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Shut up and Dance.... 3!

An onslaught of free radical moves and record breaking audience challenges

“As a part-time family member (the annoying drunk uncle figure) of the Shut Up And Dancers, I look forward to the knees-up North Melbourne shindig like Pete Doherty anticipates a restful afternoon on his crack pipe. One time I saw a morbidly obese man drop to his knees and slide across the floor in a jiving frenzy. It was pure poetry.”

- Marieke Hardy, Writer

Join Unruly hosts The Town Bikes, Flash Dan & his mum Bev for part rambunctious dance class, part social dance, part dance spectacular. Featuring Anna's Go Go Academy, Beebop Arts Samba troupe, The Shut Up Dancers and an all-star cast of incredibly unusual and surprising guests. Learn a slew of sensational dance moves to ignite any dance floor. Get ready for this highly stimulating, wild and peculiar dance party and prepare yourself for an onslaught of free radical dancers, dance tuition, maverick social dancing and exhilarating challenges.

About - The Town Bikes:

Notorious first ladies of crazed adagio, The Town Bikes – Gabi Barton and Carla Yamine – have amused and bemused audiences across the Australia, Europe, the UK and America with their inimitable stylings and high voltage performance. Born from an intense desire to present entertaining and meticulous work, their unique brand of dance based theatrics has catapulted them into venues as diverse as East German Fishing Ships, Mammoth Music Festivals, Children's Bonfires, Spiegel-tents, Swingers Parties and a Buddhist Cabaret.

Purveyors of slapstick and curious choreography, The Town Bikes seek inspiration from idiosyncrasy, synchronicity and the human condition. Employing an endless assortment of exquisite, matching costumes and incongruous props, The Bikes have spent the better part of 12 years crafting and presenting countless dynamic works.

<http://www.thetownbikes.com>

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VENUE

Fringe Club - Arts House, North Melbourne Town Hall
521 Queensberry St
North Melbourne, Victoria

DATES: 7 Oct

TIME: 9.00pm (4hr)

TICKETS

FREE

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

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