

# SHOWBUZZ

Encore  
Theatre Company

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## It's RIO GRAND!

Don't wait until 2016 to go to Rio... get there this week and enjoy the Tasmanian premiere season of Encore Theatre Company's *The Boy from Oz*.

Playing at the Princess Theatre until October 10, you do not want to miss this! And here's a peek at the finished product...

**STOP PRESS:**  
**SHOW DAY SPECIAL**  
**THURSDAY 8 October @ 2pm**

Due to popular demand, Encore are pleased to announce a special Show Day Matinee with special prices (All ticketing is general admission).

Adults/groups/concessions: \$25  
Child U/16 \$15

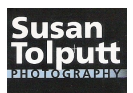
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## Let's hear it for THE BOY...

I really enjoyed The Boy from Oz!!! It was wonderful!! Kris I

Thank you so much for allowing Larmenier choir the opportunity to participate in such a professional and well organised show. Our children had a wonderful time and were certainly on a "High" when they left the theatre. They all tried so hard to be animated, even with the "Ms Rice my knees were shaking" and "Ms Rice I thought I was going to throw up!" but couldn't wait to get back up there for Rio. What a great experience it was for them. Judy Rice, Larmenier Catholic Primary School

We all enjoyed the show. It truly is a great piece of theatre. It was hard to pick a favourite character, but if I had to it would be the young man who played Greg. I thought he was fantastic and the audience all loved it. Peter Wills, Geelong

Congratulations, bravo! We were mesmerised last night as you performed your magic @ the Princess Theatre. We knew it would be entertaining and full of talented performers, but we were blown away by the level of excellence of The Boy from Oz. Congratulations to the hard working people behind scenes, the dazzling performers and especially Belinda....you have directed a show of excellence. John and Sarah Poxon

I enjoyed the orchestra immensely, and Jamie, I didn't know you had so many hidden talents... fantastic! Loved the singing and dancing as well!! Glenn Price, Launceston Branch Secretary, Musicians Union of Australia

Congratulations to everyone associated with The Boy from Oz. It was a great production and thoroughly enjoyable as you would all realise from the enthusiastic response of the audience. Encore is certainly maintaining a consistently high standard. We are very fortunate to be able to live in Launceston and see in our City such outstanding productions performed by local people. Well done and many thanks for making available the tickets on Opening Night. My guest and I enjoyed it immensely. Don Wing, MLC



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Asked toward the end of his life if he planned to write an autobiography, Peter Allen said, "My songs are my biography"

## Join up in 2010

The Encore team prides itself on being just that... a team!

From performers to production crew, dressers to front of house, each area plays a part in bringing together Encore productions. And let's face it... life is NOT a dress rehearsal! Encore would like to hear from people with the following skills and a desire to share them:

- ◆ choreographers
- ◆ pianists
- ◆ stage managers
- ◆ vocal directors
- ◆ set builders
- ◆ costume co-ordinators
- ◆ stage crew
- ◆ hair & make-up artists & more!

So get involved! Email [encoretheatre@hotmail.com](mailto:encoretheatre@hotmail.com) or call Jamie on 0433 999 248.



## Encore Superstars

Encore is extremely grateful to the numerous people who contribute to and make up their organisation. Each and every volunteer plays a part in making the magic happen – both onstage and off.

Encore salutes their efforts and each month highlights one of their team whose efforts assist them in making the magic of theatre happen. And this month's Encore Superstar is Ross Marsden.

Ross's talents for photography and Photoshop are very much on public display with The Boy from Oz theatre program. His stunning pictures and his ability to compile composite images grace the pages of the program, making it an extraordinary document and well worth the investment of producing the entire 28-page program in full colour.



Congratulations to our latest Encore Superstar...

Ross Marsden!

## WHAT'S ON in TASSIE?

Buy Locally & support your own theatre companies!

ON NOW Until 10 Oct The Boy from Oz presented by Encore Theatre Company at the Princess Theatre

7-10 Oct Danny and the Deep Blue Sea presented by Centr Stage at the Annexe Theatre

8-24 Oct Miss Saigon presented TUTT & Craig Wellington Productions at Theatre Royal Hobart

16-24 Oct Identity presented by Tasdance at the Earl Arts Centre

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