

## EVENT & FILM GUIDE – JULY 2021



### Finding You (PG)

Running Time: 119 minutes

After an ill-fated audition at a prestigious New York music conservatory, violinist Finley Sinclair travels to an Irish coastal village to begin her semester studying abroad. At the B&B run by her host family she encounters gregarious and persistent heartthrob movie star Beckett Rush, who is there to film another installment of his medieval fantasy-adventure franchise. As romance sparks between the unlikely pair, Beckett ignites a journey of discovery for Finley that transforms her heart, her music, and her outlook on life. In turn, Finley emboldens Beckett to reach beyond his teen-idol image and pursue his true passion. But when forces surrounding Beckett's stardom threaten to crush their dreams, Finley must decide what she is willing to risk for love.



### Moonbound (PG)

Running Time: 84 minutes

When Peter sets out on a magical journey to rescue his little sister Anne, he needs to travel to mysterious territory: the Moon! Anne was kidnapped by the evil Moon Man when she tried to help the beetle Mr. Zoomzeman in search for his wife. On his fantastic adventure, Peter lands on the Star Meadow where he meets the sleepy Mr. Sandman. He knows, only at the Night Fairy's dinner in the castle in the clouds, they can find out where Anne is – but there aren't enough seats for everyone. So they join the wild race along the Milky Way against the five Spirits of Nature.



### Minamata (M)

Running Time: 105 minutes

**Johnny Depp** plays the famous Life magazine photographer **W. Eugene Smith** who in 1971 undertook the most challenging and important subject of his career in travelling to the small Japanese village of *Minamata* which had been ravaged by an outbreak of Mercury Poisoning due to gross negligence by Japan's Chisso Corporation, the government itself, and even the Yakuza.



### Percy vs Goliath (PG)

Running Time: 99 minutes

Based on events from a 1998 lawsuit, *Percy vs Goliath* follows small-town farmer **Percy Schmeiser**, who challenges a major conglomerate when the company's genetically modified (GMO) canola is discovered in the 70-year-old farmer's crops. As he speaks out against the company's business practices, he realizes he is representing thousands of other disenfranchised farmers around the world fighting the same battle. Suddenly, he becomes an unsuspecting folk hero in a desperate war to protect farmers' rights and the world's food supply against what they see as corporate greed.

## TICKETS

In advance: Adult \$11, Senior \$9, Student/Child \$9  
 On the door: Adult \$14, Senior \$12, Student/Child \$12

From [www.eventfinda.co.nz](http://www.eventfinda.co.nz)

Please see the back page for event dates and times



## Days of the Bagnold Summer (M)

Running Time: 86 minutes

The *Inbetweeners* star **Simon Bird**'s directorial debut is a funny, charming and wince-inducingly accurate adaptation of **Joff Winterhart**'s graphic novel, with a soundtrack by Belle & Sebastian. *Days of the Bagnold Summer* sweetly draws you into the wobbly relationship between well-intentioned single librarian Sue Bagnold and her black-clad teenage son Daniel, who'd rather listen to **Metallica** than his mother. Daniel was meant to spend the summer in Florida visiting his dad, but is now stuck with Mum following the trip's cancellation.



## Dream Horse (PG)

Running Time: 113 minutes

Experience the inspiring true story of **Dream Alliance**, an unlikely racehorse bred by small town bartender, Jan Vokes (**Toni Collette**). With very little money and no experience, Jan convinces her neighbours to chip in their meagre earnings to help raise Dream and compete with the racing elites. Their investment pays off as Dream rises through the ranks and becomes a beacon of hope in their struggling community.

## COMING NEXT MONTH



Looking for a good excuse to catch up with your girlfriends? Grab a friend or two and come along to our ladies night out.

## Finding You (PG)

Thursday 15 July - 7.30pm



Tickets - \$22 in advance or \$25 on the door (includes movie ticket, glass of bubbles and a Kapiti Ice-cream)



## The Man in the Hat (PG)

Running Time: 95 minutes

*The Man In The Hat* sets off from Marseilles in a small Fiat 500. On the seat beside him is a framed photograph of an unknown woman. Behind him is a 2CV into which is squeezed Five Bald Men. Why are they chasing him? And how can he shake them off? As he travels North through France, he encounters razeteurs, women with stories to tell, bullfights, plenty of delicious food, a damp man, mechanics, nuns, a convention of Chrystallographers and much more. And always, on his tail, the Five Bald Men. As the Fiat 500 wends its way across the mountains, gorges and bridges of France, the 2CV hard behind him, *The Man in the Hat* (**Ciaran Hinds**) comes face to face with the vivid eccentricities of an old country on an old continent.



# LIVE EVENTS



## Matariki on the Move: Korero Wednesday 7 July - 7pm

Join renowned Māori astronomer **Dr Rangi Matamua**, maramataka Māori expert **Rereata Makiha** and master navigator **Hoturoa Kerr** for one night only, as they share their mātauranga (knowledge) and passion for Māori astronomy. With extensive knowledge of the maramataka (lunar calendar), celestial navigation and the Matariki star cluster, this is a unique opportunity to hear from three tohunga (experts) in person. Learn about Matariki as well as other stars and celestial bodies – how they guided the traditional way of life for many Māori throughout Aotearoa in days gone by and their continuing importance in today's modern world. A great way to expand your knowledge of Matariki and broaden horizons. Spaces are limited, booking essential.

*Ticket update: All seats have been allocated for this event and there are no more tickets available. You are welcome to turn up on the night in case people don't show up, but there is no guarantee of a seat. If you have reserved a seat(s) and are no longer able to come, PLEASE contact Hawkins Theatre so your ticket can be reallocated.*



## Let It Go - The Songs of Frozen 1&2 - Live In Concert

Sunday 11 July - 10.30am & 1pm

*Frozen 1* and *Frozen 2* are undoubtedly two of Disney's greatest animated movies of all time. The soundtrack to the movies is stunning, and while the big songs like 'Let it go' have probably been overplayed in your house, you have to admit they are now classics! Now for the first time, **Showcase Entertainment Group**, the Producers of *Dr Seuss's The Cat in the Hat* and *Madagascar The Musical* are bringing the magic of these songs to the theatre stage in a concert for the young and young at heart. *Let It Go* features the sisters Anna and Elsa in full costume, along with some of their popular friends from the Frozen movies. So feel free to dress up as Anna or Elsa....or even Olaf and come and enjoy this wonderful concert production of the songs from *Frozen 1 and 2*. *Let It Go - The Songs Of Frozen 1 & 2 - Live In Concert* these July school holidays.

Tickets on sale now and available from Eventfinda  
Premium:\$35, A Reserve:\$30, B Reserve:\$25 (additional booking fees may apply)



## Wonderland Glow Show

Monday 2 August - 10am & 11.30am

Tuesday 3 August - 10am & 11.30am

**The Glow Show Company** is back with *Wonderland Glow Show*, a 'kiwified' interpretation of the classic 'Alice in Wonderland' tale for tamariki, educators and whanau! Let your imagination soar as you're transported by the magic of giant scale glow-in-the-dark puppetry. The mega edu-taining *Wonderland Glow Show* promotes literacy and Te Reo Māori, celebrates the exquisite art of ultraviolet puppetry, and demonstrates "Being your most creative self! Hei tino auaha koe!" *Wonderland Glow Show* is an upbeat, engaging show that dives headlong into a weird and wonderful world of dancing flamingos, shuffling cards, an 8-metre caterpillar and giant flowers. But it's not all rosy... there's a march here on the loose!

Shows are created specifically for your age groups:  
10 am session for 0-5 year-olds – suits ECEs and Year 1  
Puppetry-music-dancing-moving! Meet puppets! 40 minutes!

11.30 am session for 6-12 year-olds – suits Years 2-8  
Puppetry-story-music! Meet actors with patai (Q and A) 55 minutes!

Tickets on sale now and available from Eventfinda  
10am session \$12.50, 11.30am session \$14.50 (additional booking fees may apply)

# SAPACS

## South Auckland Performing Arts Competition Society

Thursday 20 - Sunday 25 July - From 9am  
Thursday 29 - Friday 30 July - From 5.30pm  
Saturday 31 July - Sunday 1 August - From 9am  
Friday 6 August - From 5.30pm  
Saturday 7 - Sunday 8 August - From 9am  
Friday 13 August - From 5.30pm  
Saturday 14 - Sunday 15 August - From 9am

The **South Auckland Performing Arts Competitions Festival (SAPACS)** is a major event on the regions's arts calendar. It is run under the umbrella of the **Performing Arts Competitions Association of New Zealand (PACANZ)**.

Koha Donation to watch sessions.

# JULY EVENT & FILM TIMETABLE

Wednesday 7 July	7pm	Matariki on the Move: Korero
Sunday 11 July	10.30am 1pm	Let It Go - The Songs of Frozen 1&2 - Live In Concert Let It Go - The Songs of Frozen 1&2 - Live In Concert
Monday 12 July	10am 12.30pm 3pm 7.30pm	Finding You Moonbound Percy vs Goliath Days of the Bagnold Summer
Wednesday 14 July	10am 12.30pm 3pm 7.30pm	Moonbound Dream Horse Minamata Percy vs Goliath
Thursday 15 July	10am 12.30pm 3pm 7.30pm	Dream Horse Minamata Moonbound Finding You - Ladies Night
Friday 16 July	10am 12.30pm 3pm 7.30pm	Moonbound Percy vs Goliath Days of the Bagnold Summer Dream Horse
Monday 19 July	10am 12.30pm 3pm 7.30pm	Days of the Bagnold Summer Moonbound Dream Horse Minamata
Tuesday 20 July	From 9am	SAPACS - Senior Piano
Wednesday 21 July	From 9am	SAPACS - Junior Vocal
Thursday 22 July	From 9am	SAPACS - Junior Vocal
Friday 23 July	From 9am	SAPACS - Junior Vocal
Saturday 24 July	From 9am	SAPACS - Adult Vocal
Sunday 25 July	From 9am	SAPACS - Adult Vocal
Monday 26 July	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Percy vs Goliath Finding You Dream Horse
Wednesday 28 July	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Minamata Days of the Bagnold Summer Finding You
Thursday 29 July	From 5.30pm	SAPACS - Instrumental section
Friday 30 July	From 5.30pm	SAPACS - Instrumental section
Saturday 31 July	From 9am	SAPACS - Instrumental section
Sunday 1 August	From 9am	SAPACS - Instrumental section
Monday 2 August	10am 11.30am	Wonderland Glow Show Wonderland Glow Show
Tuesday 3 August	10am 11.30am	Wonderland Glow Show Wonderland Glow Show
Friday 6 August	From 5.30pm	SAPACS - Instrumental section
Saturday 7 August	From 9am	SAPACS - Tap section
Sunday 8 August	From 9am	SAPACS - Dance Troupes
Friday 13 August	From 5.30pm	SAPACS - Vocal section
Saturday 14 August	From 9am	SAPACS - Ballet section
Sunday 15 August	From 9am	SAPACS - Ballet section