

Kildare Youth Theatre

ARIEL workshop for 14 to 16 year olds. Every Monday night from 7pm to 9pm

AJAX drama workshop for 17 to 19 year olds. Every Tuesday night from 7pm to 9pm

CALIBAN devising workshop for 17 to 19 year olds every Tuesday from 5pm to 7pm.

These are our Core Skills Workshops (where we devise, play games, learn techniques, build teamwork, etc). Anyone of the right age can join at any time during the year. Outside of these workshops there are performance projects. These projects include acting, devising, directing, performing, writing, and touring new plays around Ireland and abroad.

Erasmus+ at Léargas

We apply to the EU fund for youth, administered in Ireland by Léargas (www.leargas.ie) to help with a number of international exchanges and collaborations each year.

Youth Theatre Ireland

Kildare Youth Theatre is a proud member of YTI. Visit their website at www.youththeatre.ie for information about youth theatres across the country, resources for use with young people, research, news, events and opportunities for the sector.

For information about workshops, courses, productions, international exchanges, and projects—and on how you can become involved—visit our website www.kildareyouththeatre.com

Coming Next:

NT CONNECTIONS FESTIVAL: 29th—31st March. New plays from 4 Kildare youth theatres. (See riverbank.ie) Kildare Youth Theatre's play is *The Small Hours* by Katherine Soper.

HAMLET—1st to 4th May (12noon and 7pm). Book at riverbank.ie
Plus, new productions during JuneFest 2018.

THE *Protestant Tutor,* Instructing YOUTH, and Others,

In the Compleat Method of

Spelling, Reading, and Writing

True English :

Also, Discovering to them the Notorious
ERRORS, Damnable DOCTRINES,
and Cruel MASSACRES,

OF THE Bloody Papists;

Which-ENGLAND may Expect from a
Popish Successor.

With Instructions for Grounding them in the
True Protestant Religion.

To which is Added,

The Preamble to the P A T E N T for Crea-
ting the Electoral Prince of HANNOVER, a
Peer of this Realm, as Duke of CAMBRIDGE :
With severall other Remarkable Matters .

London, Printed and Sold by *B. Harris*, at the Gol-
den-Boar's-Head in Grace-church-street. 1713.

THE ACT OF OBLIVION, Part III: THE PENAL LAWS

ARTISTS

Devised by the ensemble and Peter Hussey.

Directed by Peter Hussey

Lighting by Max Magnus

Projected Films / Design —Joel Pla Garriga

Filming—Alec Delaney

Music selection/operation - The ensemble, Peter Hussey and Rhea Thomakou

Production Assistants—Rhea Thomakou, Max Magnus, Sandra Sakavitsi

Produced by Crooked House Theatre Company

The Penal Laws was funded by the Arts Council's Young Ensembles Scheme in 2018.

Crooked House is also supported by Kildare County Council's Arts Service.

The Penal Laws (1607 – 1920) were a series of prohibitions mainly against Irish Catholics enacted to suppress Gaelic beliefs, customs, law, ownership of property and rights of assembly and speech.

The Penal Laws were, according to Edmund Burke "a machine of wise and elaborate contrivance, as well fitted for the oppression, impoverishment and degradation of a people, and the debasement in them of human nature itself, as ever proceeded from the perverted ingenuity of man." (1792)

The Act of Oblivion is a work in progress. Part I is *Laudibilliter*; Part II is *Surrender and Regrant*. These were performed together in 2018, and were staged in the Birmingham Rep's Festival of European Youth Theatre in July 2018. Part III will be *Queen's County*, to be made in the summer of 2019. Part IV, *The Radicalisation of Abdelaziz Kellegher* will look at youth and conformity / resistance and be made in autumn 2019. The full show will be staged in February 2020.

PLEASE USE YOUR PHONE TO LOG ON TO WWW.MENTI.COM BEFORE THE SHOW. THERE IS FREE WIFI AT Riverbank Public. No password necessary for the wifi. You will be given a code to enter during the show, and instructions will follow.

ENSEMBLE

In order of appearance

Charlie - Charlie Hughes-Farrell

Colin - Colin Smyth

Ali – Ali Eaton

Lauren – Lauren Kelly

Peter – Peter Mc Hale

Séan - Séan Dowse

Doug - Doug Morrison

Kayleigh - Kayleigh Doyle

Joe - Joe Brown

Cian - Cian Ó Náraigh

Hannah - Hannah Power

Ms Carew - Aoife Carew

Hollie - Hollie Murphy

