



FRIDAY

Fusion Beats Bollywood Dance

- AUSTRALIA -

Francesca McMillan has 26 years' dance experience and has been teaching Bollywood dance for the past six. She established Fusion Beats in 2008 to teach Adelaide kids and adults the fun of Bollywood – the bright costumes, beautiful jewellery, catchy Indian tunes and memorable dance moves.

Fri @ 6.00pm Zoo Stage

Airileke

- PNG / AUSTRALIA -

Members of Airileke will demonstrate the instruments and rhythms of Papua, including the Garamut (slit drum) and the Kundu (goanna skin drums) of PNG, the Tifa drums of West Papua and the Kwakumba flutes of the highlands of PNG and create a Sing Sing with their exceptional dancers.

Fri @ 8.00pm Zoo Stage

SATURDAY

Ruby Dhatura

- AUSTRALIA -

Learn to undulate, spin, shimmy and zaghareet and add some spice to your festival dancing repertoire! Ruby Dhatura, the professional performance troupe of Adelaide's Cinnabar Red Dance Collective, will introduce you to some of the basics of their genre, American Tribal Style® belly dance, which is a contemporary, improvisational form of belly dance.

Sat @ 12 noon Zoo Stage

Mokoomba

- ZIMBABWE -

Get a snapshot of Zimbabwean culture through this exciting workshop with the award-winning young band, Mokoomba. The group wants maximum interactivity with the audience, so everyone will be invited to learn some contemporary song and dance under their expert guidance and to ask them as many questions as they like!

Sat @ 2.00pm Zoo Stage

Carminho

- PORTUGAL -

Carminho (voice) and Diogo Clemente (acoustic guitar and musical director) will show how they have adapted and reinvented traditional fados – constructing the melody and the new arrangements – without losing the essence of the originals. They'll also explain what was on their minds when they wrote new lyrics for the old melodies.

Sat @ 4.00pm Zoo Stage

Cie Fracasse de 12

- FRANCE -

This body percussion workshop will enhance the balance of your body and your left and right brain and sharpen your co-ordination. Through games, exercises and fun improvisations, it will help you to recognise and accept your own body, awaken your vocal, rhythmic and percussive talents and induce feelings of well being and joy!

Sat @ 6.00pm Zoo Stage

Mehr Ensemble

- IRAN / AUSTRALIA -

In this workshop, members of Mehr Ensemble will introduce the basic principles of Persian Art music theory and practice. The complex vocal and instrumental techniques, rhythms, and melodic structures used in Persian music performance will be introduced through a live demonstration. The importance of classical Persian poetry in this rich tradition will also be discussed.

Sat @ 8.00pm Zoo Stage

SUNDAY

Taikurtinna Palti Dancers

- AUSTRALIA -

Aboriginal Australians are the proud custodians of the oldest, living, surviving culture in the world and this workshop is a rare chance to (metaphorically) have a fireside chat with the Kurna People of the Adelaide Plains. Learn some Kurna language, dance and culture and also about the origins of the Yidaki (didgeridoo).

Sun @ 1.00pm Zoo Stage

Parade Musicians

- AUSTRALIA -

Join around 60 percussionists and brass players from Adelaide's Raiders Drum Corps for their final rehearsal for the Viva la Vida Parade. To join the Parade, assemble in KidZone at 5.30pm – the Parade will do a loop through Botanic Park, past Internode Centre Stage, between 6.00–6.20pm and finishing back in KidZone.

Sun @ 3.00pm Zoo Stage

Femi Kuti

- NIGERIA -

The mesmerising dancers from Femi Kuti's Positive Force will demonstrate their incredible natural grace and enthral you with a lesson in Nigerian 'booty shaking'. Here's a great chance to see the dancers in action and pick up some moves. This workshop is a guaranteed crowd-pleaser – and a workout for everyone!

Sun @ 5.00pm Zoo Stage

Dub Inc

- FRANCE -

Members of Dub Inc will show the audience how they constructed the track *Better Run*, thanks to computer editing. The musicians will progressively add layers of sound until the piece is complete, and explain this process to the crowd.

Sun @ 7.45pm Zoo Stage

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MONDAY

Flamenco Dance Areti

~ AUSTRALIA ~

Flamenco Dance Areti is Adelaide's premier flamenco dance school and performance ensemble. Their classes emphasise correct technique, learning rhythms, and executing dance forms according to the current pure flamenco trends in Spain. This workshop will be a great introduction to flamenco from a dynamic troupe which has, over many years, thrilled audiences and critics alike.

Mon @ 1.00pm

Zoo Stage

Emel Mathlouthi

~ TUNISIA ~

Emel will take this opportunity to present, in a more intimate and acoustic set-up a selection of old Egyptian songs, and some covers that inspired her work. She will explain how she lived the revolution of January 2011 in Tunisia, and how it has influenced her songs.

Mon @ 3.00pm

Zoo Stage

Azadoota

~ IRAQ / AUSTRALIA ~

Robin Zirwanda is a native of Iraq, where his people, the Assyrians, have lived for 7,000 years. He will present a selection of songs exploring ancient language, symbolism, cultural practices and assimilation.

Azadoota will demonstrate Assyrian rhythms and the audience will learn some traditional dances, passed down through generations from time immemorial.

Mon @ 5.00pm

Zoo Stage

Greg Sheehan (Jeff Lang)

~ AUSTRALIA ~

Body percussion is a term for percussive dance based on the ancient and primal human reaction of clapping hands. Greg's unique method, developed over 30 years, begins with a basic walking rhythm. From that basis, a handclap is added and finally overlaid with rhythmic number patterns. The workshops are therapeutic, informative, fun and uniquely bonding.

Mon @ 7.00pm

Zoo Stage