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**CANBERRA AREA THEATRE AWARDS**

**Gala Awards Night**

**Saturday 25 February 2012 at 7 pm**

**Llewellyn Hall, ANU School of Music**

**William Herbert Place (off Childers Street), Canberra**

Hosted by Mark Grentell

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The nominees and performers price is available for **one ticket** per **individual** or **group** who has been nominated, or one ticket per **performer** who has been invited to perform on the night.

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## **Rules and definitions**

Awards concentrate on achievement and not on critique. Our judges compare productions and performances and concentrate only on notable achievements.

Fully-professional productions are excluded and only amateur and pro-am productions will be considered.

In amateur or pro-am productions, any notable achievement can be nominated for an award—regardless of the professional status of the personnel involved.

School and youth productions have their own production and on-stage categories. They are, however, also eligible for consideration in 'open' categories.

Young people performing children's roles in non-youth productions (for example, Oliver or Annie) are eligible for awards in youth performance categories.

Adults appearing in a school or youth production are eligible for awards in the open categories, not the youth categories.

There is no limit to the number of categories in which a production can receive nominations, nor is there a limit to the number of times a company can appear in the final nomination list for any category.

The judges will usually make a maximum of six nominations and one Award in each category. However if the standard is particularly high in some categories we may make more than six nominations, and may make joint Awards.

Categories are reconsidered annually and have evolved since 1994 to include the 45 awards which will be given tonight that truly celebrate the achievements of our region's theatre companies in 2011.

Many of the judges are practising performers or production personnel. If they are involved in a production, their contribution is not eligible for an award. However other aspects of such productions are eligible for consideration. Judges take no part in discussions on shows in which they are involved.

## ■ **Best Set Designer for a Play**

### **Brian Sudding**

*Funny Money*, Queanbeyan City Council, Queanbeyan

### **Cate Clelland (design) and Russell Brown (realization)**

*The Pig Iron People*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Jan Smith**

*Humble Boy*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Mark Oates**

*Wobbly Towers*, Molong Players, Molong

### **Russell Brown**

*Out of Order*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Scott Halls and Trevor Carroll**

*A Few Good Men*, Orange Theatre Company, Orange

## ■ **Best Set Designer for a Musical**

### **Bob Peet**

*Beauty and the Beast*, Kinross Wolaroi School, Orange

### **Brian Sudding**

*Blood Brothers*, Queanbeyan City Council, Queanbeyan

### **Ian Macdonald**

*My Fair Lady*, Wagga Wagga Civic Theatre, Wagga Wagga

### **Jeremy Bailey-Smith**

*Avenue Q*, Supa Productions, Canberra

### **Joshua Wiseman**

*Chicago*, ANU Inter-hall Productions, Canberra

### **Karen Balderson**

*Annie*, St Clare's College, Canberra

## ■ **Best Costume Designer for a Play**

### **Carole Gersbach**

*Wobbly Towers*, Molong Players, Molong

### **Glenda Stares**

*Noises Off*, Roo Theatre Company, Shellharbour

### **Helen Drum**

*The Pig Iron People*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Jeanette Brown**

*Out of Order*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Robyn Ryan**

*Dimboola*, Cowra Musical and Dramatic Society, Cowra

### **Sam Lloyd**

*The Woman in Black*, Bay Theatre Players, Batemans Bay

## ■ **Best Costume Designer for a Musical**

### **Angela Mason**

*The Witches of Eastwick*, Orange Theatre Company, Orange

### **David Todd**

*Spamalot*, Livid Productions, Albury

### **Jennie Norberry, Gemma Nicholls, Lyndelle Ramsay,**

### **Christine Pawlicki and Kelda McManus**

*The Wizard of Oz*, Phoenix Players, Canberra

### **Lindsay Whitehead**

*My Fair Lady*, Wagga Wagga Civic Theatre, Wagga Wagga

### **Lisa Buckley**

*Jazz Garters*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **The company**

*Kitten of the Year*, Miss Kitka's House of Burlesque, Canberra



## ■ **Best Costume Designer for a School or Youth Production**

**Christine Pawlicki, Fiona Leach and Barbara Denham**

*Beauty and the Beast Jr*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

**Cody Winward**

*Honk! Jr*, Bay Theatre Players Youth Group, Batemans Bay

**James Worner**

*Beauty and the Beast*, Kinross Wolaroi School, Orange

**Lyn Townsend**

*The Wizard of Oz*, Parkes Musical & Dramatic Society, Parkes

**Pip Prescott, Juliet Harris and Year 10 Textile students**

*Pride and Prejudice*, Canberra Girls Grammar School, Canberra

**Sarea Coates, Pauline Simonetti and Cindy Hereth**

*The Jungle Book*, Child Players ACT, Canberra

## ■ **Best Lighting Designer**

**Adrian Rytir**

*Avenue Q*, Supa Productions, Canberra

and

*Blood Brothers*, Queanbeyan City Council, Queanbeyan

**Austin Cox and Adam Loughlin**

*Jesus Christ Superstar*, Wollongong High School of the Performing Arts, Wollongong

**Chris Ellyard**

*The Pig Iron People*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

**Michael Jeffery**

*Beauty and the Beast*, Kinross Wolaroi School, Orange

**Patti Kennedy**

*Future Culture*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

**Peter Telford**

*A Few Good Men* and *The Witches of Eastwick*, Orange Theatre Company, Orange

## ■ **Technical Achievement**

### **Andrew Hunt and Dave MacRae**

The rain, *Singin' in the Rain*, Parkes Musical & Dramatic Society, Parkes

### **Drew der Hinderen**

Sound and multimedia, *Future Culture*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **Nicholas Munro**

Water effects, *Human Geography*, University Theatre Ensemble, Wagga Wagga

### **The cast**

Operation of the puppets, *Avenue Q*, Supa Productions, Canberra

### **The production team**

Special effects, *Le School*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **The production team**

The storm, *The Wizard Of Oz*, Phoenix Players, Canberra

## ■ **John Thomson Magic Moment of Theatre**

### **Hanging on the curtain**

*Curtains*, Dubbo Theatre Company, Dubbo

### **Projection of horses in the Ascot scene**

*My Fair Lady*, Wagga Wagga Civic Theatre, Wagga Wagga

### **The Dish turning into position during the overture**

*Opera at the Dish*, Parkes Under the Stars, Parkes

### **The formation of the cross in the crucifixion scene**

*Jesus Christ Superstar*, Queanbeyan Players, Queanbeyan

### **The principal's coat**

*Le School*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **The program within the program**

*Noises Off*, Roo Theatre Company, Shellharbour

### **The Star-Spangled Banner**

*A Few Good Men*, Orange Theatre Company, Orange

## ■ **Best Original Work**

### **Allen Key Collective**

Script, *Sanger Hill*, Tuggeranong Community Arts & Mad Ferret Productions, Canberra

### **Andrew Hackwill**

Music, *Sanger Hill*, Tuggeranong Community Arts & Mad Ferret Productions, Canberra

### **Casey Newell, Josie de Bruin, Tegan Jackson, Saxon Blackett and Laura Litchfield**

Script for 'The Casey Haynes Story', *tenX10 playfest*, Wagga Wagga School of Arts Inc SOACT, Wagga Wagga

### **Matt Olsen**

Script for 'Five Chairs', *tenX10 playfest*, Wagga Wagga School of Arts Inc SOACT, Wagga Wagga

### **Peter Best**

Script and music, *Goldilocks & The Three Bears*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Tessa Bremner**

Script, *The Dark Side of Midnight*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

## ■ **Best Original Work for a School or Youth Production**

### **Felix Schwartz**

Script, *Le School*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **Genevieve Kenneally**

Script for 'X', *Murder, Mutts and Metaphors - 3 One Act Plays*, Cooma Little Theatre, Cooma

### **Jessica Bellamy**

Original concept for 'A Fourth of Nature', *Step into the Limelight 'Seasons'*, ACT Education and Training Directorate, Canberra

### **Peter McDonald**

Script and lyrics, *Hansel and Gretel*, Ickle Pickle Productions, Canberra

### **Queanbeyan Schools Arts Festival**

'Wait a minute, Mr Postman', *Queanbeyan Schools Arts Festival*, Queanbeyan School Education Group, Queanbeyan

### **Romko Hordynsky**

Script, music and lyrics, *The Best Shot in the West*, Kinross Wolaroi School Preparatory School, Orange

### **The cast**

Soundscape, *Grimm Tales*, Hawker College, Canberra

## ■ **Best Ensemble in a Play**

### **Jack Helmore and Martyn Lloyd**

As Arthur Kipps and the Actor, *The Woman in Black*, Bay Theatre Players, Batemans Bay

### **The cast**

*Future Culture*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **The cast**

*Grimm Tales*, Hawker College, Canberra

### **The cast**

*Le School*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **The cast**

*Minefields & Miniskirts*, Roo Theatre Company, Shellharbour

### **The cast**

*Noises Off*, Roo Theatre Company, Shellharbour

## ■ **Best Ensemble in a Musical**

### **Nikki Standen, Hayden Westcott and Sam Noakes**

As Scarecrow, Tin Man and Lion in *The Wizard Of Oz*, Parkes Musical & Dramatic Society, Parkes

### **Rebecca Brown, Emma Forde and Alex Carroll**

As Alexandra Spofford, Jane Smart and Sukie Rougemont ('the three witches') in *The Witches of Eastwick*, Orange Theatre Company, Orange

### **The band**

*Hair*, Wagga Wagga School of Arts Inc SOACT, Wagga Wagga

### **The Braxton Brothers**

*The Best Shot in the West*, Kinross Wolaroi School Preparatory School, Orange

### **The orphans**

*Annie*, St Clare's College, Canberra

### **The tapping chorus**

*42nd Street*, Canberra Philharmonic Society, Canberra

## ■ **Best Orchestra for a School or Youth Musical**

### **Annie**

St Clare's College, Canberra

### **Beauty and the Beast**

Kinross Wolaroi School, Orange

### **Fame**

St Peter's Anglican College, Broulee

### **Jesus Christ Superstar**

Wollongong High School of the Performing Arts, Wollongong

### **Les Miserables**

Lynham High School, Canberra

### **Step into the Limelight 'Seasons'**

ACT Education and Training Directorate, Canberra

## ■ **Patricia Kelson Encouragement Award**

### **Callum Bodman**

Fight choreography, *Woyzeck*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **Denise Dion, Loretta Walsh, Jennie Hughes and Judy Davidson**

First-time directing, *Four Women, Four Plays*, Spectrum Theatre Group, Merimbula

### **Gabrielle and Loren Emerson**

Script for 'The Last Dragon's Tooth', *Artists Unite*, Canberra Youth Theatre, Canberra

### **Madison Cooper and Shannon Green**

As Dorothy in *The Wizard Of Oz*, Parkes Musical & Dramatic Society, Parkes

### **Michael Raymond**

As Police 1 in *Gang Show 2011 - Without a Clue*, ACT Scouts Association, Canberra

### **Miriam Rivzi**

First time choreography, *Grease*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Nathan Storen**

Stage management, *Dealer's Choice* and *Future Culture*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **Sam Nash Slattery**

As Sherlock Holmes in *Gang Show 2011 - Without a Clue*, ACT Scouts Association, Canberra

## ■ **Best Youth Actor in a Featured Role in a Play**

### **Callum Bodman**

As The Drum Major in *Woyzeck*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **Ethan Gibson**

As Davey in *Cockroach*, Canberra Youth Theatre, Canberra

### **Jake Brown**

As Mr Collins in *Pride and Prejudice*, Canberra Girls Grammar School, Canberra

### **Matthew Hardy**

As Shere Khan in *The Jungle Book*, Child Players ACT, Canberra

### **Thomas Atkin**

As Mr Bennet in *Pride and Prejudice*, Canberra Girls Grammar School, Canberra

## ■ **Best Youth Actor in a Featured Role in a Musical**

### **Jack Dawson**

As Pilate in *Jesus Christ Superstar*, Wollongong High School of the Performing Arts, Wollongong

### **Jeffery Young**

As Knick in *Snow White and the Seven Dwarves*, Ickle Pickle Productions, Canberra

### **Joshua Cheney**

As Lumiere in *Beauty and the Beast*, Kinross Wolaroi School, Orange

### **Joshua Knol**

As Mr Bumble in *Oliver!*, Marist College, Canberra

### **Nathan Fernandez**

As Lumiere in *Beauty and the Beast Jr*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Nicholas Allan**

As The Mad Hatter in *Alice in Wonderland*, James Sheahan Catholic High School, Orange

### **Tom Walsh**

As Joe Vegas in *Fame*, St Peter's Anglican College, Broulee

## ■ **Best Youth Actress in a Featured Role in a Play**

### **Claire Bailey**

As Tabaqi in *The Jungle Book*, Child Players ACT, Canberra

### **Eesha Hunjon**

As The Doctor in *Woyzeck*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **Natalie Waldron**

As Miss Bingley in *Pride and Prejudice*, Canberra Girls Grammar School, Canberra

### **Olivia Hewson**

As Danielle in *Cockroach*, Canberra Youth Theatre, Canberra

## ■ **Best Youth Actress in a Featured Role in a Musical**

### **Abbey Bartlett**

As Mrs Potts in *Beauty and the Beast*, Kinross Wolaroi School, Orange

### **Demi Turner**

As Cha Cha in *Grease*, Southern Highlands Youth Arts Council (SHYAC), Bowral

### **Nicola Hall**

As Fantine in *Les Miserables*, Lyneham High School, Canberra

### **Olivia Fisher**

As Babette in *Beauty and the Beast*, Kinross Wolaroi School, Orange

### **Vishnupriya De**

As Eponine in *Les Miserables*, Lyneham High School, Canberra

### **Zoe Dyball**

As Miss Hannigan in *Annie*, St Clare's College, Canberra



## ■ **Best Youth Actor in a Leading Role in a Play**

### **James McArthur**

As Mr Darcy in *Pride and Prejudice*, Canberra Girls Grammar School, Canberra

### **James Quiggin**

As Mugsy in *Dealer's Choice*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **Mark Salvestro**

As X in 'X' in *Murder, Mutts and Metaphors - 3 One Act Plays*, Cooma Little Theatre, Cooma

### **Tom Atkin**

As Stephen in *Dealer's Choice*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

## ■ **Best Youth Actress in a Leading Role in a Play**

### **Eliza Shephard**

As Marie in *Woyzeck*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **Gabriela Falzon**

As The Witch in 'Frog's Body' in *Artists Unite*, Canberra Youth Theatre, Canberra

### **Rebecca Attanasio**

As Lizzie in *Pride and Prejudice*, Canberra Girls Grammar School, Canberra

## ■ **Best Youth Actor in a Leading Role in a Musical**

### **Anthony Rule**

As Judas in *Jesus Christ Superstar*, Wollongong High School of the Performing Arts, Wollongong

### **Evan Kirby**

As Valjean in *Les Miserables*, Lyneham High School, Canberra

### **Jordan Read**

As Daddy Warbucks in *Annie*, St Clare's College, Canberra

### **Liam Connell**

As Ugly in *Honk! Jr*, Bay Theatre Players Youth Group, Batemans Bay

### **Sam Broomby**

As Audrey II in *Little Shop of Horrors*, Karabar High School, Queanbeyan

### **Tanner Marjoram**

As Wilhelm Kadoc in *The Best Shot in the West*, Kinross Wolaroi School Preparatory School, Orange

### **Thomas Zachary**

As Judas in *Jesus Christ Superstar*, Chevalier College, Bowral

## ■ **Best Youth Actress in a Leading Role in a Musical**

### **Alice Litchfield**

As Loretta in *The Best Shot in the West*, Kinross Wolaroi School Preparatory School, Orange

### **Allie Paterson**

As Evan in *13*, Caroline Chisholm School, Canberra

### **Chloe Dobbs**

As Mary in *Jesus Christ Superstar*, Wollongong High School of the Performing Arts, Wollongong

### **Claire Howells**

As Carmen Diaz in *Fame*, St Peter's Anglican College, Broulee

### **Laura Dawson**

As Sandy in *Grease*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Maddie Furner**

As Nancy in *Oliver!*, Marist College, Canberra

## ■ **Best Variety Performance by an Individual or Ensemble**

### **Four tap dancing boys crossover**

*Jazz Garters*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Helen Barnett and Combined School Choir**

In 'Do-Re-Mi' in *Opera at the Dish*, Parkes Under the Stars, Parkes

### **Helen Barnett, Dallas Watts, Raymond Khong and Julie O'Connor**

In 'Time to Say Goodbye' in *Opera at the Dish*, Parkes Under the Stars, Parkes

### **If I Had You**

*Around the World*, Legs Dance Studio, Canberra

### **Red Hill Primary School**

In Wassa Wassa in *Step into the Limelight 'Seasons'*, ACT Education and Training Directorate, Canberra

### **Table Tennis**

*Jazz Garters*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **The Duchess**

*Kitten of the Year*, Miss Kitka's House of Burlesque, Canberra

## ■ **Best Actor in a Featured Role in a Play**

### **Chris Zuber**

As Cliff Lewis in *Look Back in Anger*, Paris Hat Productions, Canberra

### **Duncan Ragg**

As Kenny in *The Removalists*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Graham Robertson**

As Jack in *The Pig Iron People*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Kevin Beatty**

As Con the Fruiterer in *Wobbly Towers*, Molong Players, Molong

### **Mathew Davis**

As Lce Cpl Harold Dawson in *A Few Good Men*, Orange Theatre Company, Orange

### **Michael Jefferis**

As Lt Sam Weinberg in *A Few Good Men*, Orange Theatre Company, Orange

### **Wayne Shepherd**

As Claude in *The Pig Iron People*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

## ■ **Best Actor in a Featured Role in a Musical**

### **Ben Purser**

As Master of Ceremonies in *Chicago*, ANU Inter-hall Productions, Canberra

### **Blake Appelqvist**

As William Barfée in *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee*, Phoenix Players, Canberra

### **Cameron Boxall**

As Scarecrow in *The Wizard Of Oz*, Phoenix Players, Canberra

### **Gordon Nicholson**

As Pilate in *Jesus Christ Superstar*, Queanbeyan Players, Queanbeyan

### **Max Gambale**

As Trekkie Monster in *Avenue Q*, Supa Productions, Canberra

### **Pete Ricardo**

As Nicky in *Avenue Q*, Supa Productions, Canberra

### **Roy Hukari**

As The Narrator in *Blood Brothers*, Queanbeyan City Council, Queanbeyan

### **Tony Falla**

As Ali Hakim in *Oklahoma!*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Will Huang**

As Rod in *Avenue Q*, Supa Productions, Canberra

## ■ **Best Actress in a Featured Role in a Play**

### **Alex Davis**

As Millie Michaels in *California Suite*, John XXIII Dramatic Society, Canberra

### **Caitlin Hodder**

As Diana Nichols in *California Suite*, John XXIII Dramatic Society, Canberra

### **Eliza Bell**

As Mrs Coke-Symonds and Edie in *The Dark Side of Midnight*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Hannah McCann**

As Agnes Gooch in *Auntie Mame*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Jodi McAlister**

As Rosie in *Humble Boy*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Judi Crane**

As Janette in *The Pig Iron People*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Trish Kelly**

As Rosie in *The Pig Iron People*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

## ■ **Best Actress in a Featured Role in a Musical**

### **Amy Dunham**

As Christmas Eve in *Avenue Q*, Supa Productions, Canberra  
and

Ado Annie in *Oklahoma!*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Georgia Pike**

As Lady Jaqueline Carstone in *Me and My Girl*, Queanbeyan  
Players, Queanbeyan

### **Jo Gibb**

As Georgia Hendricks in *Curtains*, Dubbo Theatre Company, Dubbo

### **Joanna Richards**

As Linda in *Blood Brothers*, Queanbeyan City Council, Queanbeyan

### **Kylie Fisher**

As Felicia Gabriel in *The Witches of Eastwick*, Orange Theatre  
Company, Orange

### **Melissa McShane**

As Patty in *Grease*, Southern Highlands Youth Arts Council  
(SHYAC), Bowral

### **Monique Bastin**

As Rizzo in *Grease*, Southern Highlands Youth Arts Council  
(SHYAC), Bowral

### **Sarah Golding**

As Mrs Lyons in *Blood Brothers*, Queanbeyan City Council,  
Queanbeyan

## ■ **Best Actor in a Leading Role in a Play**

### **Alex Davies**

As Alceste in *The Misanthrope*, NUTS, Canberra

### **Bruce Waddell**

As Man in 'Boxing Day' in *Four Women, Four Plays*, Spectrum Theatre Group, Merimbula

### **Chris Glynn**

As Jared in *Blackrock*, Campbelltown Theatre Group, Campbelltown

### **Greg Pringle**

As Lt Col Nathan Jessep in *A Few Good Men*, Orange Theatre Company, Orange

### **James Scott**

As Felix Humble in *Humble Boy*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Peter Holland**

As Richard in *Out of Order*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Robert de Fries**

As George in *Out of Order*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Sam Hannan-Morrow**

As Nick in *The Pig Iron People*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra



## ■ **Best Actor in a Leading Role in a Musical**

### **Ben Kindon**

As Mickey Johnstone in *Blood Brothers*, Queanbeyan City Council, Queanbeyan

### **Dave Evans**

As Curly in *Oklahoma!*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Graham Sattler**

As Darryl Van Horne in *The Witches of Eastwick*, Orange Theatre Company, Orange

### **Jeff van de Zandt**

As Princeton in *Avenue Q*, Supa Productions, Canberra

### **Jesse Dugan**

As Berger in *Hair*, Wagga Wagga School of Arts Inc SOACT, Wagga Wagga

### **Pete Ricardo**

As Edward Lyons in *Blood Brothers*, Queanbeyan City Council, Queanbeyan

## ■ **Best Actress in a Leading Role in a Play**

### **Andrea Close**

As Auntie Mame in *Auntie Mame*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Cat Hadler**

As Amanda in *Private Lives*, Wagga Wagga School of Arts Inc SOACT, Wagga Wagga

### **Geraldine Brown**

As Julia Gillard in *Wobbly Towers*, Molong Players, Molong

### **Liz McBarron**

As Winsome in *Bombshells*, Albury Wodonga Theatre Company, Albury

### **Naoné Carrel**

As Flora Humble in *Humble Boy*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Nell Pernitsch**

As Veta Louise Simmons in *Harvey*, Cooma Little Theatre, Cooma

## ■ **Best Actress in a Leading Role in a Musical**

### **Christine Forbes**

As Mrs Johnstone in *Blood Brothers*, Queanbeyan City Council, Queanbeyan

### **Eden Holmes**

As Eliza Doolittle in *My Fair Lady*, Wagga Wagga Civic Theatre, Wagga Wagga

### **Elizabeth Flynn**

As Kim in *Miss Saigon*, Albury Wodonga Theatre Company, Albury

### **Jenna Roberts**

As Laurey in *Oklahoma!*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Lauren Schmutter**

As The Lady of the Lake in *Spamalot*, Livid Productions, Albury

### **Rebecca MacCallion**

As Velma Kelly in *Chicago*, ANU Inter-hall Productions, Canberra

### **Ruth Albertson-Kill**

As Sally Smith in *Me and My Girl*, Queanbeyan Players, Queanbeyan

### **Sarah Golding**

As Kate Monster in *Avenue Q*, Supa Productions, Canberra

## ■ **Best Choreographer**

### **Amy Fitzpatrick**

*42nd Street*, Canberra Philharmonic Society, Canberra

### **Felix Schwartz**

*Le School*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **Kathryn Fisher**

*My Fair Lady*, Wagga Wagga Civic Theatre, Wagga Wagga

### **Kelly Duroy**

*Grease*, Southern Highlands Youth Arts Council (SHYAC), Bowral

### **Lisa Buckley**

*Jazz Garters*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

and

*Oklahoma!*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Siobhan Ion and Mugdha Bokhil**

*Chicago*, ANU Inter-hall Productions, Canberra

## ■ **Best Musical Director for a School or Youth Musical**

### **David Chaston**

*Annie*, St Clare's College, Canberra

### **John Batterham**

*Les Miserables*, Lyneham High School, Canberra

### **John Yoon**

*Grease*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Naida Blackley**

*Step into the Limelight 'Seasons'*, ACT Education and Training Directorate, Canberra

### **Ruth Waters**

*Jesus Christ Superstar*, Wollongong High School of the Performing Arts, Wollongong

### **William Moxey**

*Beauty and the Beast*, Kinross Wolaroi School, Orange

## ■ **Best Director of a School or Youth Play**

### **Alanna Maclean**

*Grimm Tales*, Hawker College, Canberra

### **BJ Anyos**

*The Jungle Book*, Child Players ACT, Canberra

### **Drew der Hinderen**

*Future Culture*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **Felix Schwartz**

*Le School*, Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **Karla Conway**

*Cockroach*, Canberra Youth Theatre, Canberra

### **Sophie Benassi**

*Pride and Prejudice*, Canberra Girls Grammar School, Canberra

## ■ **Best Director of a School or Youth Musical**

### **Adam Fisher**

*Grease*, Southern Highlands Youth Arts Council (SHYAC), Bowral

### **Barbara Denham**

*Beauty and the Beast Jr*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Carissa Campbell**

*13*, Caroline Chisholm School, Canberra

### **Janet Cunningham**

*Jesus Christ Superstar*, Wollongong High School of the Performing Arts, Wollongong

### **Lyn Townsend**

*The Wizard Of Oz*, Parkes Musical & Dramatic Society, Parkes

### **Sally Hendrie**

*Annie*, St Clare's College, Canberra

## ■ **Best Musical Director**

### **Andrew Hulme**

*The Witches of Eastwick*, Orange Theatre Company, Orange

### **Casey White**

*Chicago*, ANU Inter-hall Productions, Canberra

### **David Wall**

*My Fair Lady*, Wagga Wagga Civic Theatre, Wagga Wagga  
and

*Wagga Wagga Takes Two*, SFP Productions, Wagga Wagga

### **Leisa Keen**

*Oklahoma!*, Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Lucy Jamieson**

*42nd Street*, Canberra Philharmonic Society, Canberra

### **Sharon Tree**

*Blood Brothers*, Queanbeyan City Council, Queanbeyan

## ■ **Best Director of a Play**

### **Aarne Neeme**

*The Pig Iron People*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Bruce Buchanan**

*A Few Good Men*, Orange Theatre Company, Orange

### **Corille Fraser**

*Humble Boy*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Steve Warwick**

*Noises Off*, Roo Theatre Company, Shellharbour

### **Walter Learning**

*Out of Order*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

## ■ **Best Director of a Musical or Variety Show**

### **David Todd**

*Spamalot*, Livid Productions, Albury

### **Jim McMullen**

*42nd Street*, Canberra Philharmonic Society, Canberra  
and

*Jazz Garters*, Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Jordan Best**

*Goldilocks & The Three Bears*, Free-Rain Theatre Company,  
Canberra

### **Joshua Wiseman**

*Chicago*, ANU Inter-hall Productions, Canberra

### **Peter Cox**

*My Fair Lady*, Wagga Wagga Civic Theatre, Wagga Wagga

### **Peter Young and Scott Halls**

*The Witches of Eastwick*, Orange Theatre Company, Orange

## ■ **Best Production of a School or Youth Musical**

### **Annie**

St Clare's College, Canberra

### **Beauty and the Beast**

Kinross Wolaroi School, Orange

### **Beauty and the Beast Jr**

Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **Grease**

Southern Highlands Youth Arts Council (SHYAC), Bowral

### **Jesus Christ Superstar**

Wollongong High School of the Performing Arts, Wollongong

### **The Wizard Of Oz**

Parkes Musical & Dramatic Society, Parkes

## ■ **Best Production of a School or Youth Play**

### **Dealer's Choice**

Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **Future Culture**

Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **Grimm Tales**

Hawker College, Canberra

### **Le School**

Canberra Grammar School, Canberra

### **Pride and Prejudice**

Canberra Girls Grammar School, Canberra

### **The Jungle Book**

Child Players ACT, Canberra

## ■ **Best Production of a Variety Show**

### **Around the World**

Legs Dance Studio, Canberra

### **Four Women, Four Plays**

Spectrum Theatre Group, Merimbula

### **Jazz Garters**

Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Opera at the Dish**

Parkes Under the Stars, Parkes

## ■ **Best Production of a Play**

### **A Few Good Men**

Orange Theatre Company, Orange

### **Humble Boy**

Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **Noises Off**

Roo Theatre Company, Shellharbour

### **Out of Order**

Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

### **The Dark Side of Midnight**

Free-Rain Theatre Company, Canberra

### **The Pig Iron People**

Canberra Repertory Society, Canberra

## ■ **Best Production of a Musical**

### **42nd Street**

Canberra Philharmonic Society, Canberra

### **Avenue Q**

Supa Productions, Canberra

### **Blood Brothers**

Queanbeyan City Council, Queanbeyan

### **Chicago**

ANU Inter-hall Productions, Canberra

### **Jesus Christ Superstar**

Queanbeyan Players, Queanbeyan

### **My Fair Lady**

Wagga Wagga Civic Theatre, Wagga Wagga

### **The Witches of Eastwick**

Orange Theatre Company, Orange

## ■ **In the Spirit of the Community Award**

### **ACT Education and Training Directorate, Canberra**

For involving ACT public schools at all levels in theatre

### **ACT Scouts Association, Canberra**

For encouraging young people, especially young men, to be involved in theatre

### **Cowra Musical and Dramatic Society, Cowra**

For touring theatre to country areas

### **Molong Players, Molong**

For raising money for charity

### **Parkes Under the Stars, Parkes**

For raising money for the McGrath Foundation

### **SFP Productions, Wagga Wagga**

For raising money for local charities

## ■ **ActewAGL Gold CAT Award**

**For outstanding achievement simultaneously in many categories**

*Will be announced at the Gala Awards Night*



## **Participating Companies 2011**

ACT Education and Training Directorate, ACT  
ACT Scouts Association, ACT  
Albury Wodonga Theatre Company, Albury, NSW  
ANU Inter-hall Productions, ACT  
Bay Theatre Players, Batemans Bay, NSW  
Bay Theatre Players Youth Group, Batemans Bay, NSW  
Campbelltown Theatre Group, Campbelltown, NSW  
Canberra Girls Grammar School, ACT  
Canberra Grammar School, ACT  
Canberra Philharmonic Society, ACT  
Canberra Repertory Society, ACT  
Canberra Youth Theatre, ACT  
Caroline Chisholm School, ACT  
Chevalier College, Bowral, NSW  
Child Players ACT, ACT  
Cooma Little Theatre, Cooma, NSW  
Cowra Musical and Dramatic Society, Cowra, NSW  
Dubbo Theatre Company, Dubbo, NSW  
Free-Rain Theatre Company, ACT  
Hawker College, ACT  
Ickle Pickle Productions, ACT  
James Sheahan Catholic High School, Orange, NSW  
John XXIII Dramatic Society, ACT  
Karabar High School, Queanbeyan, NSW  
Kinross Wolaroi School, Orange, NSW  
Kinross Wolaroi School Preparatory School, Orange, NSW  
Legs Dance Studio, ACT  
Livid Productions, Albury, NSW  
Lyneham High School, ACT  
Marist College, ACT  
Miss Kitka's House of Burlesque, ACT  
Molong Players, Molong, NSW  
NUTS, ACT  
Orange Theatre Company, Orange, NSW  
Paris Hat Productions, ACT

Parkes Musical & Dramatic Society, Parkes, NSW  
Parkes Under the Stars, Parkes, NSW  
Phoenix Players, ACT  
Queanbeyan City Council, Queanbeyan, NSW  
Queanbeyan Players, Queanbeyan, NSW  
Queanbeyan School Education Group, Queanbeyan, NSW  
Roo Theatre Company, Shellharbour, NSW  
SFP Productions, Wagga Wagga, NSW  
Southern Highlands Youth Arts Council (SHYAC), Bowral, NSW  
Spectrum Theatre Group, Merimbula, NSW  
St Clare's College, ACT  
St Peter's Anglican College, Broulee, NSW  
Supa Productions, ACT  
Tuggeranong Arts Centre, ACT  
Tuggeranong Community Arts & Mad Ferret Productions, ACT  
University Theatre Ensemble, Wagga Wagga, NSW  
Wagga Wagga Civic Theatre, Wagga Wagga, NSW  
Wagga Wagga School of Arts Inc SOACT, Wagga Wagga, NSW  
Wollongong High School of the Performing Arts, Wollongong, NSW



