

DAPHNE KUHN is proud to announce the  
**THEATRE ON THE SQUARE'S LINE-UP**

**October 2024 – March 2025**

For a detailed line-up visit [www.TheatreOnTheSquare.co.za](http://www.TheatreOnTheSquare.co.za)

Bookings can be made online or directly with the theatre. You can also book on 083 377 4969 or on email at [theatreonthesquare@gmail.com](mailto:theatreonthesquare@gmail.com)



**19<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> November**

Theater Mogul and Daphne Kuhn proudly present  
**DEFENDING THE CAVEMAN.**

Starring the talented **CRAIG JACKSON** | directed by **AURELIE STRATTON**  
South Africa's comedy sensation Craig Jackson takes the stage once again in this side-splitting, insightful exploration of the age-old battle of the sexes. **DEFENDING THE CAVEMAN** has become a global phenomenon, and audiences in Johannesburg are in for a special treat as it returns to Theatre on the Square. Known for its witty and hilarious take on relationships, the show strikes a chord with everyone who's experienced the

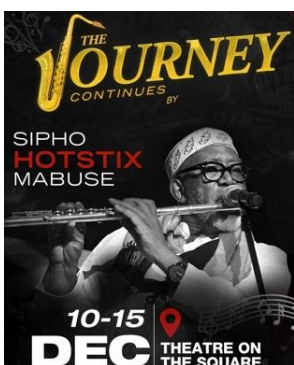
complexities of communication between men and women. **DEFENDING THE CAVEMAN** is the perfect choice to end the year with laughs. **Book at Computicket or directly with the theatre**

**3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> December**

**THE HILARIOUS DEEP AMAZING JOBURG COMEDY SHOW  
WITH GILLI APTER**

Get ready to laugh with the internationally touring, locally grown Netflix comedian **GILLI APTER!** She's back in Johannesburg for a limited run of **THE HILARIOUS DEEP AMAZING JOBURG COMEDY SHOW.** Gilli's confident and unique observations on life - covering everything from relationships and AI to the quirks of parenting and the crime scene in Joburg vs. Zurich - will have you laughing so hard you might forget you're having a nervous breakdown.

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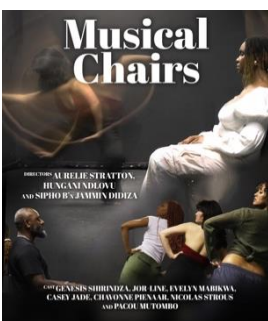


**10<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> December**

**SIPHO "HOTSTIX" MABUSE - THE JOURNEY**

Known for his unique blend of jazz and traditional African music, Hotstix has captivated audiences for decades. Soul Village Entertainment presents 5 intimate nights with Siphon Hotstix Mabuse, featuring special guest musicians and his son, Biko. Experience this musical icon up close and personal in our intimate theatre and celebrate a career that has shaped the South African music landscape. This is the perfect way to end the year on a high note. Join us as Hotstix's Journey continues!

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**2025**

**20<sup>th</sup> January – 2<sup>nd</sup> February**

**MUSICAL CHAIRS**

Produced by **DAPHNE KUHN, AURELIE STRATTON**  
and **GENESIS SHIRINDZA**

and direction from **SIPHO DIDIZA** and **HUNGANI NDLOVU.**

With a cast of 8 versatile artists. **MUSICAL CHAIRS** is the brainchild of The Locksmiths Collective: a multi-disciplinary theatre making duo made up of **SIPHO DIDIZA** and **GENESIS SHIRINDZA**, collaborating with the

HERA duo, **AURELIE STRATTON** and **MEGAN CARELSE.** **MUSICAL CHAIRS** is a story of how we as society interact with social media. Using the premise of a childhood game, the

story blends traditional theatre, physical theatre and dance to highlight different parts of the online world we live in today; from the power dynamics, trends and even how we find love.

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**3<sup>rd</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> February**

**DOG ROSE**

Starring **SOPHIE JOANS** (Île) and **ANTHEA THOMPSON**

**DOG ROSE** is a hilarious comedy about the turbulent relationship between Nina and her mother, Rose, who has high functioning autism. The play explores their constant battles and amusing fights as they try to connect with each other. Through witty dialogue and fantastic performances, the play showcases the challenges of living with autism and the importance of understanding and acceptance. **DOG ROSE** is a gut-busting, thought-provoking play that will leave the audience in tears of laughter, reminding us that sometimes, the best way to deal with life's struggles is to find humour in them. **Book directly with the theatre or online.**



**17<sup>th</sup> February – 2<sup>nd</sup> March**

**THE PILLOWMAN**

Directed by **ILDI KUNGL**

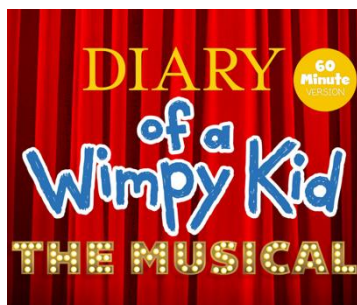
Starring **HUGH BECKER, WENTZEL LOMBARD, GUGU MADLABANE, HELENA HERBST** and **ILDI KUNGL**



Martin McDonagh's masterpiece is a thrilling exploration of truth, art, and the power of storytelling that makes for a haunting and unforgettable production. **THE PILLOWMAN** is a suspenseful play that will challenge your perceptions and keep you guessing until the very end. This production goes beyond traditional theatre by incorporating a pre- and post-show art exhibition.

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Other exciting productions to look forward to include **MOLLY STREET** written and directed by **PETER CHURU** starring **CHIDOCHANGU JO ANNE TENGA** and **PATRICK TEMBO** and the return of the **JOBURG FILM FEST.**



We are thrilled to announce our production and South African premiere of the smash hit musical based on the children's book series phenomenon, **DIARY OF A WIMPY KID** directed by **VICKY FRIEDMAN** with musical direction by **DALE RAY**, featuring a large all South African cast of talented children and professionals for the April holidays.

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