



SUMMER SEASON 2020



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Welcome to our New Summer Season 2020

How our performances will be different this summer:

- All performances will start at 7pm (1.30pm or 3pm matinees), and there will be no intervals.
- The running time for shows will be no more than 100 minutes.
- We will play to a reduced audience capacity to enable social distancing, and all performances will be 'relaxed', meaning audience members are welcome to move from their seats during the performance to visit the toilets or purchase takeaway drinks and snacks.
- Audience members are requested to wear a face-covering if they leave their seat during the performance.
- Minack padded seats will not be available to hire but you are welcome to bring your own cushions.
- Our performers are all professional artists and where appropriate will be sharing a 'bubble' for the duration of the production.
- You can book tickets for all our events online. If you have any questions about booking, please don't hesitate to contact our Box Office team.
- Ticket prices vary depending on the performance and where you choose to sit. For most events, children age 15 or under are half price.
- If a show is marked as Sold Out there are no more tickets available. We do not hold waiting lists for tickets.



SOLD OUT!

The Strongman

Bash Street Theatre

31 JULY – 1 AUG (matinee 1 Aug)

Ideal for all ages, *The Strongman* is a black-and-white, street theatre show with acrobatic circus skills, silent comedy and live music. The story involves an old-style travelling circus that has lost its headline act. The crooked Boss is looking for new talent and the young circus girl will be forced to quit if she doesn't find a new Strongman. A down-at-heel traveller arrives and he's looking for a job. What could possibly go wrong?

Adult £16/16 £8



SOLD OUT!

3 AUGUST & 7 SEPTEMBER

Port Isaac's Fishermen's Friends

The buoys will be back at the Minack next year, but we have arranged two special concerts with limited seating over the next few months.



Stones in his Pockets

by Marie Jones

5 - 15 AUGUST (Matinees 6, 8, 11, 13, 15)

A small village in rural Ireland is turned upside down when a major Hollywood film studio descends to make a historical blockbuster on location. As cultures clash, it becomes clear that Tinseltown's romanticized dream of Ireland is a long way from reality. Two talented actors brilliantly bring to life a multitude of extraordinary characters, ranging from the spoilt American starlet to the English director and the village old timer. Hysterically funny, thought-provoking and witty.

Tickets from £10 - £27



Didjan

Special guest Kris Lannen

10 AUGUST

Bec Applebee and Richard Trethewey are passionate about telling the unbelievable stories of remarkable characters that have given Cornwall such a strong sense of identity and made the Cornish who we are today. Didjan have a creative approach to their music, incorporating a wide variety of tools such as fiddle, cittern, crowdy crawn, voice, spoken word and dance. Whilst a small morsel, Didjan create a sound and vision that goes beyond their number and are already creating a wave of excitement for what is to come!

Adult £16/16 £8



SOLD OUT!

Will Keating - Cornwall my Home

17 AUGUST

Cornish Folk songs delivered with passion and presence, honesty and intensity. A delightful insight into Cornwall's rich history and heritage. Will Keating's velvety tones will set you on a roller coaster of emotions that will bring a tear to your eye, singing along and tapping your feet. Will Keating will be performing traditional Cornish Folk favourites as well as songs from his highly acclaimed debut solo album, Cornwall My Home (Kernow Ow Thre).

Adult £16/16 £8

Running time 90 mins



Willy Russell's Educating Rita

with Stephen Tompkinson & Jessica Johnson

18 – 29 AUGUST (Matinees 20, 22, 23, 25, 27, 29, 30)

When married hairdresser Rita enrolls on a university course to expand her horizons, little does she realise where the journey will take her. Starring one of our best loved actors Stephen Tompkinson as Frank and introducing Jessica Johnson as Rita. This production directed by Max Roberts of Live Theatre has garnered rave reviews.

Tickets from £10 - £40

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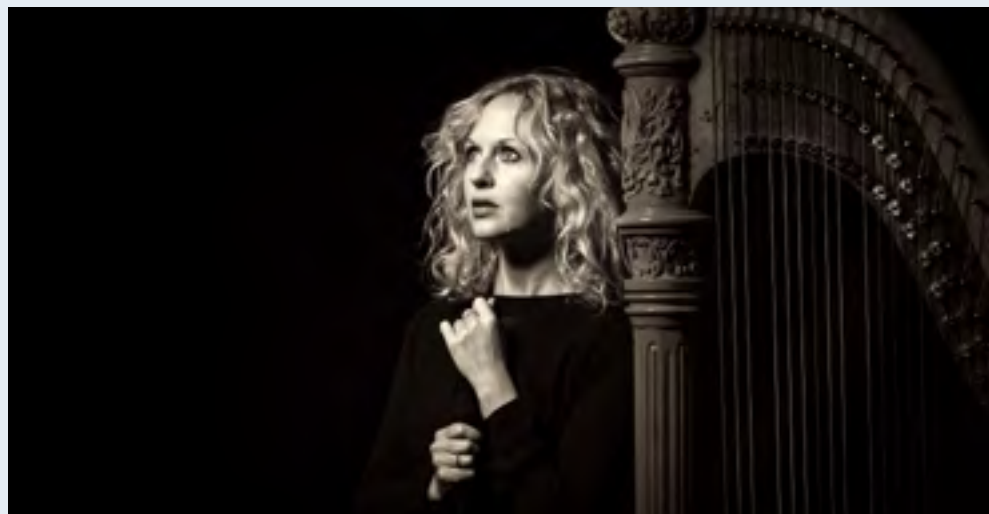


Alistair Brammer – A Night at the Musicals

24 AUGUST

Local lad, Alistair Brammer who has made his career in London's West End and on Broadway, as well as in TV and film, returns to the South West for one night only, to sing you songs from the shows live at the Minack Theatre. He has played lead roles in such shows as Les Miserables, Joseph, War Horse, Miss Saigon (New York), and most recently, before lockdown, Wicked in the West End. He also appeared alongside Hugh Jackman and Russell Crowe in the Les Miserables movie. Expect hits from 'Les Mis', Phantom of the Opera, Chess, Miss Saigon and much more!

Adult £20/16 £10



Ruth Wall – The Three Harps

31 AUGUST

Join us for a unique summer evening with internationally renowned harpist Ruth Wall. Performing on her three distinctive harps, Ruth plays an enchanting mix of old and new tunes from around the British Isles. From Highland jigs and Welsh folksongs to Irish laments and Classical favourites she celebrates the range of music for these majestic instruments, with a few surprises up her sleeve.

Tickets Adult £16/16 £8



Mischief Movie Night

2 – 6 SEPTEMBER (Matinees 3, 5, & 6 September)

Mischief Theatre, the award-winning company behind The Play That Goes Wrong and The Comedy About A Bank Robbery return to their comedy roots with Mischief Movie Night, the improvised movie live on stage! You suggest a genre, location and title and Mischief Theatre's improvisers bring the show to life, complete with rewinds, fast forwards, director's cuts and a thrilling live score. Starring them, directed by you, Mischief Movie Night is a guaranteed comedy blockbuster!



Oh Mary!

9 – 12 SEPTEMBER (Matinees 10, 12)

Bec Applebee, well known for her work with internationally acclaimed companies Kneehigh Theatre, Wild Works and Dalla, now presents you Oh Mary! A one woman physical theatre show based on the incredible life story of Mary Bryant: Cornish Highway Woman, Convict, Mother and Maritime adventurer. An epic story of personal strength, bravery and loss.

Adult £16/16 £8



SOLD OUT!

Seth Lakeman - Solo

13-14 SEPTEMBER (Matinee 13)

Seth Lakeman will be heading back to the Minack in September 2020 (yes – that's this year!) for two performances. He'll be playing songs from throughout his back catalogue including most recent album A Pilgrim's Tale.

Tickets £30



The Wind in the Willows

22 – 26 SEPTEMBER (Matinees 22 & 24 Sept at 1.30pm, 26 Sept at 3pm)

by Kenneth Grahame, adapted by Oliver Gray.

Mole yearns for adventure, Rat adores boats and Badger likes peace and quiet. Into their lives bursts Toad who loves very fast cars and just can't seem to help getting into trouble. But can the animals reform Toad's character and evict the squatters from his ancestral home?

Adult £16/16 £8

Recommended for children aged 5+ and their families

Running time: 1 hour