

A Tangled Feet and Half Moon co-production

Butterflies
for 3-8s

Strapline:

An uplifting tale of friendship and courage

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"I've got that funny feeling again... it's a good thing right?"

Three friends embark on an exciting adventure to chase their butterflies away. They cross new seas to uncharted lands, on a journey filled with discovery. The only trouble is they're all a bit worried about it! During their voyage the group ride the waves, walk high bridges, skirt deep caves and climb to the sky, before reaching dry land braver than ever before.

Join our intrepid characters as they step into the unknown in an uplifting tale of friendship, courage and facing your fears, told using innovative staging, breathtaking physicality, touching humour and a specially commissioned musical score.

Butterflies is a co-production between award winning theatre ensemble Tangled Feet and Half Moon, the UK's leading small-scale theatre company creating work for young people.

#ButterfliesShow @tangledfeet @halfmoontheatre

Images/Trailers

There are a range of photos and a trailer for *Butterflies* is available to view at the following:

Images: <https://www.dropbox.com/sh/8wuduf1d5uarwe4/AAAgO6Ref7mMuqBbahlksFloa?dl=0>

Trailer: <https://vimeo.com/245894764>

Performance Length

Performances last 40 mins (no interval). If a 2 show day a minimum of 2 hours between the start of shows (e.g. 11am & 1pm) is required.

Reviews / Feedback:

"*Butterflies* was received brilliantly. Teachers, parents and children commented on the high production level and were particularly impressed with the atmosphere created by the performers, lighting, and use of physical theatre. It was particularly interesting to see that the children were connected throughout. This play dealt with anxiety in a sensitive and kind way."

(*Nursery and Primary School Teacher, London*)

"Totally wonderful. It really expressed exactly what my daughter has been feeling, Thank you."

(Audience Member, Half Moon Theatre)

“Amazing. I was mesmerised. Thank you”

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“Such an important subject to introduce to children and it was done beautifully.”

(Audience Member)

“Very thought-provoking show. Our three-and-a-half-year old was mesmerised. Thank you.”

(Audience Member)

“We thought the show was wonderful. Very imaginative and magical.”

(Audience Member)

“Was amazing; kept our children’s attention, which is a task in itself.”

(Audience Member)

“Brilliant work! The kids loved it and I (mum) got emotional – well done!”

(Audience Member)

Reviews for past shows:

“Innovative, involving piece of storytelling.”

Children’s Theatre Reviews on Need a Little Help (previous Tangled Feet / Half Moon co-production)

“Not often a show for children is absorbing for children and adults alike. We loved it.”

Audience Feedback on Need a Little Help (previous Tangled Feet / Half Moon co-production)

Touring details: Available for booking for performances between 24th September and 25th November 2018 only.

Technical Requirements (venues):

Get-in: 2.5 hours minimum before half with pre-rig completed prior to get in.

Get-out: 1.5 hours

Venue Configuration: End on. Performing area minimum 6.5m meters (wide) by 5.5m (depth) with 3.5m (height)

Setting: Black box theatre presentation. No wing space required.

Lighting: A lighting plan will be supplied. We will bring additional LED parcans that will be rigged as part of the get in. We will require the use of the venues Lighting Desk.

Sound: We tour a Mac with QLAB but will need to plug this into the venues P.A. system.

Technical staff: 1 technician to assist with get-in, focusing and the get out. If Lighting and Sound cannot be operated together then the venue technician will be required to operate lighting allowing communication between them and our Stage Manager. We tour with a Stage Manager.

Parking: For a Luton MWB van.

Facilities: Dressing rooms for two male / one female performer.

We provide:

Dedicated support from the marketing/PR and technical team at Half Moon.

Up to 500 A5 colour flyers and 15 A3 colour posters. (NB: overprinting will be at an additional cost, please enquire).

Images and production photos for use within venue brochures or broader usage including digital.

Prices:

1 or 2 shows per day.

London/commutable (less than 70 miles from London)

£750 + VAT (1 day)

£2000 + VAT (Split weeks - 3 days)

All other locations

£900 + VAT

£2600 + VAT (Split weeks - 3 days)

Note for venues at very long distances from London, an additional supplement of £100 per day may apply. Note venues that require a get-in the day before may be subject to a fee supplement. Please enquire.

Please note that these fees are subject to a small additional supplement if your venue makes a compulsory contra to us for your costs at the contracting stage (e.g. credit card/box office; get-in/out; marketing/brochure contributions).

Creative Learning Opportunities

Tangled Feet and Half Moon can offer bespoke workshops for groups on the themes of the performance or on the creation of original theatre. CPD workshops for teachers is also available on request.

For more details on this, please contact:

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