



Bendigo Theatre Company
15-17 Allingham Street
Bendigo
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Treasure Island

THE PANTOMIME



JOIN THE PRODUCTION TEAM!

GUYS AND DOLLS

A Musical Fable of Broadway

ULUMBARRA THEATRE SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2024

Based on a Story and Characters of Damon Runyon

Music and Lyrics by **FRANK LOESSER** Book by **JO SWERLING and ABE BURROWS**

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST FOR

Production Manager	Assistant Stage Manager	Hair & Makeup Design
Director	Set Designer	Set Construction Manager
Choreographer	Scenic Artist	Lighting Engineer
Musical Director	Properties Coordinator	Sound Engineer
Vocal Director	Costume Designer	Publicity Manager
Stage Manager	Costume Coordinator	

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Bendigo Theatre Company is located on
Dja Dja Wurrung Country.
We acknowledge and pay our respects
to the elders of the Kulin Nations

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

President:	Vern Wall
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Secretary:	Jenni Clohesy
Treasurer:	Maureen Fleiner

GENERAL COMMITTEE

Barbara Billings	Samantha Lempio-Franklin
Colin Brown	Keva Lloyd
Grant Finlay	Thomas Moore
	Stania Tresize

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Pat Lyon (dec.)	Stania Tresize
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Mrs Ball (dec.)	Abe Watson
Greg Harris	John Trainor
Gael Emond	Selina Trainor
Vern Wall	Maree Kennedy
Colin Brown	

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YOUTH THEATRE

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THE
**CURIOUS
INCIDENT**
OF
THE **DOG** IN
THE
NIGHT-TIME

A play by Simon Stephens based on the novel by Mark Haddon

CAST ANNOUNCEMENT



Performance dates

Thursday 4 April 7pm	Thursday 11 April 7pm
Friday 5 April 7pm	Friday 12 April 7pm
Saturday 6 April 1pm	Saturday 13 April 1pm
Saturday 6 April 7pm	Saturday 13 April 7pm
Sunday 7 April 1pm	Sunday 14 April 7pm

At Bendigo Theatre Company, 15-17 Allingham Street, Bendigo



Treasure Island
THE PANTOMIME

Written and directed
by Conor Cunningham

11-21 January 2024



Synopsis

It's 18th Century England (and the Carribean) Jim Hawkins stumbles across a mysterious map showing the whereabouts of the buried treasure of the infamous pirate, Captain Flint.

In the company of Dame Hawkins (Jim's mum), Squire Trelawney, Doctor and Tom Livesey, Jim sets out to recover the treasure.

Yet he is blissfully unaware that the vessel they embark on is run by none other than Flint's old gang, led by the rascally one-legged Long John Silver and his disreputable henchmen Black Dog and Blind Poo.

A roller coaster ride of adventure ensues, both aboard the ship and on Treasure Island itself, where we encounter the madcap Ben Gunn. Cutlass duels, gruesome punishments and heavy name calling all form essential ingredients of this buccaneering plot.



PORTRAITS, WEDDINGS, EVENTS & MUSIC PHOTOGRAPHY

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In November 2024 Bendigo Theatre Company will present the TENTH season of our original short play series

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If you're a playwright, an actor, director or if you are curious to try out any backstage or technical roles, talk to a committee member, send us an email, or keep an eye on the BTC Facebook page for dates and details.



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THEATRE
IN A
WEEK

TRIBE WEEKLY - THURS 5 - 6:30PM

Weekly Youth Theatre classes covering acting and stagecraft skills in community theatre participation for ages 10-12 years.

LEVEL A ENSEMBLE - THURS 6:30 - 7:30PM

A singing group for 10 - 25 years who are beginning their singing journey as well as more experienced vocalists.

THEATRE IN A WEEK - MON 1 - SUN 7 JULY

A week-long performing-arts workshop to learn, rehearse and perform a production as a performer or crew in just seven days.

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Growing up in Ireland, Panto was an annual Christmas tradition for our family, with regular visits to the Cork Opera House or the Everyman Theatre to watch all the old classic Pantomimes. This is what sparked my interest in live theatre from a young age and it has lived with me through to this day. Fast-forward (too many to mention) years and I felt the time was right to dip my toe into the waters of Writing/Directing.

Robert Louis Stephenson's *Treasure Island* has a storyline that lends itself perfectly to pantomime – swashbuckling pirates, good versus evil, rags to riches, then throw in some slapstick comedy, colourful characters, audience participation and, of course, a panto ghost and you have a show to entertain all the family.

None of this would have been possible without such an amazing crew who have worked tirelessly both on and off the stage for many months to bring this show to you today. Thanks to my amazing co-creatives Bec and Claire for their tireless efforts in perfecting the Musical Direction and Choreography respectively; the fabulous cast who have worked so hard from audition through to performance – very proud of you all; Maureen and Sarah for their excellent Production Management skills; Sam, Vern, the Wednesday and Saturday crews, and everyone involved in creating these magnificent sets; the Trainor family and their backstage crew; Kate and Erin for the awesome props; Stania for the delightful costumes; there are just too many names to mention here, so please take the time to read through the programme and acknowledge them individually. I am so grateful to you all. And to you, our patrons, for taking the time to support our art. The smiles on your faces make it all worthwhile.

Conor Cunningham
Writer/Director





Cast

Dame Eagle Hawkins
Jakoby Appleby

Jim Hawkins
Emma Kelly

Squire Trelawney
Lloyd Dodsworth

Nancy/Polly
Jess Hunt

Doctor Livesey
Alicia Gunston

Tom Livesey
Erin Tinker

Long John Silver
Ky Kearin

Narrator/Ariel
Shantara Johnstone

Blind Poo
Barry Silverstein

Black Dog
David Prince

Billy Bones/Pirate/Goat
Daniel Chisholm

Ben Gunn
Ethan Larkins



Claire Sexton



Rebecca O'Sullivan



Sarah Cunningham



John Trainor



Caitlin Trainor



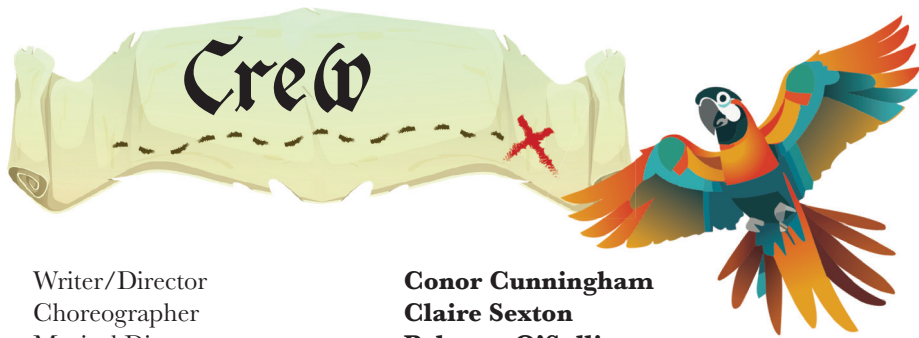
Zenith Bell



Selina Trainor



Amy Parry



Writer/Director
 Choreographer
 Musical Director
 Production Manager
 Assistant Production Manager
 Stage Manager
 Assistant Stage Manager
 Lighting Design
 Sound
 Costumes
 Puppets
 Properties
 Make-up
 Production Photography
 Poster
 Program
 Set Design/Scenic Artist
 Backstage Crew

Set Construction

Conor Cunningham
Claire Sexton
Rebecca O'Sullivan
Maureen Fleiner
Sarah Cunningham
John Trainor
Caitlin Trainor
Ian Scott
Zeke Burke
Lauren Mitchell, Stania Tresize
Daniel Soncin
Kate Tinker
Aimee Parry
Elijah Clarke
Emma Kelly
Kristen Beever
Samantha Lempio-Franklin
Zenith Bell, Natalie Coughlan,
Robin Gray, Carolyn Straszkiwicz,
Selina Trainor
"Wednesday Boys"
 (new members always welcome!)
Vern Wall, Colin Brown, Keva Lloyd,
Sam Franklin, John Freeman, Ernie
Moore, Len Wallace, Rodney Pearce,
Peter Warburton, Roger Ogilvie,
Bob Neunhoffer, Paul Nuenhoffer,
Bob Green, Barry Silverstein,
Mick Troy, Debbie Parsell, Kyle
Waddington



Jakoby Appleby



Daniel Chisholm



Lloyd Dodsworth



Alicia Gunston



Jess Hunt



Shantara Johnstone



Ky Kearin



Emma Kelly



Ethan Larkins



David Prince



Barry Silverstein



Erin Tinker





Kaitlyn Allan



Meg Coles



Finn Cunningham



Zoe Di Camillo



McKenzie Dunne



Ryan Foxlow



Bhodi Flynn



Eliza Ladner



Sally Lansdowne



Kade Lightfoot



AJ Marek



Lloyd Needs



Blythe Porter



Charlotte Rowe



Blake Walden-Dickie



Bella Wallace



Villager/Wench/Ship's Crew
Sally Lansdowne

Villager/Ship's Crew/Ghost
Finn Cunningham

Villager/Ship's Crew/
Doctor Livesey
Meg Coles

Villagers/Ship's Crew
Zoe Di Camillo
Ryan Foxlow
Blythe Porter
BlakeWalden-Dickie

Villager/Silly Girl/
Town Crier
Eliza Ladner

Villagers/Silly Girls
Charlotte Rowe
Bella Wallace

Pirates/Goats
Bhodi Flynn
Kade Lightfoot
AJ Marek
Lloyd Needs

Pirates/Cheese
Kaitlyn Allan
McKenzie Dunne

