

LCSD to hold Performing Arts Carnival 2023 at Kwai Tsing Theatre (with photos)

The Leisure and Cultural Services Department is presenting the Performing Arts Carnival 2023 from October to December at five of its performance venues in the New Territories. The last carnival will be held at the Kwai Tsing Theatre (KTT) in the afternoon on December 10 (Sunday), with the Hong Kong Academy for Performing Arts (HKAPA) and venue partners of the KTT showcasing an array of free performing arts programmes. Members of the public are welcome to join.

The fascinating programmes of the Performing Arts Carnival 2023 will cover dance, drama, music and Chinese opera. HKAPA students will offer the Cantonese opera excerpt "Tryst in the Firewood Shed" from "Havoc at Guang Chang Long", performances of Chinese dance, ballet and contemporary dance as well as an excerpt of the original musical "Home Sweet Home" at the KTT. They will also perform Chinese music repertoires, including Shandong folk music, "Gold Rush Order"; an erhu ensemble, "Charge of the War Horses"; a silk and string quintet, "A Joyful Night"; a zheng ensemble, "Battling the Typhoon"; a small ensemble, "Blooming Flowers under Full Moon", and a Guangdong music medley.

Two fringe activities by the venue partners of the KTT will also be held at the carnival. The Chung Ying Theatre Company will perform excerpts of oral history theatre from "Post-Southern Anthropocene" and the Wind Mill Grass Theatre will present play readings of excerpts from "Lazy People Love Traveling".

Admission to all programmes is free with limited places available on a first-come, first-served basis. Tickets for the fringe activities will be available at the foyer of the KTT on the event day from noon while stocks last. For details, please visit the website www.lcsd.gov.hk/en/ktt/performingartscarnival2023.html.



