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# Unexpected. Uncensored. Unlimited.

Sixth Annual Fundy FRINGE Summer theatre festival brings twenty out of the ordinary acts to uptown Saint John, August 20-25.



SAINT JOHN – Plans for the sixth annual **Fundy FRINGE Festival** are in full swing! The celebrated summer theatre festival will return August 20-25, 2018 making its home in five centrally located uptown venues. The five day festival will treat audiences to a bold twenty act line-up of edgy, out of the ordinary performance art.

The 2018 **Fundy FRINGE** line-up was selected in true FRINGE fashion – by lottery! Year six offers a unique blend of local, national and international acts of drama, comedy, dance, improv, magic and more. FRINGE 2018 has something for everyone including a mysterious magic show, a collection of dances of the Middle East, a musical comedy and even a history of stilt walking! For a complete list of all performances visit: [www.fundyfringefestival.com](http://www.fundyfringefestival.com).

2018 **Fundy FRINGE Festival** performances will take place at 5 prominent uptown locals, including: Inter-Action School of Performing Arts, BMO Studio Theatre, New Brunswick Museum, Picaroons and Saint John Arts Centre.



Tickets for each performance are available at the door or through eventbrite.ca and are \$10 each. Fully transferrable festival passes are \$60 and are good for eight shows. Passes can be purchased at the BMO Studio Theatre located at 112 Princess Street or at venues in advance of the performance. Festival passes go on sale Friday, July 27, 2018.

The *Fundy FRINGE Festival* is part of a growing community of Fringe Festivals throughout North America, dedicated to supporting independent performers and artists and creating affordable spaces through which diverse communities can experience boundary-pushing theatre and other performances, in accordance with the four criteria set out by the Canadian Association Of Fringe Festivals (CAFF): Fringe Festivals are un-juried / Fringe Festivals are uncensored / Fringe Festivals are accessible to audiences and artists /Fringe Festivals return 100% of the ticket price to participating artists.

The **Fundy FRINGE Festival** is supported by Canadian Heritage, the Province of New Brunswick, City of Saint John, Saint John Community Arts Funding, Picaroons, Atlantic Lotto, 97.3 The Wave and Local 107.3.