



Aleena's Garden

A sensory adventure for 0-3 year olds and their grown ups!

Aleena's Garden is an interactive sensory adventure through the seasons for early years (0 – 3 years old) and their grown ups. Underneath the canopy of Aleena's tree, the young audience will be led on an exciting journey through the natural world with lights, colour, touch, original music and Makaton sign language.

"I wouldn't hesitate to recommend this to parents with young children, I even found the show really relaxing but I loved watching my daughter's face as she took in the flowers growing." 5/5 Rebecca Banasko, What's Good To Do



Salford based company, **Colour The Clouds** have created Aleena's Garden as a perfect first theatre experience for very young children. Through research and experience of working with younger children the company have developed the show using interactive and sensory techniques and although it is for 0-3 year olds, it is very much a family show. Colour The Clouds are planning to tour the production in **Summer/Autumn 2017** and are looking for expressions of interest in programming the tour.

Aleena's Garden was developed with **The Lowry Studio** where it premièred in October 2016 to fantastic audience responses.

"My 2 year old daughter was transfixed by her first theatre experience, environmentally sensitive too. Beautiful." Audience member, Twitter

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Aleena's Garden Show Detail

Accompanying Aleena's Garden will be a meet and greet with Aleena and the animals. Aleena's Garden can be performed a maximum of 3 times a day.

Aleena's Garden will tour from May – November 2017 and we are happy to consider bookings from 1 day to full weeks.



Aleena's Garden Trailer: <http://bit.ly/2jmBHuz>

Aleena's Garden Full recording: <http://bit.ly/2inkzHh>

Colour The Clouds

Colour The Clouds have been working across the North West for 3 years and have established themselves as a provider of high quality, engaging and empowering theatre for children and families. The award-winning creative team behind *Billy*, *The Monster and ME!* (Voted Best Production at 24/7 Theatre Festival, 2013) and *Maggie and the Song of the Sea* (Paines Plough Roundabout 2015) are delighted to be presenting their first dedicated show for 0 – 3 year olds in partnership with The Lowry.

Aleena's Garden Creative Team:

Aleena: Christabel Fox

Director: Alyx Tole

Original Music: Catherine Manford

Story: Sarah Birch

Set Design: Meriel Pym

Technical: Mark Fox

Tour Booking: Francesca Waite



Technical Specifications

Full Tech Spec available upon request

Set: The main set is 2m in height and a material canopy will be suspended over this. This should not increase the overall height of the set significantly, however we will confirm this as soon as we have the finalised touring design.

Stage requirements: Performance space required is 5m wide by 8m deep with a height 2.5m

Sound: Operated from a laptop on QLab, connecting to the sound desk with 2 ¼ inch jack inputs either into two separate mono channels or a single stereo channel

Music: Original, no PRS licence required

Video: A projector is required. All the Video is operated through QLab, which is run on the same laptop as the audio. We require a connection to a Projector or if this is not possible we are able to tour our own projector. We project on to a Canopy above the audience, however if the audience is in the traditional end on, then we will not use the projection

Lighting: No pre-rig required

Technician: We require 1 venue technician to assist with get-in/get-out and to operate lights

Get in: 1 hour 30 minutes

Get out: 1 hour

Running Time: 60 minutes including meet and greet with Aleena and the animals

Shows per day: 3

Ideal Schedule: 11am, 1pm and 3pm



Fee: £800 for 3 performances

Fee for fewer performances, or bespoke workshop packages to be negotiated

Capacity: 50 (plus babes-in-arms up to 6 months)

Touring: April – November 2017