

DEAR PATRONS

Dear Patrons,

The Guild Theatre Rockdale is pleased to announce its return in 2022 with our 70th Anniversary Season! We are celebrating seventy years of having fun and entertaining the community at the same time.

Our season opens with **Beyond Reasonable Doubt** by Jeremy Archer, a courtroom thriller that puts the audience in the jury as veteran lawyer Sir David Metcalf defends himself from the charge of murdering his wife. Is he guilty? Decide for yourself.

In **Calendar Girls** by Tim Firth, a group of extraordinary women pose for a charity calendar with a difference and in the process find themselves exposed in ways they never expected, revealing more than was ever intended.

Crossing Delancey by Susan Sandler is an offbeat roman à clef comedy about a New York single girl whose grandmother decides to start interfering in her love life. What kind of match will she make?

We close out the year with **Chase Me, Comrade!** by Ray Cooney, a rollicking classic farce that sees the orderly home of Commander Rimmington thrown into chaos when a world famous ballet dancer decides to defect to the west.

We're so glad to be back in 2022 and we hope you'll come and join us!

We thank you for your continued support of The Guild, your local community theatre.

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BOOKING INFORMATION (02) 9597 4558

The Booking Office will open for telephone bookings on the following dates for each production:

BEYOND REASONABLE DOUBT	18 JANUARY
CALENDAR GIRLS	19 APRIL
CROSSING DELANCEY	19 JULY
CHASE ME, COMRADE!	18 OCTOBER

All plays are subject to availability and may change without notice. Due to the Covid-19 Global Pandemic, there exists the possibility of postponement. Please, check our website and social media for updates.

- Website: www.guildtheatre.com.au
- Facebook: The Guild Theatre
- Twitter: @OurGuildTheatre
- YouTube: The Guild Theatre
- Instagram: the.guild.theatre

TICKET PRICES (All performances)

\$30.00	Adults
\$25.00	Concessions
\$25.00	Theatre Parties (20 or more)
\$25.00	Wednesday Night Special
\$100.00	Season Ticket

Price includes programme. Complementary interval refreshments may be temporarily unavailable as part of our safety measures. We look forward to serving them again soon.



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BEYOND REASONABLE DOUBT

BY JEFFREY ARCHER
DIRECTED BY JIM FARROW



“Do you find the prisoner, Sir David Metcalf, guilty or not guilty of murder?”

Distinguished lawyer Sir David Metcalf is fighting the most important defence case of his life. His own. Accused of murdering his wife, he struggles to prove his innocence. This courtroom thriller puts you in the jury but can you condemn a man based on the evidence before you and find him innocent or guilty beyond reasonable doubt?

FEBRUARY 11 – MARCH 12

An Amateur Production BY ARRANGEMENT WITH ORIGIN™ THEATRICAL, ON BEHALF OF SAMUEL FRENCH, LTD.

CALENDAR GIRLS

BY TIM FIRTH
DIRECTED BY SUSAN STAPLETON

“A comedic romp filled with wit, warmth, and genuine insight.”



When the middle aged women of Knapely set out to raise money for Leukemia research, a naked calendar was not what the Women’s Institute had in mind. Based on a true story, this heartwarming comedy of old friends fighting hard to bare all is the fastest selling play in British theatre history.

MAY 13 – JUNE 11

An Amateur Production BY ARRANGEMENT WITH ORIGIN™ THEATRICAL, ON BEHALF OF SAMUEL FRENCH, LTD.

CROSSING DELANCEY

BY SUDAN SANDLER
DIRECTED BY LYN LEE

“Maybe I don’t want a husband!”



Izzy is leading the life of a single girl but her grandmother has other ideas. Is she happy with her own dreams or is it time to try something new? A New York comedy about love, books, grandmothers, pickles, and the possibilities of a new hat.

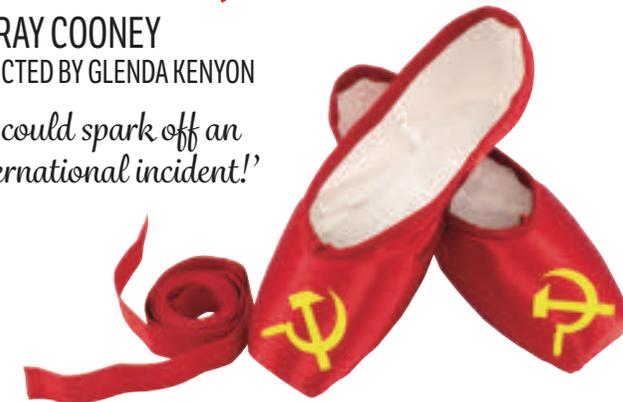
AUGUST 12 – SEPTEMBER 10

By Arrangement with ORIGIN™ Theatrical On Behalf of Samuel French A Concord Theatricals Company.

CHASE ME, COMRADE!

BY RAY COONEY
DIRECTED BY GLENDA KENYON

“It could spark off an international incident!”



In swinging sixties Britain, Commander Rimmington’s orderly home is about to break out into mayhem when he unwittingly brings home a defecting Russian ballet dancer in the boot of his car. Another fast paced Cooney classic farce.

NOVEMBER 11 – DECEMBER 10

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