



The
10x10
Short Play Festival

10 Playwrights, 10 Directors, 31 Actors, 1 Stage

**June 7th - 7:30pm,
June 8th - 2:00pm and 7:30pm
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Hello and welcome to Magnus Theatre's 10x10 Short Play Festival. We have some wonderful plays for you this year, stories that will make you laugh, make you cry, make you reflect and, most of all, entertain you. We have gathered the best and brightest local talent from across Thunder Bay to perform for you this evening. Thank you to everyone who works so hard to make 10x10 a success, our playwrights, directors, actors, our backstage team and, of course, our Magnus Theatre staff. A big thank you as well to our sponsors – Heartbeat Hot Sauce & The Growing Season.

Above all else we hope that you enjoy your visit to us for this special occasion. Take in the variety of theatre, be amazed at the array of local talent on display, have a drink, take a photo (don't forget to share on social media #10x10Magnus) and be whisked away by the 10 unique stories that we have for you this year.

Jordan Blaxill
Theatre in Education Director

ACT ONE

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Eggs for One

by Carmen Kinniburgh
Directed by Katya Arifin

Featuring:

Julie MacCoy - Mom
Taylor Covino - Jamie
Nico Harding - Benji
Eden Hannah - Lucy

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The Troubles

by Ryan La Via
Directed by Spencer Hari

Featuring:

Eric Tatrallyay - Seamus
Hudson Morash - Liam
Millie Gormley - Anna
Matthew Henry - Daniel



Blue Kiss

by Jordan Lehto

Directed by Rachel Warburton

Featuring:

Steven Hancock - Dean
Jack Kotanen - Gregory



Straight From the Heart

by Sue Blott

Directed by Ricardo Koller

Featuring:

MacKenzie Dillon - Abi
Riley Dafoe - Jill
David Hawkins - Samuel



The Chump List

by Mary Davis

Directed by Ken Horton

Featuring:

Cady Dreger - Jenni

Matthew Jollineau - Brandon

Dan Morrison - Chump

Magnus Theatre stands on the traditional land of the Anishinaabe people, those of Fort William First Nation and other nations of the Robinson Superior Treaty of 1850 and land which hosted an early settlement of Métis people as well. We extend our appreciation for the opportunity to live, create, and perform on this territory.

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ACT TWO

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TLDR Julius Caesar

by Shelby Ch'ng

Directed by Sheena Albanese

Featuring:

Sheena Larson - Marc Anthony

Ariana McLean - Caesar/Octavian

Ben Albert - Casca/Calpernia/Assistant

April Brown - Brutus

Kristina Schroeder - Cassius

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Bang!

by Daniel Hannah

Directed by Gabe Ferrazzo

Featuring:

Paula Sulston - Mary

Andrew Paulsen - Dan

Barb Philp - Mom

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Derby Line

by Guy Newsham
Directed by Lisa Long

Featuring:

Elliott Cromarty - Canadian
Kris Tonkens - American
Hilke Grunys - Mother
Meaghan Forneri - Daughter

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Vanessa's Place

by Ron Fromstein
Directed by Jelena Psenicnik

Featuring:

Janis Swanson - Vanessa
Shannon Vancook - Leese
Katie Bruno - Tina



Carrying a Torch

by Amanda Doig

Directed by ShaeMichelle Watson

Featuring:

Kevin Cunningham - Rowan

Mari Lukkaroinen - Mags

Maranda Dumas - Lucy

Liane Boyer - Aunt Evelyn



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