



The Bubble Canteen

Presenters Pack

Welcome to The Bubble Canteen, a magical installation where the air sparkles with 12,000 bubbles each minute; a world of wonder and delight, capturing and connecting directly to the hearts of your audience.





"Fabulous! Thank you for bringing pure magic to our festival! An absolute hit and a must for any festival or event in the country!"

Brisbane Festival, QLD



"Brilliantly Phenomenal - our audiences were in awe!"

The Red Earth Arts Festival, WA



"The Bubble Canteen was a festival highlight that audiences flocked to through-out the weekend - dolling up generous servings of fun of joy amid 12,000 bubbles per minute!"

The 2024 Fremantle International Street Arts Festival, WA

The Bubble Canteen

Welcome to The Bubble Canteen, a magical installation where the air sparkles with 12,000 bubbles each minute; a world of wonder and delight, capturing and connecting directly to the hearts of your audience.

Crafted by the imaginative hands of Beryl, Annie, and Helga—three charming golden spinster sisters from Dublin—The Bubble Canteen is more than just an attraction; it's a vibrant celebration of creativity and joy. These spirited sisters infuse every bubble with whimsy and warmth, inviting all who visit to connect with the installation and each other. Designed with inclusivity at its core, The Bubble Canteen offers an entirely visual experience free from language barriers. Here, every shimmering bubble tells a story, and every visitor can share in the magic regardless of age or background. It's a place where the simple joy of a floating bubble can evoke profound feelings of happiness, wonder, and awe.





**THE
MASK
FAMILY**

Day & Night Versions

Day Version

Perfect for sunny days, this version enhances the natural beauty of the bubbles, allowing visitors to see them glisten and dance in the daylight. It's an ideal attraction for families and children, creating a playful and enchanting atmosphere.



Night Version

This version transforms The Bubble Canteen into a dazzling spectacle, with illuminated bubbles that glow in the dark, creating a magical and ethereal experience. It's perfect for evening events and adds even more wonder to nighttime festivities.

Accessibility



100%
Visual content



No
Dialogue



Wheel Chair
Access

Creative Team

Creator:	Clint Bolster
Creative Consultants:	Frans Vogels & Chae Lindeman
Producer:	The Mask Family
Performers:	Clint Bolster, Frans Vogels, Chae Lindeman, Allie Wilde & Nick Cilento
Mask Designer & Maker:	Strangeface Masks
Production Designer & Builder:	Josh McIntosh
Photographers:	Justin Ma & Barbara Lowing
Costume Designer:	Josh McIntosh
Costume Maker:	Jo Fraher
Electrician:	Sparky Marc

Originally Commissioned by
BRISBANE FESTIVAL

World Premier Season
Brisbane Festival 2023

For Bookings Contact

Clint Bolster - Artistic Director

themaskfamilybookings@gmail.com

PH#: 0421 524 401



**THE
MASK
FAMILY**

Freight Details

- 3 x Freight cases (90 cm wide, 234 cm long, 75 cm high, between 400kg – 550kg each) on wheels.
- 1 x Bench: 53 cm wide, 184 cm long, 98 cm high, 50 kg, wheeled.
- 2 x Bubble Towers: 2 units, 55 cm wide, 84 cm long, 170 cm high, 50 kg each, on wheels.
- 1 x Freight Case (73cm wide, 218cm long, 107cm height, 150kg) on wheels



Transportation & Handling of Freight

- Our Freight Company are Ready Movers who will provide 2 x Removalists for uploading and Uplift.
- A forklift is recommended for easier handling – otherwise a minimum of 4 crew required to push into place.

Crew Requirements

- Bump In/Out: 4x crew members for 2 hours each during initial and final stages, including cleaning (final stage) and packing.
- Access to running water is needed; we can provide the hose.
- Daily Setup/Down: 1x Crew member for 30 minutes before and after the first and last set.
- Festival to Provide: 2x FOH staff for audience safety and crowd control during performance. This can be downsized or scaled up, depending on the audience numbers.

Installation Footprint

- Width: Approx. 5 meters.
- Depth: Approx. 5 meters.
- Height: Max 2.5 meters (Bubble Towers).
- Refer to Site Map Attached.

Location Configuration

Site-specific placement decisions during the inspection, preferably a flat surface on the grass with a considerable performance site.

Power & Storage Needs

- 2 electrical distro boards each with 6 x 10 Amp outlets each.
- A secure dressing room close to the performance site and accessible throughout the season.

Security

Security is required when the site is not activated.



Draft Schedule

- **Wednesday:** Performers and Freight Arrive + Bump In.
- **Thursday to Sunday:** Performance Days 1 to 4.
- **Monday:** Day Off.
- **Tuesday:** Day Off.
- **Wednesday – Sunday:** Performance Days 5 to 9.
- **Monday:** Bump Out & Freight Leaves.
- **Tuesday:** Performers Leave.

Performance Duration

2 x 50-minute sets daily, presented over 1 day and 1 evening, or both within a 4-hour coll.

Weather

Performances will be cancelled or rescheduled in case of rain. After each day, the set will be covered with a weather-proof cover – which The Bubble Canteen will supply.



Bubble & Smoke Machines Used

4x Beamz SB2000-LED Smoke & Bubble Machine with LED Wash

- **Heating element:** 2000W
- **No. of LEDs:** 18x 3W 3-in-1
- **Power supply:** 100-240VAC / 50-60Hz

2x Chauvet DJ Hurricane Bubble Haze X2 Q6-Smoke Bubble Machine

- **Light Source:** 6 LEDs (Quad-color RGB + UV) 4 W, (900 mA)
- **Input Voltage:** 120 VAC, 60 Hz or 230 VAC, 50 Hz
- **Power and Current:** 650 W, 4.5 A @ 120 V, 60 Hz
650 W, 2.3 A @ 230 V, 50 Hz

2x Beamz S700-JB Smoke Machine with LED Jelly Ball 700W

- **Heating element:** 700W
- **No. of LEDs:** 3x 3W RGB
- **Power supply:** 230Vac, 50Hz

4x Chauvet DJ B-550 Professional Bubble Machine

- **Power:** 230V AC / 50Hz

1 x Fish Tank Motor for Bubble Foam

4 x Battery Operated Bubble Machines - Small

Lighting Equipment Used

4 x Rows of Fesstoons

1 x Pack of 4 Lights - Beamz SlimPar45

4-Pack Wash Light - 18x 3W 3-in-1 RGB LEDs

- **LED power:** 3w
- **Quantity of LEDs:** 18
- **Illuminance:** 3642 lx @ 1m
- **Power supply:** 100-240VAC 50/60Hz

4 x 4 LED Row Lights

Sound Equipment Used:

1 x JBL Party Box 110 Portable Speaker

Watts (Total)160





**THE
MASK
FAMILY**

Audience

