MUSIC/PERCUSSION

Grant Collins

Presents

RHYTHM SAFARI: **Beats of the World**

After the huge success of Grant's 2008 Playing Australia tour and his recent 2009 European tour, get ready to be blown away with his latest show, "Rhythm Safari: Beats of the World", featuring a range of compositions influenced by world music and world cultures.

As one of the world's leading drumset composers/performers, Grant's concerts have been celebrated around the globe as original, entertaining, inspiring and totally mind-blowing. His \$80,000 drumset (the largest in the southern hemisphere) acts as a prop for Grant to showcase his talents and to express a level of artistry, which has seen him rise as one of the forerunners of solo drumset composition and performance. He is quickly being known as a force in new contemporary music and his concerts offer a personal insight into his unique world of drumming.

Grant engages the audiences with a literal percussion tour de force. His mesmerising performance will take them on a journey, which expresses the creativity and passion of a virtuoso and his instrument. Grant's concerts have blown away so many audiences around the world from the young to the old, from the experienced musician to the music enthusiast. He also builds a unique bond with the audience, concentrated yet vulnerable through his sometimes-mischievous descriptions detailing the inspirations behind his compositions.

An unbelievable drummer, a dynamic performer, a great night out! City Recital Hall, Sydney

Community activities:

Type of activity: Drum Workshop

Age activity best suited to: 9yrs - 190yrs

Number of participants: Open

Requirements: Functional drumset, carpet or mat for under kit, Mic & vocal PA for larger groups

(120+)

Duration: 45 - 60 mins Cost: \$350 per workshop

Colleague recommendation:

Venue: Gold Coast Arts Centre

Contact: Destry Pula Phone: 07 5581 6506

Disclaimer: The performance fee range may change subject to the level of demand for the production.



Artist contact details:

Name: Grant Collins Phone: 0433 162 081

Email: grant@grantcollins.com Website: www.grantcollins.com

Specifications and Requirements:

Availability: March 1- April 26, 2010 May 27- June 15, 2010 August 3 - September 3, 2010 September 8 - October 28, 2010

Target audience: General Public, Music

Enthusiasts, Young and Old

Running time: 90-110 minutes

Number in touring party: 1 artist; 3 crew

Bump in: 4 hrs. Bump out: 2 hrs.

Venue: indoors

Critical issues: none

Venue Technical requirements: (Please list) Performance space 8w x 6d; PA with Min 16 ch mixer; mic. cables; general concert lighting; 2 dressing rooms preferred.

More detailed specifications for venues with AV capabilities are available.

Marketing materials: High Res promo pics, Biography, Audio/Video Clips. website has media page with all this info able to be downloaded!

Performance fee: \$830 to \$2,290

Performance Royalties: 7%

16