

FOUR ACTORS, DOZENS OF
CHARACTERS, ONE WILD NIGHT



THE BELVOIR PLAYERS PRODUCTION OF

BOUNCERS

By John Godber

19TH - 21ST FEBRUARY 2026 7:30PM



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 Tickets & info at
www.belvoirplayers.org

Tickets: Adults £18 | Concession £13

This amateur production is presented by arrangement with Music Theatre International
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DIRECTORS NOTE

Welcome to Bouncers, it's wonderful to have you venture into this journey with us.

John Godber wrote Bouncers 50 years ago as a sharp, funny and sometimes uncomfortable look at masculinity, connection and insecurity, all played out under the noise, bravado and neon lights of a nightclub.

Whilst there are many things that have changed from its first iteration, the core comedy and messaging of the play remain timeless. That's why I wanted to direct this and to create the backdrop of the early 2010's.

I first played 'Les' back in the mid 90's and have been involved with several productions over the years in the UK and New Zealand. I just love the multitude of characters; the glimpse we get into their lives in such a short period of time, and how they engage and interact with everyone else in such an energised, comedic, and sometimes tragic, way.

With a show like this, there are many moving parts and a huge amount of work that happens behind the scenes and with that, a number of key people I want to thank. First, my Assistant Director, Lucia Beattie. Lucia has been invaluable in shaping our character development and in allowing me to fully immerse myself in the acting. Her insight, energy and talent have been fundamental to this production.

I want to thank Mark McClean, Belvoir Players Adult Artistic Director, whose dedication, belief in this project and sheer graft helped get the show up and running. His support throughout has meant a great deal.

Our Queen of social media, Sinead Fox-Hamilton, has played a major role in the success of this production, helping the show reach as wide an audience as possible.

Huge thanks also go to the stage and technical team, led by Karl Smyth, who translated vision into reality. To Barry Mewha for his endlessly patient and good-humoured prompting in rehearsals; you're a class act Barry. And to our Theatre Manager, Roger Dane, who made sure we had everything we needed to make this happen, no matter the ask.

To my cast, wow. You have been so inspiring to work with. Your energy, commitment, playfulness and daring have made this show what is it today and kept your calm amidst all the changes. I have loved every single rehearsal with you and have seen us grow together so strongly in trust and respect. A big mention needs to go to my partner Colin, for all his patience and interest in listening to all the rehearsal stories each time.

I must also thank the committee and all the members of Belvoir Players for their generous support over the last few months. It truly has been a team effort.

My final thanks go to you, our dedicated and ever-supportive audience. You continually show your love and support for us, and we could not do this without you. You are why we do this and we cannot thank you enough.

On behalf of Belvoir Players, my crew and my amazing cast; dive fully into this mayhem of a night with us and come and meet the Bouncers.

Joseph P. Quinn
Director

CREATIVE TEAM

Director

Joseph P. Quinn

Assistant Director

Lucia Beattie





CAST



Judd
Paul Fitzsimons



Les
Jamie Phillips



Ralph
Aaron McCorry



Lucky Eric
Joseph P. Quinn



PRODUCTION TEAM

Director

Joseph P.Quinn

Assistant Director

Lucia Beattie

Rehearsal Prompt

Barry Mewha

Technical & Set Team

Karl Smyth

Stephen Hyland

Robbie Irwin

Social Media

Sinead Fox Hamilton

Keri McNeice

Theatre Manager

Roger Dane

Costumes

Shelia Hammonds

Joy Hunter

Front of House

Belvoir Players Members

Programme Design

Alex McKelvey



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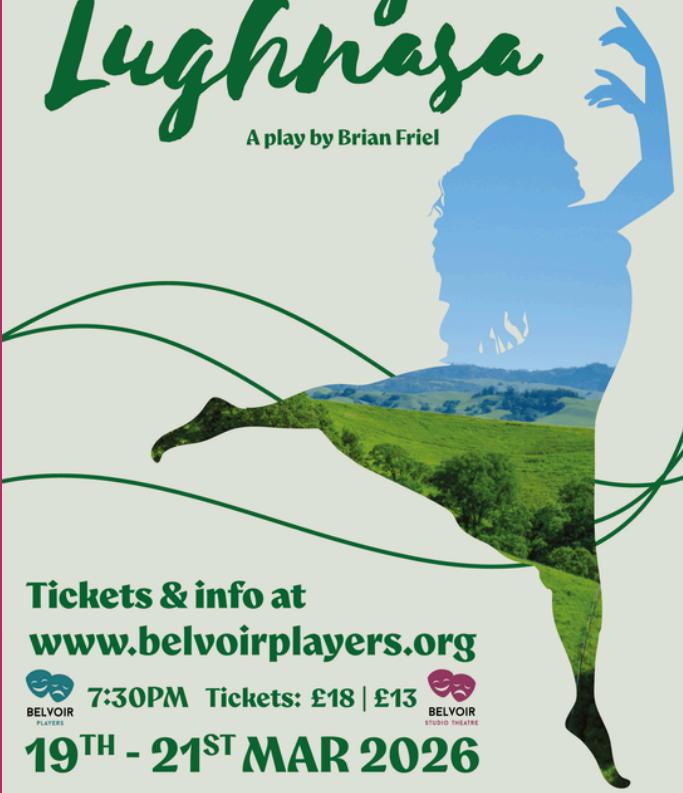
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