



**The Questors  
THEATRE**



**Presents a QExtra Event**

**Monday 10 February 2020**

# **Powerplay**

## **Who has the upper hand?**

**Running time: 1 hour (no interval)**

**This is a ticket free event**

**There will be a collection for QRenew at the end of the evening – thank you**



By Sean McMahon

Who wields power in a relationship is one of the themes explored in Sean McMahon's excellent new short play, 'Full Disclosure'. The play explores the ethical question of what you would do if you kept a secret and you had the chance to avenge an appalling crime by going against all of your training, best practice and professionalism to disclose confidential information and release an avenging angel. In making such a choice we demonstrate our power to shape events, and we also expose ourselves to reprisal. Ultimately, the play highlights the necessity of good laws to protect privacy and demand disclosure, rather than leaving such choices to the subjective whim of individuals with agendas. I recognized the play's quality when I first read it and it has been a great pleasure to work with wonderful actors and a brilliant creative team to bring it to the stage for QExtra in the Power Play programme. I will miss the buzz.

Julian Casey

Director                      Julian Casey

Cast:

Nurse                      Carol Fullilove

Inmate                     Matthew Saldana



By Tony Pipes

A popularly elected new PM is proving difficult to manage or communicate with. Two ministers discuss how to handle him to get what they want. The PM's very simplistic approach is radical, but maybe it's best to go with the flow rather than upset the banana cart?

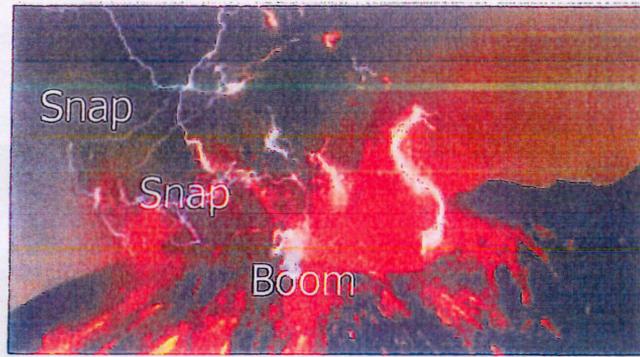
Lucy Aley-Parker

Director                      Lucy Aley-Parker

Cast:

Jenny                      Alison Griffin

Dom                        Oscar Gill



By Shannon Murdoch

A 13-year-old boy has been charged with murder over the Brisbane schoolyard stabbing of a 12-year-old fellow student. Police allege a 13-year-old boy from the same school, SPatrick's College at Shorncliffe, stabbed Elliot Fletcher in the chest with a knife in school grounds. The play is set in a girls' school lavatory

Shannon Murdoch

Director

John Turner

Cast:

Piggy

Chloe Burke

Slutface

Ting Ting Cui



By Niall O'Mara

Danny is in a bad way. He hasn't washed for days, he doesn't get dressed, he never goes out. He's living on a diet of cold pizza and booze, playing computer games in a darkened room. His girlfriend Sophia has died, tragically young, and he can't get over it. Danny says he would do anything to get her back. Anything? On cue, the Devil arrives in the form of a persuasive woman offering Danny a deal. If he nominates two people for sudden death and a trip to Hell, she will bring Sophia back from the dead. But can she really do it?

Peter Gould

Director

Peter Gould

Cast:

Danny

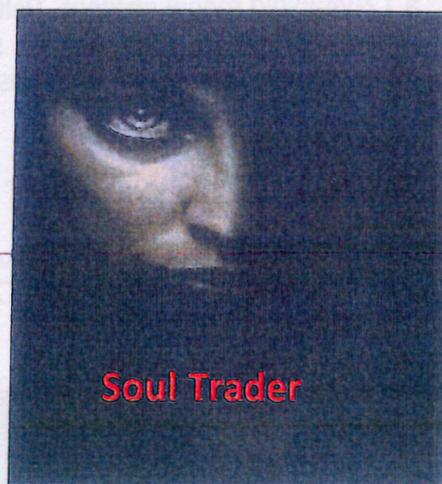
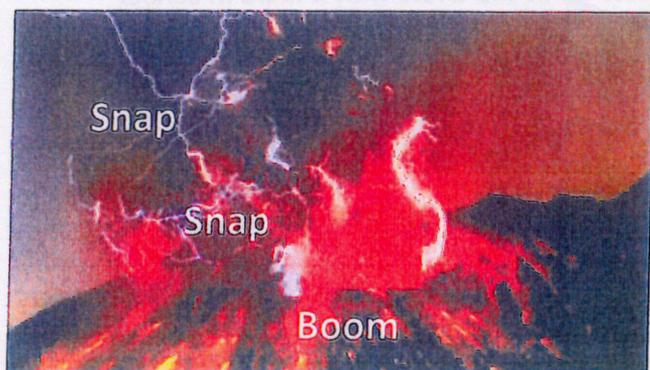
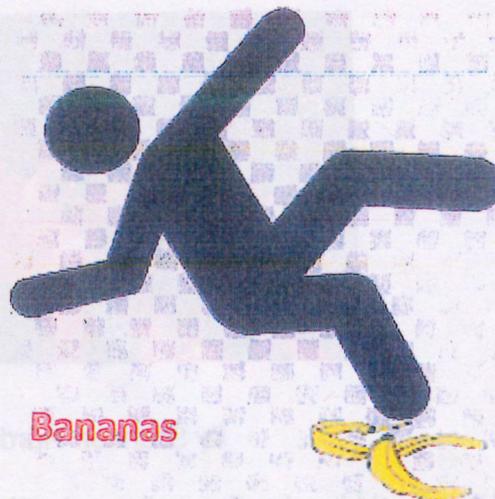
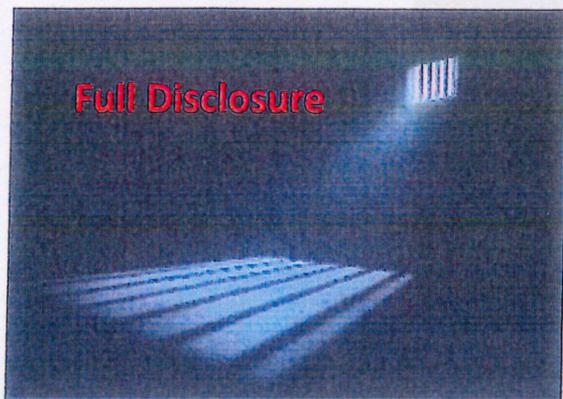
Zac Karaman

Devil

Samantha Moran

Sophia

Fionna Gough



Lighting Designer

Chris Newall

Sound Designers

Russell Fleet and Oliver Ings

Stage Manager

Jane Casey

Marketing

Ella Dorman-Gajic

Videographer

Peter Gould

Front of House

Alex McDevitt

QExtra Producer

Sue Collins

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