

IN HAMWORTHY PARK

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PERFORMANCES TAKE PLACE IN HAMWORTHY PARK | TICKETS all tickets £10

Roundabout, Paines Plough's award-winning, portable, in-the-round auditorium is back. This autumn, we're heading to Hamworthy Park for a 4-day celebration of new plays, a musical, a drag performance and community event. This celebration of affordable, joyful, revitalising performances in our adaptable pop-up venue offers something for everyone.



BLACK LOVE

By Chinonyerem Odimba

With music by the Ringham Brothers

Introducing Roundabout's first ever musical. Black love is an explosion of form busting storytelling, an ode to Black music, and those real stories we rarely hear.

Content warning: strong language, scenes of a sexual nature.
Trigger warning: references to and themes around racism, death of a parent.

AGE GUIDANCE 12+ | RUNNING TIME 80 minutes



MAY QUEEN

By Frankie Meredith

May Day in Coventry, 2022. Sixteen-year-old Leigh has been chosen as May Queen, she's buzzin', as is the rest of the city – but an encounter during the day's festivities will soon change everything.

Content warning: Strong language, sexual assault.
Trigger warning: Description of sexual assault

AGE GUIDANCE 12+ | RUNNING TIME 70 minutes



REALLY BIG AND REALLY LOUD

By Phoebe Eclair-Powell

This is a story. Charli's story. It's about losing your voice and going on a big adventure to find it again. It features a rageful rhino, a very helpful fly called Stephen and some really good songs about chips.

AGE GUIDANCE 5+ | RUNNING TIME 60 minutes



HUNGRY

By Chris Bush

Hungry is a new play about food, love, class and grief in a world where there's little left to savour.

Content warning: Strong language. Trigger warning: References to eating disorders, death of a parent.

AGE GUIDANCE 12+ | **RUNNING TIME** 70 minutes

LEFT LUGGAGE

Written and performed by Gemma Allred

Have you ever stood on a platform and waved goodbye to someone you once loved? Left Luggage is a one woman show recalling the train journeys between old friends, past lives, and lost lovers.

AGE GUIDANCE 12+
RUNNING TIME 30 minutes (Plus Post Show Q&A)

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THE HEART AT THE CENTRE OF THE WORLD

By Andrew Muir

Two strangers find each other on a beach. One can't leave their boat, and the other keeps their wetsuit on. Together they start digging and they don't stop until finally they're heard. A play about being seventeen and a little lost.

Part of Here and Now, a national and local celebration of culture within communities.

AGE GUIDANCE 7+ | **RUNNING TIME** 50 minutes

DRAG ME TO LOVE

Written by Cameron Sharp

So imagine this: You are 14 years old and you are a drag queen. It's golden stilettos, ripped fishnets, shoulder pads, and neon bobs. It's expression. It's glamour. It's power. It's Doncaster, 2009. We will laugh. We will cry. We will sing and we will dance. You are bound to fall, as we drag you into love.

AGE GUIDANCE 16+ | **RUNNING TIME** 70 minutes

Performance Schedule

THU 14 OCTOBER

BLACK LOVE 7.30pm

FRI 15 OCTOBER

LEFT LUGGAGE 5.30pm

MAY QUEEN 8pm

SAT 16 OCTOBER

REALLY BIG AND REALLY LOUD 11am

**REALLY BIG AND REALLY LOUD:
WORKSHOP** 12pm

HUNGRY 2pm

**DRAG ME TO LOVE:
WORKSHOP** 4pm

**THE HEART AT THE CENTRE
OF THE WORLD** 7pm

DRAG ME TO LOVE 9pm

SUN 17 OCTOBER

REALLY BIG AND REALLY LOUD
(captioned) 11am

BLACK LOVE (captioned) 2pm

MAY QUEEN (captioned) 5pm

HUNGRY (captioned) 7.30pm

TICKETS all tickets £10

WORKSHOPS

FREE

DRAG ME TO LOVE: WORKSHOP

You are walking towards the stage in a pair of six-inch stilettos. That silver wall of glitter hits your face and the lights begin to cascade across it, it's time! Join Bonnie and The Bonnettes for some fierce, fiery, fabulous fun. Embrace the glitz and the glamour, as you explore the beauty of drag. Sessions aimed at 14+ years.

BOOK IN ADVANCE

REALLY BIG AND REALLY LOUD: WORKSHOP

Stay after the show and join the workshop.

DATES & TICKETS

THU 14 - SUN 17 OCTOBER

TICKETS all tickets £10 (Age guidance from 5+)

Roundabout is great for groups, parties and extended families.

HOW TO BOOK

ROUNABOUT shows are ticketed with unreserved seating. Book your seat now at a one-of-a-kind theatre show, a musical, a live drag performance or our community event.

Go to our Website: www.lighthousepoole.co.uk

Call our friendly Ticket Office: **01202 280000**

In person: **Lighthouse, 21 Kingland Road, Poole, Dorset, BH15 1UG**

Ticket Office hours: Tuesday to Saturday, 10am – 8pm, Monday: 10am – 5pm for telephone sales only.

There will be a Ticket Office on site, opening an hour before each show.

Bookings can be made on the day of the performance at the ROUNABOUT theatre but to avoid disappointment advance bookings are recommended.

LOCATION

**Hamworthy Park, Lulworth Avenue,
Poole BH15 4DJ**

GETTING TO ROUNDABOUT

All ROUNABOUT performances will take place in Hamworthy Park. Head towards The Park Café and you'll see the pop up theatre – you can't miss it!

There is a small public car park to the side of the park but why not catch the bus or cycle? You can find out more travel options using the links below:

More Bus: www.morebus.co.uk

Train: www.thetrainline.com

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