

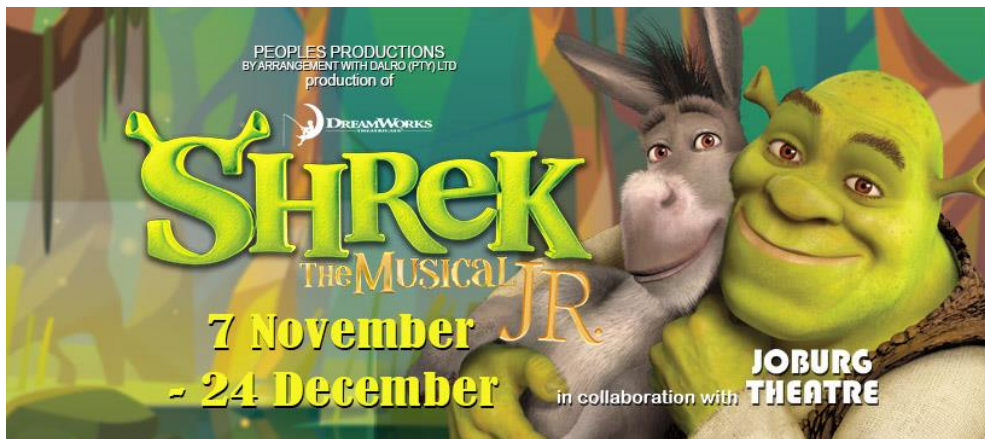


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Shrek the Musical JR

07 November – 24 December



It's a "big bright beautiful world" for everyone's favorite ogre in 'Shrek' The Musical JR!

Peoples Theatre is pleased to announce their upcoming production of *Shrek Jr*, based on the Oscar-winning *DreamWorks* Animation film, taking to the stage from **Tuesday, 7 November – Sunday 24 December 2023**, making it the ideal way for the whole family to celebrate the end of year.

This rendition of *Shrek* has been adapted specially for younger audiences. The noble character of Shrek is portrayed in a lovable and fun-filled way to make him engaging and captivating to younger children. *Shrek the Musical JR* utilizes the magic of theatre, filled with song, dance and laughter to leave a lasting impression on audiences of all ages.

In a faraway kingdom the green ogre, Shrek, finds his swamp invaded by banished fairytale misfit runaways who've been cast off by Lord Farquaad, a tiny terror with big ambitions. When Shrek sets off with a wise-cracking donkey to confront Farquaad, he's handed a task - if he rescues feisty Princess Fiona from the Dragon-guarded tower, his swamp will be returned to him, but like any fairy tale it wouldn't be complete without unexpected twists and turns along the way.

Part romance and part twisted fairy tale, **Shrek JR** is an irreverently fun show for the whole family. Imaginative sets, costumes and familiar characters that prove that beauty is in the eye of the ogre, **Shrek Jr.** is an energetic, heart-warming, and hilarious show that you won't want to miss. Adapted for the stage and featuring top professionals, **Shrek Jr.** is due to capture new audiences in this dazzling adventure story!

Produced and directed by **Jill Girard** and **Keith Smith**
Set Design by **Grant Knottenbelt**
Costumes by **Luciano Zuppa**
Choreography by **Ian Mills**
Musical Direction by **Coenraad Rall**

The Cast

Luciano Zuppa - Shrek
Alexandra Girard - Fiona
Gamelihle Bovana - Donkey
Raymond Skinner - Farquaad
Sipho Hlongwane - various roles
Palesa Makhalima – Dragon and various roles
Nomakhosi Mkhonza – Various roles
Lara Harmse – Various roles

Performances are from **07 November – 24 December 2023 (including Christmas Eve)**
Show times for schools are Tuesday to Friday at 9am and 11am.
Show times for Public are 10h30 and 14h30 - Weekends and school holidays

Ticket Prices:

R165 per person for members of the public
R130 if you are a member of the Peoples Theatre Kids Club
R140 for public accompanying members
For School group rates, please contact the theatre directly

PLEASE BOOK EARLY TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT

Call 011 877 6841 or email info@peoplestheatre.co.za for bookings or enquiries.

You can also book online at www.joburgtheatre.com

The Kids' Club

Children who join the Kids' Club for just R140.00 a year receive discounted rates on tickets and also get to enjoy free entrance to a show that falls closest to their birthday. Kids Club members receive fun newsletters and stand to win fabulous prizes in exciting competitions. So why not come and spend some quality time at the PEOPLES THEATRE Come as you are, come dressed up but whatever you do don't miss **Shrek JR** !

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