



TheatreBOX
STAGE SCHOOL & DANCE ACADEMY

ROALD DAHL'S
Matilda
THE MUSICAL JR.



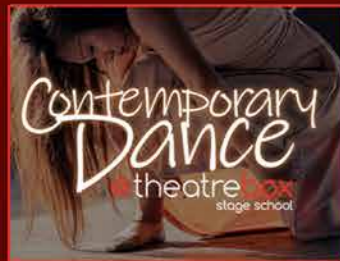
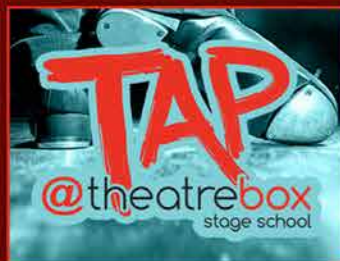
May 20th - 23rd Theatre Royal, Waterford



THE ARTS COMPLEX

Dunmore Road,
Waterford
051-821014

- Make Friends
- Build Confidence
- Have Fun!



Register online at www.theatreboxstudios.com

Theatre/Venue (160 seater) Art Gallery Recording Studio 3 Dance Studios 2 Drum Studios Art Studio Costume Studio Hair & Makeup Studio 15 Classrooms Car Park Spacious waiting area Baby Changing area CCTV security system

WAMA

WATERFORD ACADEMY OF MUSIC AND ARTS

Music | Art | Stage

Bringing the joy of the arts to all ages, regardless of ability, in a safe confidence building environment

Passage Cross, Dunmore Road, Waterford 051 821014

Ukulele | Acoustic, Electric & Classical Guitar | Bass | Piano | Drum Kit | Percussion | Mandolin | Banjo | Voice Training | Violin | Performance Groups | Harp | Art | Dance & Drama | Camps



Welcome

Welcome to tonight's production from TheatreBox Stage School & Dance Academy.

Tonight we are delighted to present two spectacular musicals featuring performers from across our school community. Our senior students take to the stage in the high-energy classic Grease, while our junior performers bring the magical world of Matilda The Musical to life.

We hope you enjoy an evening filled with music, dance, laughter, energy, and unforgettable performances from our talented students.

A Note From Trevor

Welcome to tonight's production from TheatreBox Stage School & Dance Academy.

What a special evening this is for all of us. To see our students take to the stage in both Grease and Matilda The Musical after months of hard work, dedication, laughter, and rehearsals is something we are incredibly proud of.

This year has been particularly exciting as both productions were rehearsed simultaneously in our home at The Arts Complex. At times every room in the building was alive with music, choreography, singing, acting, and creativity — alongside all the activity from our music school and art department as well. The buzz and atmosphere throughout the building has been absolutely amazing, and it has been wonderful to watch these productions grow week by week.

One of the things I love most about TheatreBox is the range of students we have involved. Tonight, some children will step onto a stage for the very first time, while others are seasoned performers who have grown up performing with us over many years. From our youngest students aged five right through to our senior performers, every single student has worked tremendously hard and should be incredibly proud of themselves.

Productions like these only happen because of the commitment and passion of so many people. A huge thank you must go to Paula Weldon for her wonderful direction of Matilda The Musical, and to Liam Butler for bringing so much energy and creativity to direction of Grease. Thank you also to our fantastic choreographers, Robyn Walsh and Ali Reville, who worked across both productions and have done an incredible job.

Behind the scenes, there is an enormous team working on sets, props, costumes, lighting, sound, staging, and countless other details that audiences never fully get to see. Your hard work and dedication do not go unnoticed, and we are so grateful to each and every one of you.

I would also like to sincerely thank the Theatre Royal for their continued support and warm welcome to our students, staff, and families. It is always a privilege to perform in such a beautiful venue.

Finally, to our students — thank you for your commitment, your enthusiasm, and your courage. You continue to amaze us every single year. And to the parents and families, thank you for the support, lifts to rehearsals, encouragement, and belief in what we do.

Now sit back, relax, and enjoy the show.
Trevor Darmody
TheatreBox Stage School & Dance Academy

GREASE



Running Order

Act 1: Grease

Musical Numbers

Grease
Summer Nights
Freddy, My Love
Greased Lightnin'
Look At Me, I'm Sandra Dee
Grease Reprise
Shakin' At The High School Hop
Born To Hand Jive
Hopelessly Devoted
Beauty School Dropout
Sandy
There Are Worse Things I Could Do
Look At Me, I'm Sandra Dee (Reprise)
You're The One That I Want
We Go Together



ROALD DAHL'S

Matilda

THE MUSICAL

JR.

Act 2: Matilda

Musical Numbers

Miracle
Naughty
School Song
The Hammer
Naughty – Superglue Part 2
The Chokey Chant
This Little Girl
Bruce
Bruce – Part 2
When I Grow Up
The Smell of Rebellion
Quiet
Revolting Children



Grease – Synopsis

Welcome to Rydell High, where the cool kids rule the corridors, rock 'n' roll fills the air, and teenage life is never short of drama. Set in the 1950s, Grease tells the story of Danny Zuko and Sandy Dumbrowski, two teenagers who enjoy a whirlwind summer romance before unexpectedly finding themselves reunited when Sandy transfers to Danny's school.

However, fitting into life at Rydell High proves more complicated than either of them expected. Danny is determined to maintain his tough-guy image as leader of the T Birds, while Sandy struggles to find her place amongst the lively and outspoken Pink Ladies. As friendships grow, secrets unfold, and relationships are tested, the students experience the highs and lows of teenage life, first love, peer pressure, and finding out who they truly are.

Packed with unforgettable songs, energetic dance routines, humour, and heart, Grease has become one of the world's most iconic musicals. From hand-jiving and high school dances to fast cars and summer nights, this feel-good production is a celebration of youth, friendship, and the magic of rock 'n' roll.

Matilda The Musical – Synopsis

Based on Roald Dahl's much-loved story, Matilda The Musical follows the journey of an extraordinary little girl with an incredible imagination and a brilliant mind. Although Matilda loves reading, learning, and storytelling, she often feels misunderstood by the people around her — especially her self-absorbed parents, who have little interest in her talents or intelligence.

Things do not improve when Matilda begins school at Crunchem Hall, where the terrifying headmistress Miss Trunchbull rules with intimidation and fear. Despite the challenges she faces, Matilda refuses to give up. Encouraged by the kindness of her teacher, Miss Honey, she discovers the courage to stand up for herself and her classmates and begins to realise that even the smallest person can make a big difference.

Filled with humour, heart, and powerful musical numbers, Matilda The Musical is an uplifting story about bravery, friendship, imagination, and believing in yourself. It celebrates the power of young people to change their own story and reminds us all that sometimes “naughty” can be a very good thing indeed.

Production Team

Director (Matilda)	Paula Weldon
Director (Grease)	Liam Butler
Choreography	Robyn Walsh, Ali Reville
Producer	Trevor Darmody
Lighting	Richard Lippy Collins
Follow Spots	Jessica McEvoy, Rhys Walshe
Projections	Patrick Kerwick, Leon Sheehan
Sound Effects	Patrick Kerwick
Sound	James Hayes
Mic Dressers	Amber Searson, Luke Brown
Costume Design	Rita Loncke Drohan
Hair & Makeup	Derek Harvey
Set	TheatreBox Staff, Tom O'Neill, Dave Duffy
Stage Manager	Theo Fitzgerald
Stage Hands	Darra Barden, Jamie Doyle Luke Brown, Mike Darmody, Luca MacCann, Jack Redmond, Jamie Walsh Sheila Cordeiro Lucia Murphy
Props	Trevor Darmody
Chaperones	Denise Darmody, Ellen O'Callaghan, Gemma Gunning Patrick White
Videography	Colin Shanahan (DigiCol Photography & Media Productions)

About TheatreBox

TheatreBox Stage School & Dance Academy provides professional training in musical theatre, drama, singing, dance, and performance for students aged 5–18.

Our staff is a collection of talented, dedicated professional instructors who combine a love of theatre with a desire to help others who want to achieve their highest potential. That passion shows in all we do!

TheatreBox is a vibrant and lively theatre school, operating from The Arts Complex, a buzzing, inspirational environment in which students feel encouraged to reach their full potential whether they are coming to develop confidence, make friends or with a professional performing arts career in their sights.

This multi award winning Waterford stage school offers a safe, fun and exciting learning experience, helping pupils to develop self-confidence, self-expression and personal development through the medium of dance, drama and singing. Our welcoming and experienced tutors draw out the individual in every child, encouraging them to explore their imagination, passion and unique sense of self.

Students get the opportunity to perform throughout the year at festivals and events. They also get to go on theatre trips and attend workshops, as well as work towards a large scale end-of-year show in the Theatre Royal.

Theatre Royal June 20th & 21st,

RAISE THE ROOF

**WAMA'S END-OF-YEAR
DANCE & DRAMA SHOWCASE:**

Show 1 - Sat 20th 7pm

Show 2 - Sun 21st 12 noon

An original show written especially for the students

Tickets: theatreroyal.ie or 051-874402

Children €14 + Booking Fee Adults €16 + Booking Fee



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WATERFORD ACADEMY OF MUSIC AND ARTS

Presents:

DNA

A PLAY BY DENNIS KELLY

Directed by Paula Weldon

7.30pm Sun June 21st

Theatre Royal, Waterford

Tickets: €10 plus booking fee

Theatre Royal, The Mall, Waterford, X91 HE9R

theatreroyal.ie Phone: 051 874402

THE CAST OF MATILDA

MATILDA



DERYN MCDONNELL LILLY MAI CUMMINS

MR. WORMWOOD



OISIN MCCARTHY

ERICA



PHOEBE CUMMINS ELLA RAFTICE

TAMMY



AILBHE NI DHUBHDA TILLY COLCLOUGH

MRS. WORMWOOD



VERONICA MCBARRON

MICHAEL



TOM BURNS FIONN MCCARTHY

AMANDA



SALLY MOLLOY LUCY BRENNAN

BRUCE



GEORGE MALONE

MS. HONEY



SEREN BREEN AOIFE DEVLIN SAOIRSE PENKERT PIPPA GALLAGHER

MS. TRUNCHBULL



CIAN KENNEDY

LAVENDER



NIAMH BUTLER NORAH CROWE

ALICE



LEILA FRISBY KATIE SHEEHAN

NIGEL



OLIVER KENNY

MRS. PHELPS



EMILY KEARNS

HORTENSIA



LILYROSE O'SULLIVAN

OLIVIA KENNY

MINI MATILDA



NORAH O'SULLIVAN

HARPER MURPHY

RUDOLPHO & ESCAPOLOGIST



BOBBY CROWLEY

ACROBAT



SHONA PIDGEON EVE O'DONNELL

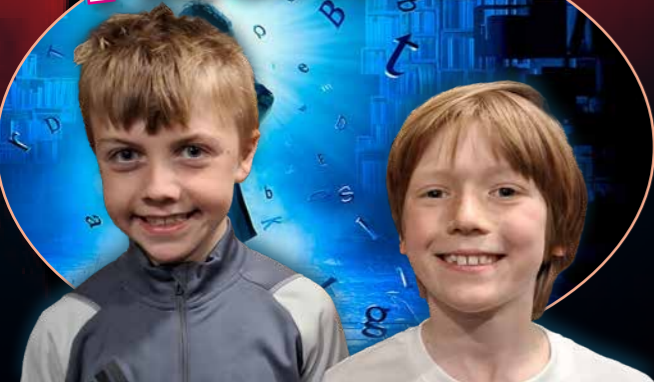
TOTS

FRIDAY 3:30 CLASS A



OLIVIA O'DOHERTY, ADA REDMOND, MAX REDMOND, LUCY MURPHY SEXTON, OLIVIA MURPHY, OLIVIA COUGHLAN, LILYMAI GLODY, TESSA HENNESSY, SOPHIE MCDONALD, HUGO MURPHY, CHLOE READE, KIRIL GRECHKA, ISEULT KINSELLA, CONN O'BYRNE, MAX SHEEHAN

MECHANIC



DYLAN MURPHY

DAVID MURPHY

SERGEI



ZACH DOYLE

TOTS

FRIDAY 3:30 CLASS B



DAISY MOLLOY, EVA DUMBRELL, SADHBH QUANN, ROMINA SANTANA, CARA PIDGEON, HAYLEY LYNCH, MILA FRISBY, YASMINE RAHER O'CONNELL, FIADH BURKE, ZARA O'DRISCOLL, FARRAH O'CONNELL, LOTTIE FEWER, EVIE KINSELLA

JUNIORS

WEDNESDAY 4.30



CHLOE THOMPSON, LAURA DALY, AMELIE BRENNAN, NORAH RUNCIMAN, AIDAN FREEMAN, ELLIE RAFTER, MILLIE REIDY PHELAN, CONOR SKELLY, CATHERINE O REGAN

TOTS

SATURDAY 9AM



GRACE MURPHY, ADRIADNA KHUTSISHVILI, GAUTHAM SULUR, RIAN O'HANLON, ROWAN BEGADON, FIADH BYRNE, HEIDI PURCELL, AINE CROWLEY, CHLOE KAVANAGH, JESSE POWER, SIENA CAVALIERE MCCORMACK, SONNY FLYNN FOGARTY, ELLIE BALABAN

JUNIORS

FRIDAY 4.30



DYLAN MURPHY, OLIVER KENNY, RACHEL BEHAN, CAOILEANN NI DHUBHDA, ORLAITH NEARY, HARPER MURPHY, KAI O'GRADY, AVA HOWLIN, LILY KILLEEN, LEAH REDMOND, NORAH O'SULLIVAN, ELLE FRISBY, DAVID MURPHY

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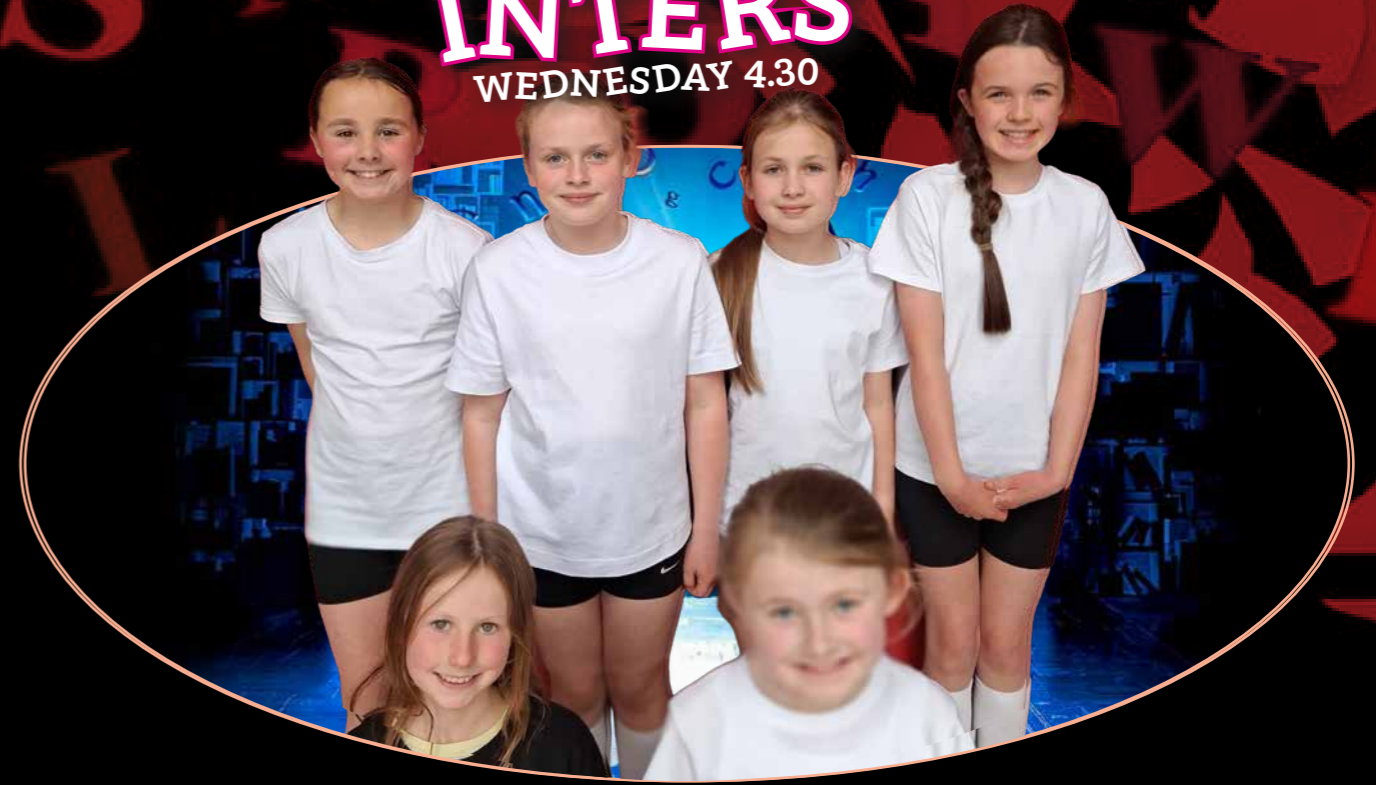
SATURDAY 10AM



CLARA MURPHY, LILY WHITE, AOIFE MCNAMARA, YOU YOU XIANG, CLAUDIA CULLEN, REBECCA FREER, BELLA KELLY, SALLY MOLLOY, PHEOBE O'LEARY, AMELIE PHELAN, ALISON VEREKER, ROISIN CROWLEY, CIARA KIELY, SOPHIA COLLOPY

INTERS

WEDNESDAY 4.30



CHRISSIE HOUGH, TESS DEVANE, GRACE POWER, GEORGE MALONE, EVIE BYRNE, APRIL MOLLOY, NIAMH HEARNE, MARNIE O'NEILL, SORCHA COADE

JUNIORS

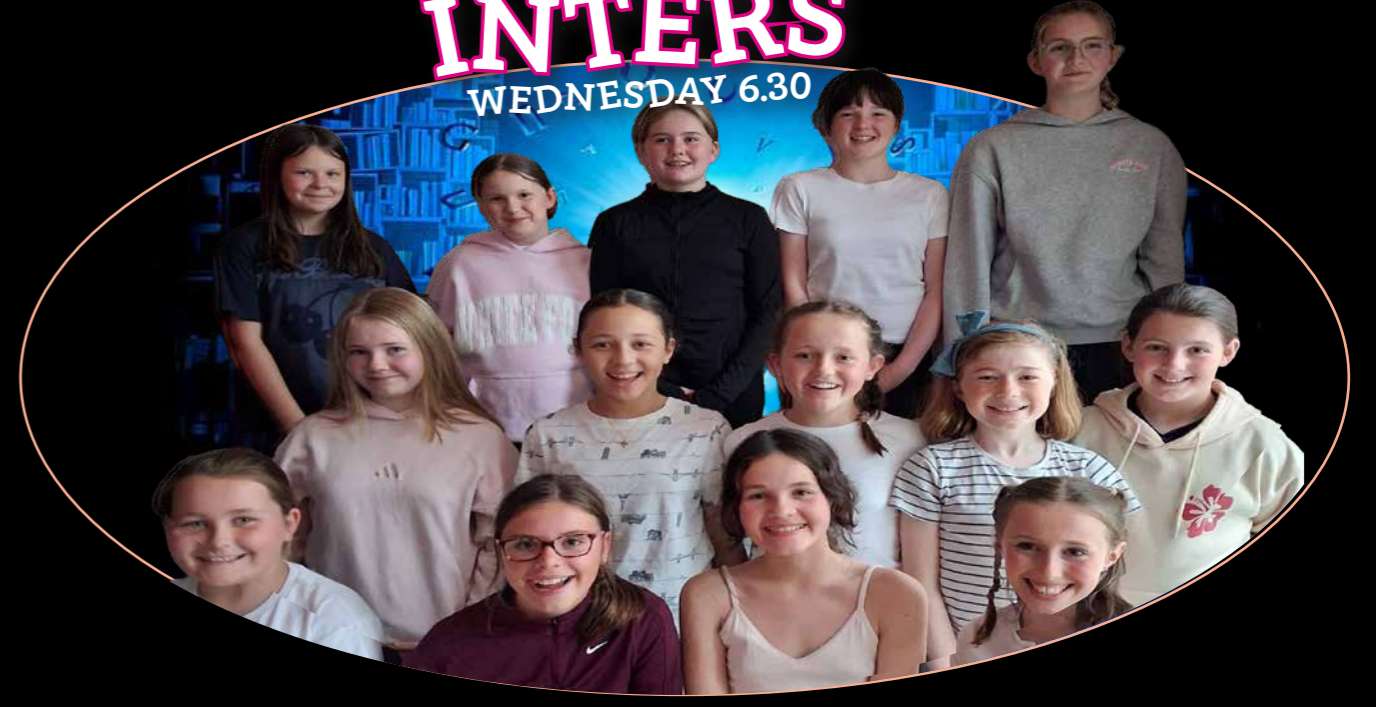
SATURDAY 12PM



IDE PEPPER, GWEN UPTON, MAISIE KELLY, SOPHIE O'NEILL, FREYA BRENNAN, MAYA BELL, OPHELIA MALONE, EVELYN O'REILLY, AVA CAMPBELL SCHULZE, KATE DOHERTY, POPPY QUINN

INTERS

WEDNESDAY 6.30



ROISIN RYAN, LILLY PELIKANOVA, ROISIN ARIA SMITHERS, FREYA MURPHY, ANNA GAFFNEY, CHRISTINA LEONARD, ALI O'GORMAN DROHAN, LILY MAI CUMMINS, CLODAGH CONDON, NIAMH BYRNE, LEXI HUGHES, ANNA SMIRNOVA, ELEONORE SAMSON, CIARA CULLINANE, CIARA COONEY

INTERS

FRIDAY 4.30



ROSIE JENSEN, DARRAGH O'GRADY, LARA MURPHY, WILLOW WATERS, ALLIE FRAMPTON, JAKE O'DONNELL, EOIN HOMPS, FIONN MCCARTHY, CROIA DOYLE, KATELYN DARMODY, LILY ROSE O'SULLIVAN, EMILY DOYLE, TOM BURNS, NORAH CROWE, SOFIA LIPNICKI, AILBHE NI DHUBHDA

INTERS

SATURDAY 10AM



RORY KELLY, AEDIN BYRNE, HANNAH MURPHY, ORLAITH SWEENEY, ANNA PHELAN, PHEOBE CUMMINS, CARA FLYNN, ELLA RAFTICE, NIAMH BUTLER, HOLLY MURPHY, EVIE WALL, KATE MOORE, CAOIMHE DEMPSEY

INTERS

SATURDAY 12PM & 2PM



TILLY COLCLOUGH, JUNO WATERS, SEAN FAGAN, NOAH LACEY, FAYE BARRY, OLIVIA KENNY, SHAUNA WELDON, AMY KINSELLA, KATE SWEENEY, ISOBEL POWER, ROBYN STRAPPE, AVRIL WALSH, CIARA MULLALLY, ZOE SWEENEY, TILLY O'HARA, KATIE SHEEHAN, BELLA FINLAY, LUCY BRENNAN, TARA SMITH, EMMA JANE CORCORAN, LEILA FRISBY, DENISA HOLDEN, DERYN MCDONNELL, OLISHA MALHOTRA

INTENSIVE

SATURDAY 2.30



SOPHIE TRIMBLE, OLIVIA POWER, HOLLY CONNOLLY, KATE O'MAHONY, HOLLY PHELAN, SAOIRSE PENKERT, ZOE BROWN, EVA CORR, AMELIA POWER, TESS POWER, CAOIMHE SWEENEY, PIPPA WILLIAMSON, GRACE DOHERTY, FARRAH CAULFIELD, ORLAITH O'CONNOR, ELLIE KATE MCDONNELL, LUCY BARDEN, MILLIE MCLAWRENCE, AOIFE DEVLIN, ROBYN KELLY, LUCY GLENDON-FORTUNE



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ON SALE NOW!

DANCE ACADEMY SHOWCASE

Featuring excerpts from

TRUTH | BEAUTY | FREEDOM | LOVE

MOULIN ROUGE!
THE MUSICAL!

and solo vocal performances from our singing students.

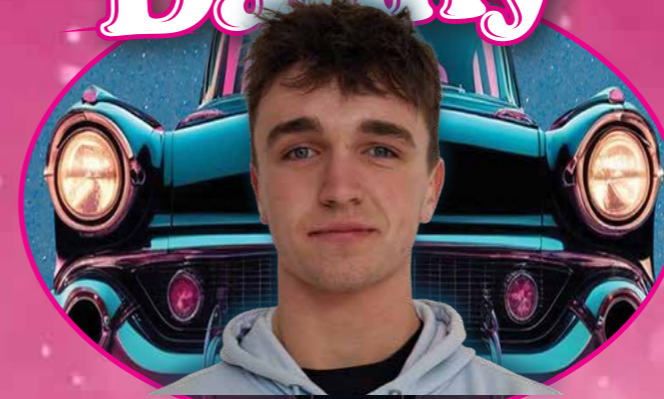
Adults: €15 Children: €13

Tickets: garterlane.ie or 051 855 038

Garter Lane Theatre Wed June 17th & Thurs June 18th 7:30pm

The Cast of Grease

Danny



Dara McCarthy

Sandy



Elodie Dooley Sophie O'Connor

Kenickie



James Lyons-Power

Rizzo



Mary Duggan Ciara Doherty

Marty



Romey Carroll Lola Rodger

Jan



Sarah Dixon Holly Phelan

Frenchie



Aoife Daly Kate Holden

Roger



Tom Power

Vince/ Vincenza



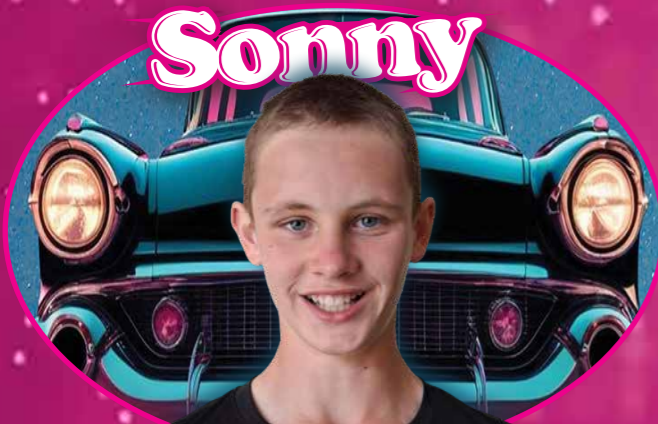
Scott Roche Anna Kenneally

Hand Jive



Anna Kenneally Kerry Reilly

Sonny



Quinlan Hennessy

Doody



Eli Lacey

Teen Angel



Olivia Walsh Kerry Reilly

Miss Lynch



Eve O'Donnell Wendy O'Connor

Patty



Lucy Power Katie O'Reilly

Eugene



Ryan Foley Harvey Crowley

Cha Cha



Grace Doherty Shona Pidgeon Ellie Walsh Alex Reini

Seniors

Wednesday 6.30pm



Quinlan Hennessy, Tadhg Morrissey, Lucy Melbourne, Juno Baeza-Lynch, Robynn Baillieul, Rebekah Walsh, Tommy O'Reilly, Oisín McCarthy, Emma Gahan, Seren Breen, Emily Thompson, Charlee Coady, Patrick Johnston, Amelie Frisby, Emma Furlong, Charlotte Condon

Seniors

Thursday 6pm



Scott Roche, Zach Doyle, Tristan Doyle, Grace Doherty, Eve Mackey, Eve O'Donnell, Caoimhe Curran, Holly Phelan

Seniors

Saturday 2pm



Ellis Wickham, Aoife Duggan, Ben Dingley, Cody Cummins, Eli Lacey, Faye Smyth, Pippa Gallagher, Sarah Dixon, Wendy O'Connor, Clodagh Walsh, Enya Lalvani, Rachel Cuddihy

Young Adults

Friday 6.30pm



Aoife Daly, Grace Kelly, James Lyons Power, Shona Pidgeon, Chloe Weldon, Elodie Dooley, Ryan Foley, Veronica McBarron, Emily Kearns, Bridget Walsh, Dara McCarthy, Lucy Power, Lola Rodger, Cian Kennedy, Kerry Reilly, Andrea Hegarty, Mary Duggan, Sophie O'Connor, Bobby Crowley, Harvey Crowley, Sophie Power, Katie O'Reilly, Eve Hennessy, Abbie Fox, Maria Marino McCann, Tom Power, Issy Shanahan

Intensive Classes



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**Anna Kenneally, Romey Carroll, Ellie Walsh, Alex Reinl,
Mary Duggan, Kate Holden, Lexi Murphy, Bobby Crowley,
Ciara Doherty, Ryan Foley, Elodie Dooley, Harvey Crowley,
Monika Ivanovska, Lucy McDonagh, Tess Power,
and Isabelle Quilty**

GREASE





TheatreBOX

Summer Camp 2026

Camp 1

Mon June 29th - Fri July 3rd
10:30am to 3pm

Camp 2

Mon Aug 10th - Fri Aug 14th 2025
10:30am to 3pm

Sample our courses during camp:

Drama | Dance | Singing | Guitar | Piano | Drums |
Drumming Band | Ukulele | Art | Songwriting | Violin

Suitable for ages 5 to 15

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