



GRIT Newsletter

Thoughts from the artistic director:

Hello families, happy new year! I hope you all enjoyed a wonderful break and had a chance to relax and take it easy with your family...

During the holidays, GRIT facilitated 4 workshops for 5-13yrs. It was great to see so many new faces and catch up with the regulars too. All the proceeds of the first two workshops, went to the K.I Bushfires. The kids created some beautiful heartfelt messages which have been sent to the K.I Bushfires Mayoral Fund along with \$325. The kids were proud to show their gratitude to the people that helped and their support and best wishes to all that were affected by the fires.



On another note, I am excited to announce our newest GRIT professional artist, Kerry Ireland. Kerry and I met in 1996 where we both trained at The Centre for the Performing Arts (ACArts). She has a wealth of industry experience and most recently worked at NIDA (National Institute of Dramatic Arts) and Sydney Theatre Company. Kerry will collaborate with us during workshops and support GRIT in creating a fresh, innovative and exciting new annual program for 2020.

GRIT wants to empower people to make positive change through teaching the art of performance.

We have created a solid framework with clear aims and objectives for each workshop and are super excited to put this innovative new structure/approach into play! Term 1 workshops will investigate what we need to create a great play, be a great performer and work effectively in a performance ensemble. We will develop each participant's performance techniques through drama games that focus on movement, voice and acting, which will culminate into a small in-studio performance in week 10 (Wed 1st April).

Thank you for being part of the GRIT family and encouraging your child to learn through our performance art workshops. Your support means the world. Stay in touch and feel to contact me anytime!

Dates to remember:

10 WEEK WORKSHOPS TERM 1 2020



BELIEVE 5-7YRS

Sundays 10-11am

\$160 per term

iMAGiNE 8-10YRS

Wednesdays 4-5pm

\$160 per term

QUIRK 11-13YRS

Wednesdays 5:15-6:45pm

\$230 per term

IN-STUDIO SHOWING TERM 1

WEDNESDAY 1st APRIL 2020

(Last 15 minutes of workshop 10)



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