

★★★★★ – DAILY REVIEW

★★★★★ – THE MUSIC

“ONE YOU SHOULDN'T MISS”

– SYDNEY MORNING HERALD

“PERFECTLY STRUCTURED,
BRILLIANTLY PRODUCED”

– THE AUSTRALIAN

“IN EVERY RESPECT,
THEATRE THAT MATTERS”

– ABC

DAREBIN ARTS SPEAKEASY AND MELBOURNE
INTERNATIONAL ARTS FESTIVAL PRESENTS A LA BOITE
THEATRE AND BRISBANE FESTIVAL PRODUCTION OF

PRIZE FIGHTER

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9 OCTOBER - 20 OCTOBER
NORTHCOTE TOWN HALL

a La Boite Theatre and Brisbane Festival Production by Future D. Fidel

Presented by Darebin Arts Speakeasy and Melbourne International Arts Festival

PRIZE FIGHTER

October 9 – 20 2018 at Northcote Town Hall Arts Centre

A talented young boxer, Isa, is preparing for the biggest fight of his career. On the line is the national title and the promise of fame and riches beyond his wildest dreams. What unfolds is a truly Australian story and a modern-day fable of a Congolese boy orphaned by war and forced to become a child soldier by the very people who killed his family. His powerful left hook offers a new life in Australia, but his greatest obstacle is not his opponent – it's his past. Combining live boxing and with high-octane performance style, *Prize Fighter* is a unique and powerful production that will blow you away.

CREDITS

Writer Future D Fidel

Director Todd MacDonald

Designer Bill Haycock

Lighting Designer David Walters

Composer/Sound Designer Felix Cross

Movement & Fight Director Nigel Poulton

Stage Manager Daniel Sinclair

Assistant Stage Manager Peter Rhoades

Tour Technician Jake Cook

Cast includes Pacharo Mzembe, Gideon Mzembe, Margi Brown-Ash, Ratidzo Mambo, Marcus Johnson and Mandela Mathia

Also featuring boxers from the Northside Boxing Gym, Preston

ABOUT LA BOITE

La Boite is a story of people, passion, purpose and place. La Boite holds a unique place in the hearts and minds of artists and audiences in Australia. As Australia's longest-running professional theatre company, La Boite has represented the adventurous and alternative for more than 90 years.

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