute'

Don't miss the irresistible and irrepressible Monsieur C, he has come all the way from Nimes in France to meet YOU the people of Bath.

