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CAMP 2017

Come And Make Performance INFORMATION PACK

When is CAMP happening?

Saturday 25 & Sunday 26 March 2017

Please see the timetable at the end of this document for detailed session times.

Where is CAMP?

CAMP will take place at Back to Back Theatre.

Old Courthouse Building
60 Little Malop St
(entry via Police Lane)
Geelong VIC 3220

It's only a short walk through Johnstone Park from the Geelong station if you're travelling by train. See the map below for directions from the train station. We are in the white building next door to GPAC (Geelong Performing Arts Centre).

If you get lost, please call Back to Back Theatre: 5221 2029

For enquires about CAMP contact Nikki Watson on nikki@backtobacktheatre.com or 03 5221 2029.

How do I get to Back to Back Theatre by train?

Trains from Melbourne to Geelong depart hourly. If you're travelling from other regional areas in Victoria, such as Ballarat, Bendigo, Gippsland or Seymour, you can also catch a train, but departure times are not as regular as the Melbourne route and you should check your area's timetable online - <http://www.vline.com.au> or call 1800 800 007. Myki is valid on the Geelong train, and on all public transport in Geelong.



What other public transport is available in Geelong?

Buses run throughout Geelong and the Surf Coast. The best bus stop to arrive and depart from is on Moorabool Street or at Geelong train station. For timetables and routes go to <http://www.ptv.vic.gov.au> and search for Geelong. You will need a Myki card to travel on Geelong buses.

Where can I park?

There is free weekend parking in Police Lane (near the Back to Back Theatre entrance) however there are a limited number of spaces. There is also free street parking on weekends on Little Malop Street, Gheringhap Street and Ryrie Street, however time limits apply. Alternatively you can park in the Civic Centre car park on the corner of Gheringhap Street and Little Malop Street, where free parking is available on **Saturday only**.

Lunch & Coffee

Lunch is included in your fee and will be provided on both days. There will be vegetarian and gluten-free options available. If you would like to buy your own lunch, on the Saturday James Street Bakery will be open; they serve coffee, drinks, and standard café fare. On the Sunday the closest eatery's are in Little Malop Street and Market Square Shopping Plaza. No food or drink (other than water) is to be taken into the studios.

What to bring?

Please bring yourself, your imagination, and an open mind! Wear clothing that you find comfortable and can move freely in. Please do not bring valuables, as there is nowhere to store them. Please bring your own water bottle.

Who will be there?

Joining you will be other CAMP participants, the artists running the workshops, and several staff members from Back to Back Theatre, organisers Tamara and Nikki will be on hand to assist with any enquiries. Tamara and Nikki both have First Aid certification and access to First Aid equipment.

Can support people attend?

In general we encourage participants to engage in the workshops without a carer. However, if a participant requires specialised one-on-one support, please contact us on 03 5221 2029 to discuss this. Carers and guardians are welcome to participate in workshops as a fee payer, and will need to fill out an individual registration form.

Geelong Taxi

The number for taxis in Geelong is **13 2227 (13CABS) or 131 008**.

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INFO FOR OUT OF TOWNERS

How do I get to Back to Back Theatre from the Airport?

From Melbourne Airport Tullamarine

The Gull Bus is a service from Melbourne Airport to Geelong for bookings call 03 5222 4966 or go to <http://gull.com.au>.

From Avalon Airport

There is a shuttle bus from Avalon Airport to Geelong. The bus meets every flight, and you can book a ticket at the counter in the terminal when you land or pre-book by calling (03) 527 88 788 or go to <http://www.avalonairportshuttle.com.au/>.

Where can I stay in Geelong?

Back to Back has arranged discounted rates for the Mercure Hotel Geelong.

Mercure Geelong

Address: Corner Myers St and Gheringhap St, 3220 Geelong VIC

Website: <http://www.mercure.com/gb/hotel-3033-mercure-geelong/index.shtml>

Phone: 03 5223 6200

Unfortunately the Mercure was unable to offer a discount code due to it currently being sold, please call and ask directly for a discount when you book.

Quest Apartments

Address: 16–18 The Esplanade South, Geelong, 3220

Website: http://www.questapartments.com.au/Accommodation/96/Australia/Victoria_Regional/Quest_Geelong/

Phone: 03 5228 2000

Airbnb

There are some great budget options on <http://www.airbnb.com.au>. These are private residences that are available to rent on both long and short-term arrangements.

Riverglen Holiday Park

This caravan park is situated 9 minutes drive from Back to Back Theatre. They offer cabins for reasonable rates. For information including rates and contact details visit <http://www.riverglenhp.com.au/9892/Rates/>.

Shopping & Dining

Shopping

Westfield and Market Square are located next to each other in central Geelong and are approximately a 5 minute walk from Back to Back Theatre.

Supermarkets

The closest supermarket to Back to Back Theatre is Coles, located in Westfield Shopping Centre. There is also a 7-Eleven on Moorabool Street, which is about 3 minutes walk from the venue.

Restaurants & Cafés

You will find a selection of restaurants, bars and cafés along Geelong waterfront, with a range of menu and pricing options.

Coffee Recommendations

Coffee Cartel, James Street Bakery and Hucksters & Co are our favourites; they're all a short walk away on James Street and are open on most weekends.

Bars

Union Street Wine Bar on Union Street is our favourite. It's a short walk from Back to Back Theatre. The Hot Chicken Project (84A Little Malop Street) is also a surprisingly great option for drinks, not to mention the fried chicken. They also have a vegetarian option.

Cinema

Village cinema is walking distance (about 7 minutes) from B2B located at 194/200 Ryrie Street.