

# THE CAMDEN ROAR

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4 - 23 Jun 2024

A festival  
of theatre  
& creativity  
celebrating  
London's  
most iconic  
borough



**Camden, you're invited!**  
Join us for for a three-week theatre festival filled  
with the messages and stories of our borough and  
its people.

We save trees by not printing the whole line-up so head to [cptheatre.co.uk](http://cptheatre.co.uk) to check out all events. Here are a few tasters:



# GRILLS

A show weaving the past and the present, the analogue and the digital, with the joys and frustrations of queer community.

GRILLS confronts the parallels between the 80s and 2024: the rise of fascism, the policing of LGBT+ rights, and the closing of essential community spaces.

**4 - 22 June at 7pm**

## 236 CAVENDISH MANSIONS

A work-in-progress combining monologue and installation, addressing memory through the palimpsest of a Victorian tenement flat in Camden. A woman embodies multiple existences recalling voices that have been forgotten.

**4 - 5 June at 9pm**



## DRAWING ON THE BOTTLE

Live projected drawing, music, comedy and pathos about the seduction of alcohol; the reality of ethanol. A unique performance about a toxic life partner and ways to step away.

**7 - 8 June at 9pm**

## COMMUNITY TAKE OVER DAY

Come and celebrate all things Camden in the launch event for our Camden Roar festival! Free snacks and drinks provided. Events happening throughout the day

**9 June from 1pm**



## BENGALI BOYS

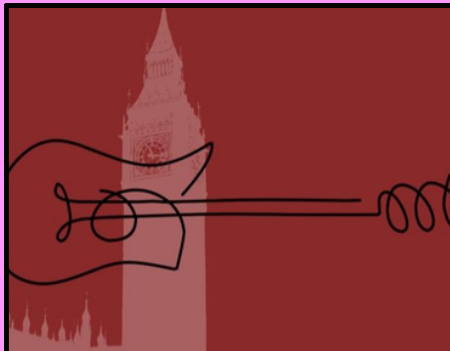
A work-in-progress sharing exploring the complex history of Camden. Using a blend of interviews, archives and performance, Bengali Boys shares the triumphs, struggles and resilient spirit of this diverse community.

**9 June at 3pm**

## SCRATCH NIGHT

A scratch night of new works-in-progress. Tonight's event features 'She Sells Sanctuary on the Prince of Wales Road' and 'The Old Dagger'.

**10 June at 7:15pm**



## CITIZEN

A songwriters testimony to every mother who was and is a refugee, an immigrant. To everyone, displaced and found, who wasn't born in this country but became a CITIZEN.

**11 - 12 June at 9pm**

## WITH NAIL AND WITHOUT NAIL

A modern, feminist reimagining of the cult 1987 film "Withnail & I" exploring the lives of 2 struggling artists in their Camden flat.

**13 - 14 June 9pm**



## PUB QUIZ

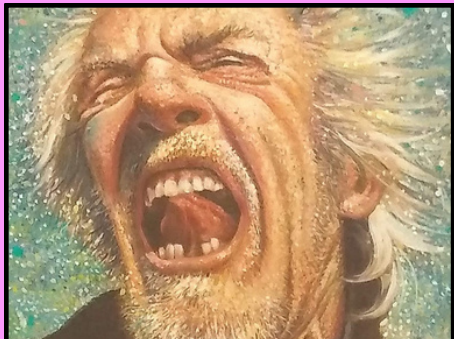
Come and reconnect with pub quiz culture for our first pub quiz! Test your knowledge of Camden and raise a glass to the pubs that are gone but not forgotten.

**15 June at 9pm**

## SCRATCH NIGHT

A scratch night of new works-in-progress. Tonight's event features 'The Camden Queers' and 'Sweet Testament Divine'.

**16 June at 7pm**



## ART FOR ART'S SAKE

A theatrical extravaganza, Art for Arts Sake looks at the issues surrounding homelessness through art, drama, dance, spoken word, song, standup and music. Prepare to be blown away!

**18 - 19 June at 9pm**



## SECOND LIFE

Charlie Hartill Award 2024 Shortlisted, Cathartic Party, brings their debut show back to London for its second life. A thrifty dark comedy about London community and vintage clothes.

**20 - 21 June at 9pm**



## INTO THE ROAR

Welcome to Camden Roar Festival's mane event! Unleash your inner lion with a night of drag and cabaret, guaranteed to put the den in Camden, leaving you roaring for more.

**22 June at 9pm**



## TOLMERS SQUARE FESTIVAL

The Camden Roar festival will close with our annual outdoor family day that brings the best in outdoor performance to the people of Camden.

**23 June from 2pm**



### **Camden People's Theatre**

58-60 Hampstead Road  
NW1 2PY

### **Browse all shows & community events:**

[cpttheatre.co.uk](http://cpttheatre.co.uk/festivals/camden-roar)  
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