

Free Access to the 2020 'CIRCUS QUIRKUS' and 'WORLD FESTIVAL OF MAGIC' Shows

COVID has changed everything for all of us, and particularly so for the vulnerable and 'high-risk' children and families, many who can no longer safely attend public spaces. We are unable to do live events, but as the old saying goes, "the show must go on"...

The Rotary Club of Preston and Children First Foundation are again holding their annual *'CIRCUS QUIKUS' and 'WORLD FESTIVAL OF MAGIC' Events,* but this year with a difference... both shows will be streamed directly to the audience over the internet.

'CIRCUS QUIRKUS' - hosted by hosted by the Rotary Club of Preston Streaming Available from Friday 20th November - Sunday 22nd November 2020

An eclectic & entertaining mix of circus acts brought to you from all over the world. Internationally renowned clowns, jugglers, acrobats & more, deliver hilarious, hugely engaging & sometimes death-defying acts of unbelievable skill. Suitable for all ages.

'WORLD FESTIVAL OF MAGIC' - hosted by Children First Foundation

Streaming Available from Friday 18th December- Sunday 20th December 2020

Audiences will be amazed by cutting edge, large scale illusions and intimate close-up magic by world renowned magician, Michael Boyd. Suitable for all ages and fun for the whole family.

We hope these events provide children of all abilities and backgrounds with an opportunity to experience world-class entertainment in an inclusive, accessible & safe environment where they feel free to be themselves without restriction or judgement.

This year audience members can watch both 'Circus Quirkus' and 'World Festival of Magic' shows from their own COVID-safe bubble at home, or if they prefer (and if it's safe) gather with friends to watch them as a group.

The shows can be watched at any time during the three-day period available, and unlimited access means they can also watch it as many times as they like during that time. Or just play their favourite bits over and over again.

All that is needed to enjoy our shows this year is an internet connection and a device with a screen such as a PC, laptop, tablet or even a smartphone. We will provide you with a web address and a password for each of the shows.

HOW TO BOOK...

(Please respect that the show has been funded through local business sponsorship for special needs and disadvantaged groups ONLY; it is not to be made available for general viewing)

Please contact the families at your school to ask who would like access to our online shows, and then email meredithnewman@showintent.com.au or call 0476-589-799 with the following information:-

- The total number of families, booked and how many devices they require access for
- If possible, how many people will be watching from each location/device (approximately)
- If you would also like access to streaming for in-school viewings please let me know approximately how many students will be viewing the shows and how many devices you require access for.

Once we have received your response, we will provide you with the web address and password to access the 'Circus Quirkus' show online, <u>available to stream on-demand on 20/21/22 November 2020</u>

If preferred, you are welcome to request the web address and password now and confirm how many families you shared access with and the approximate number of devices closer to each show's streaming date.

Individual ticket orders from parents, guardians, carers, etc. are welcome if bulk orders cannot be accommodated. Please ask them to email me directly at the above address.

*Web address and password for the 'World Festival of Magic' will be emailed to you a week before streaming is available on the 18/19/20 December 2020.



