



## EXCITING NEW DRAMA WORKSHOPS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

NB Theatre and the Abbey Theatre Community and Education Department Present 4 Drama/Theatre Workshops for young people at The Mill Theatre Dundrum.

*Hi my name is Ross Smith, I am 16 years old and I was born in Russia. Acting is one of my biggest passions in my life. I am in an acting company in the Mill Theatre Dundrum. I approached the Abbey theatre in 2017 with the idea of doing drama workshops for young people like me who were adopted into Ireland. With support from the Abbey Theatre's Community and Education department and NB Theatre four drama/theatre workshops will be held at The Mill Theatre Dundrum. Please come along and do book early.*

*Working with drama facilitator/performance artist Shane Byrne and Noelle Brown actor/playwright/facilitator these workshops will cover drama exercises, improvisation and lead to short scripted scenes, songs and movement created by the participants themselves in response to the question 'what is it like being a young person in Ireland today'?*

*Shane Daniel Byrne is an artist working across theatre, film and live art. He is a professionally trained and qualified facilitator and has worked all over the country with participants of all ages and experience. He is a founder member of the critically acclaimed THEATREclub, a social justice performance collective based in Dublin since 2008.*

*Noelle was adopted into Ireland in 1965. She has co-written and performed in a highly acclaimed theatre play called POSTSCRIPT, which tells the story of her adoption. The play toured Ireland for 10 weeks and played the Irish Cultural Centre in Paris and in 2017 played a sold out run at the Abbey Theatre. She has been an actor and drama facilitator since 1987 working with groups all over Ireland.*

VENUE THE MILL THEATRE DUNDRUM.

DATES: Saturdays May 26<sup>th</sup> June 16<sup>th</sup> June 23<sup>rd</sup> and June 30<sup>th</sup>

TIME: 2.00 PM TO 4.00 PM.

Ages 12 to 18 year olds. Each workshop has a maximum number of 16 participants.

To book a place, contact Noelle at [nollieb@gmail.com](mailto:nollieb@gmail.com) or phone 087-6867589. Cost 20 Euro.