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Press Release – for immediate release

The brand-new family adventure show *Dragons and Mythical Beasts* arrives in Worthing and invites us to enter a world of magical myths and legends

From the creators of the West End smash hit *Dinosaur World Live*, *Dragons and Mythical Beasts* sees creatures not from this world brought to life.

This puppet-led extravaganza takes audiences on a journey to help tame magical creatures if they dare to do so. Be prepared to see larger than life mythical puppets on stage at the Pavilion Theatre on the 22nd and 23rd of February 2022.

Despite being designed for children and families, audience members will need to be some of the bravest and boldest around. Narrator Dave is a hero trainer. He's here to turn show goers into heroes - if only they'll help him tame the herd of beasts that growl and prowl beyond the theatre walls. The show begins introducing gentler puppet-led mythical creatures, then gradually builds to the bigger and scarier ones. Throughout the show, Dave has some challenges for the audience to pass. Pass all six tests, and the audience will become official heroes!

Commenting on how magical the live show is, the reviewer Mumgee and the Kiddos confirms that *'If your children love creatures from myth and legend they will absolutely love this show.'*

Featuring well-known and beloved creatures like a mighty Dragon, an adorable Unicorn and the Tooth Fairy (who's not as sweet as you'd might think). The show also hosts some lesser known beasts such as a Stone Troll, the Japanese Baku and the mysterious Indrik. As evidently shown, *Dragons and Mythical Beasts* has something for everyone. Especially ones that the audience members might not have heard of before.

Show goers have the opportunity to take their place among legendary heroes, like the highly talented cast members. The cast is made up of Ben Galpin (Dave the Hero Trainer), Antony Antunes (Puppeteer / Puppet Captain), Emily Cooper (Puppeteer / Puppet Technician), Elaine Hartley (Puppeteer), Samuel Parker (Puppeteer / Understudy Host), and Liam Wright (Puppeteer).



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Dragons and Mythical Beasts is being performed at the Pavilion Theatre on Saturday 22 February 2022, 2pm and 4:30pm. As well as on 23 February 2022 at 11am and 2pm. Tickets are available from £9.50. For more information on this or any of the events, visit www.wtm.uk or call the WTM Box Office on 01903 206 206.

★★★★★ *'Comical, spellbinding show!'* - The Guardian

★★★★★ *'Mind-blowing puppet monsters!'* - Time Out

★★★★★ *'Fantastical adventure for kids of all ages'* - WhatsOnStage

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EVENT LISTING

Dragons and Mythical Beasts

Date: Saturday 22 & 23 February 2022

Time: Various times

Venue: Pavilion Theatre, Marine Parade, Worthing BN11 3PX

Tickets: From £9.50

Link: wtm.uk/events/dragons-and-mythical-beasts/

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