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A.R.A.B On Edge

'A.R.A.B On Edge' is a jam packed, open dance and music lab by day and a FREE performance showcase by night, featuring 150 plus A.R.A.B (Anti Racism Action Band) youth performers from 50 cultures. The 'drop zone' will be open to the general public from 12:30pm till 6:30pm. Show kicks off at 7:00pm, October 3rd at BMW Edge (Federation Square).

A.R.A.B On Edge during the Fringe Festival will be a free, highly visible, specialised multi-disciplinary performance showcase with 150 of A.R.A.B's multi cultural youth ensemble and performance partners, with a series of surprise guest appearances.

In creating A.R.A.B On Edge, the excavation of dialogue, stories, movement, sound and image are given a distinctly 'City-Centric' flavor. These flavors will pour from 50 different cultures across 10 northern postcodes into the heart of the city and be served up to Fringe Festival audiences for FREE. On October 3rd for one day and one night, BMW edge will be transformed into a dance and music lab 'drop zone'. Over 6 jam packed hours during the day 150 youth artists will work together to piece a 1 hour performance showcase in the night. This is full speed theatre making for all to see. Show starts at 7pm sharp!

"Infectious, amazing high energy!" - Rose Godde (Platform Youth Theatre. Manager, company and programs)

"So many faces, so many cultures, so much talent." - Audience member

"I've seen each of the wild and wonderful shows produced by A.R.A.B and always come away feeling elated" - Patricia Cornelius (Playwright)

<http://www.arab-vass.com>

A.R.A.B On Edge

VENUE

Federation Square - BMW Edge
Cnr Flinders and Swanston Street
Melbourne, Victoria 3000

DATES: 3 Oct

TIME:

TICKETS

FREE

TO BOOK visit melbournefringe.com.au or call (03) 9660 9666

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