### GEELONG ARTS CENTRE DELIGHTFUL DAYS & MATINEES

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## DAYTIME ENTERTAINMENT LOVERS REJOICE: GEELONG ARTS CENTRE'S DELIGHTFUL DAYS & MATINEES PROGRAM RETURNS IN 2023

Geelong Arts Centre is thrilled to announce the return of treasured daytime performance program, *Delightful Days & Matinees*.

Bringing some of Australia's best-loved performers to Geelong, *Delightful Days & Matinees* (formerly *Musical Mornings*) returns to Geelong Arts Centre with two unmissable performances in 2023.

An essential part of Geelong's daytime entertainment calendar, *Delightful Days & Matinees* is committed to engaging and connecting with audiences of all ages who prefer to visit Geelong Arts Centre during the day.

Delightful Days & Matinees will continue to foster opportunities for social connection and high-quality theatre experiences.

Arts-lovers from across the region can trust Geelong Arts Centre to make daytime events as memorable, engaging and utterly delightful as possible in 2023.

Kicking off in August, acclaimed local music theatre star, Zoy Frangos and his equally talented wife, Elisa Colla, hit the stage accompanied by the brilliant Richard Chew for Zoy Frangos: Variations. The son of a Greek migrant father and Indigenous Australian mother, Variations chronicles

Zoy's family and musical story through the lens of his cross cultural upbringing.

Then, in November, Anna O'Byrne reflects on the unique experience of being hand-picked by Dame Julie Andrews to play Eliza in the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary production of *My Fair Lady* in the aptly named *Becoming Eliza*; an acclaimed concert features iconic songs from beloved musicals.

Individual tickets and subscription packages are on sale now at <u>geelongartscentre.org.au/Delightful-Days-and-Matinees-2023</u>. Audience capacities are strictly limited – get in quick.

Subscribe and save up to 20% with one of Geelong Arts Centre's five flexible subscription packages.

To learn more about each of the subscriber packages, visit geelongartscentre.org.au/geelong-arts-centre-presents

Geelong Arts Centre's *Delightful Days & Matinees* program is proudly supported by the Victorian Government through Creative Victoria, Major Artistic Partner, Deakin University, and Innovation Partner, Costa Asset Management.

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### **BOOKINGS AND VENUES**

Geelong Arts Centre's *Delightful Days & Matinees* program will be held across multiple venues as Geelong Arts Centre draws closer to the completion of the Little Malop Street Redevelopment in 2023.

Bookings can be made via the website, or by phoning the Box Office on 1300 251 200 between 9:00am and 5:00pm, Monday to Friday.

Please note, Geelong Arts Centre will close from 5:00pm Thursday 22 December 2022 to 9:00am Tuesday 3 January 2023 for the Christmas break. During this time tickets will be available to purchase online only.

To keep up to date with what's on during Geelong Arts Centre's *Delightful Days & Matinees* program, visit geelongartscentre.org.au and sign up to the e-newsletter.

### **MEDIA KIT**

For a comprehensive program breakdown, including show-by-show information, subscription package details, venue descriptions, media assets, and prospective interview opportunities, see the *Geelong Arts Centre Presents 2023* media kit <u>here</u>.

**URL:** geelongartscentre.org.au/about-us/media-centre/media-resources/2023-gp-media-resources



