



**HACKNEY SHOWROOM PRESENTS >>> THE BOBBY DAZZLER!**

## 2025 TOURING

Hackney Showroom has been delighting and surprising audiences with outstanding, radical, inclusive live performance since 2015 and we are thrilled to announce a new touring stage.

The Bobby Dazzler is a visually stunning show-stopper that can drive to a number of locations and be placed anywhere with vehicle access – open air, car parks, streets, town squares, green spaces and riverside locations. It is the perfect addition to outdoor arts event, festivals and private hires.

Hackney Showroom has an impressive track record of producing and curating outdoor work, from our own Disco Loco In the Park festival of culture for 4,000 families in Hackney, to curating the Southbank Centre Summer Sessions over 6 weekends and takeovers at the National Theatre Riverstage, Museum of London, Smithfield Market Street Party and more.

We're adept at creating bespoke arts events in response to briefs and can curate anything from a single set to a full weekend or series of dates. Take a look at examples of our programming - all images of previous events and festivals we've curated - and get in touch to book.



## CABARET & QUEER PERFORMANCE >>>

*"A staple in London's creative scene, Hackney Showroom delivers spell binding theatre alongside enriching community building. A unique excellence that is hard to match."*

Gay Times

Inclusive, gender affirming & irreverent, Hackney Showroom's cabaret offer is a fruity slice of alternative queer London sub-culture.

As well as drag, comedy and musical cabaret acts we have an exceptional roster of cutting edge dance and circus talent.

Plus, alongside a fierce line-up we've conjured finales and magic moments to create lasting memories - from confetti spectacles to balloon drops and laser shows.



**CABARET >>>**



UPSWING



DOUGHNUT & MOUTH



DIANE CHORLEY

**FAMILIES & KIDS >>>**



RUBYYY JONES

**DISCO LOCO >>>**

*"Our little boy danced his socks off. You rock, you roll, you broughten up our souls!"*

Our legendary family arts soundsystem DISCO LOCO was founded in 2004 and kickstarted the baby-rave craze. Curating bold work for families, our USP is to steer clear of niche children's programming, serving adults and kids simultaneously. We celebrate the family in all its guises: from queer to dual heritage, step, single parent and extended, at DISCO LOCO everyone is welcome.

**DOUGHNUT & MOUTH >>>**

Introducing for 2025, our new irreverent, family-friendly show. Doughnut and Mouth are a very unlikely duo from the Council, on a mission to enforce new safety rules. All seems to be going well until they get invited to an event they really shouldn't attend...

## FRESH NEW SOUNDS >>>

*"Diversity, inclusivity and uniqueness are behind everything staged at Hackney Showroom."*  
Evening Standard

Our future-facing live music programme showcases the very best underground, fresh talent from emerging scenes in East London and across the UK.

Championing queer and POC led bands and artists, we have a reputation for platforming bands at the early stages their career, who go on to make big waves.

Past headliners of our annual festival in Hackney include planningtorock, and New Build (Al Doyle, Hot Chip) and Afrikan Boy.



SACRED PAWS



FLAMINGODS



PORRIDGE RADIO



AFRIKAN BOY

LIVE MUSIC >>>

EARL GATESHEAD



NATTY BO



## CARNIVAL PROGRAMME & HISTORY OF REGGAE >>>

Our reggae offer includes some of the UK's most infamous DJs, singers and selectors and we're booked every year for Hackney Carnival.

Our programme includes HISTORY OF REGGAE, an audio lecture by EARL GATESHEAD which tells the story of reggae from rocksteady and ska through to roots and dancehall, playing the tracks to punctuate the story, accompanied by NATTY BO who demonstrates dance moves of the different eras. This unique, participatory set is a hit with adult audiences as well as families.

BEN CUTTER



LORNA GEE



REGGAE >>>

## REQUIREMENTS

As a simple plug-in-and-go offer, the Bobby Dazzler is fully self-sufficient with minimal requirements, making it the perfect show-stopper.

- 13 amp power
- 4 hours set up & 2 hours pack down
- 8 x 8m footprint for activity & 6m height when outdoors with the searchlight on top

## WHAT WE'LL PROVIDE

- Fully curated events & line-up of Artists
- Production Manager/Artist Liaison
- Event marketing assets
- Event co-promotion



## BOOKING THE BOBBY DAZZLER

To discuss your brief or get a quote,  
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