



ilbijerri theatre presents

CHOPPED LIVER

The Blak comedy show you can't liver without...

Written by Kamarra Bell-Wykes
Dramaturgy by John Romeril
Directed by Rachael Maza Long
Featuring Isaac Drandich & Melodie Reynolds
Sound Design by Steph O'Hara

NSW MEDIA RELEASE

After huge success in 2006 & 2007, *Chopped Liver* is hitting the road again in 2008, launching a massive national tour with its first ever visit to NSW.

In 2005, Melbourne based Indigenous theatre company, Ilbijerri, teamed up with the Victorian Department of Human Services, the Victorian Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation, and the Hepatitis C Council of Victoria to develop a play that would communicate Hepatitis C prevention and education messages to the Indigenous community.

The result was *Chopped Liver*, which has gone on to tour to over fifty communities and prisons in Victoria and South Australia over the last two years.

This year, Ilbijerri has joined forces with the NSW Department of Health, the Aboriginal Health & Medical Research Council of NSW, and the Hepatitis C Council of NSW to bring *Chopped Liver* to thirty communities in NSW.

The show will then continue on its biggest tour yet through Victoria, South Australia, Tasmania and Western Australia, in collaboration with other key state and local health bodies.

Told through the stories of Lynne and Jim, the play uses comedy to humanise the experience of Hepatitis C and to break down social boundaries surrounding the virus, raising awareness and opening opportunities for discussion, prevention and support.

It's about knowing that people with Hepatitis C are so much more than "Chopped Liver".

Touring Across Australia
17 June – 14 November 2008

NSW Tour
17 June – 17 July 2008
Please see over for NSW tour dates and locations.

For more information visit:
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Suitable for audiences age 16+. Performance includes drug references.



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Town	Venue	Performance Date	Time
Casino	Please note new venue: Casino RSM Club	Tuesday 17 June	10am
Grafton	Grafton Community Centre	Tuesday 17 June	3.30pm
Kempsey	The Bandbox Theatre	Wednesday 18 June	1pm
Taree	Taree Catholic Church Hall	Thursday 19 June	10am
Newcastle	Wallsend Library	Thursday 19 June	4pm
Wyong	Oasis Youth Centre	Friday 20 June	11am
Campbelltown	Campbelltown Arts Centre	Monday 23 June	10am
Wollongong	Illawarra Aboriginal Corporation (Culture Centre)	Monday 23 June	3pm
Nowra	Worrigeer House Conference Centre	Tuesday 24 June	10am
Narooma	The Narooma Cinema	Wednesday 25 June	10am
Queanbeyan	Queanbeyan Community Centre	Thursday 26 June	10am
Wagga Wagga	Wagga Commercial Club	Friday 27 June	10am
Griffith	The Burley Griffin Room, Griffith Regional Theatre.	Friday 27 June	4pm
Deniliquin	Deniliquin RSL	Monday 30 June	1pm
Dareton	Coomealla Health Aboriginal Corporation	Wednesday 2 July	10am
Broken Hill	St Pat's Hall, Crystal Street	Thursday 3 July	10am
Bourke	Bourke Aboriginal Health Service	Friday 4 July	3.30pm
Walgett	Walgett RSL Hall	Monday 7 July	1.30pm
Moree	Old Leagues Club	Tuesday 8 July	10am
Inverell	East Inverell Bowling Club	Tuesday 8 July	3.30pm
Armidale	Armidale Bowling Club	Wednesday 9 July	12pm
Tamworth	Coledale Community Centre	Thursday 10 July	10am
Coonamble	Coonamble Bowling Club	Friday 11 July	10am
Dubbo	Starlight Room, Dubbo RSL	Friday 11 July	4pm
Wellington	Wellington Aboriginal Youth Centre	Monday 14 July	11am
Orange	Orange City Council Theatre	Tuesday 15 July	10am
La Perouse	Please note new venue: Maroubra PCYC	Wednesday 16 July	12pm
Alexandria	Yaama Dhiyaan Training College	Wednesday 16 July	5pm
Glebe	Glebe Youth Centre	Thursday 17 July	12pm
Mt Druitt	Wundunarr Koo (Tregear Community Hall)	Thursday 17 July	4pm



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