

TANTRUM

Utilising performance, storytelling and so much more, Tantrum offers meaningful creative workshops, projects and opportunities for young people aged 5 to 30 that build confidence, connections and compassion.

Engaging
young
people.



Developing
new art.

Supporting
emerging
artists.

Employing
local
artists.

Overall, young
people rate
Tantrum Workshops

9.43
out of
10

"THEY
INVOLVED MY
IDEAS AND
WERE VERY
WELCOMING."
- Participant
(age 11)

"IT IS A JOY TO SEE
MY CHILD IN A
PLACE THAT IS SO
ACCOMMODATING."

- Parent of
participant

"TANTRUM HAS BEEN VERY ACCEPTING OF MY CHILD WITH AUTISM. MY SON LOVES GOING TO DRAMA AS HE FEELS ACCEPTED AND VALUED. HE JUST FITS AT TANTRUM. HE LOVES THAT IT IS NOT TOO SERIOUS AND THAT IT'S OK TO HAVE A LAUGH OR MAKE A MISTAKE."

- Parent of participant



TANTRUM OPEN

Tantrum is for every young person but especially those who feel left out, like they don't belong or that their voices aren't being heard.

Thanks to the Tantrum OPEN Scholarship program, we are able to offer young people facing disadvantage one year's free attendance of our Creative Drama Workshops. With your support, Tantrum can offer scholarships to young people experiencing social isolation or financial hardship, or facing barriers due to mental health or disability.

Each scholarship supports one young person to attend a full year of weekly afternoon workshops at Tantrum's studio in Merewether.



Your tax-deductable
donation of

\$1000



**supports the
referral of
one young
person
to attend
a full year of weekly
workshops**

Community Partner Spotlight:

"YOUNG PEOPLE WHO ARE ABLE TO ACCESS SCHOLARSHIPS, SUCH AS THIS, CAN OVERCOME FACTORS SUCH AS FINANCIAL AND SOCIAL ISOLATION. A TANTRUM OPEN SCHOLARSHIP HELPS A YOUNG PERSON TAKE THE NEXT STEP IN THEIR JOURNEY AND CONNECT TO A WORLD OF PERSONAL AND CREATIVE DEVELOPMENT."

- Richard De Martin,

Youth Directions Facilitator, Northlakes Youth Services

Scholarship Recipient Spotlight:



* Name changed for privacy. Photo is illustrative of Tantrum Workshops only.

Henry* has a history of anxiety and depression, has experienced ongoing bullying and has struggled to make connections with peers. Since receiving a Tantrum OPEN Scholarship, Henry has taken important steps to meeting his goals of building confidence, and making new friends.

Henry scored the following statements out of 10,
(with 10 being "strongly agree")



"I feel like my
contribution
matters"

10 out of **10**



"I feel welcome
and included"

8 out of **10**

"THE TANTRUM OPEN INCLUSION SCHOLARSHIP IS AN EXCELLENT PROGRAM FOR YOUNG PEOPLE EXPERIENCING DIFFICULTIES IN THEIR LIVES. IT HAS GIVEN HENRY A CREATIVE OUTLET IN A RELAXED AND FRIENDLY ATMOSPHERE, AND ALLOWED HIM TO BE HIMSELF."

– Henry's Mother

Henry's mother scored the following statement out of 10,
(with 10 being "strongly agree")



"My child feels more
connected to other
young people"

9 out of **10**

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Or contact us!

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Our community partners:

Hunter
PRIMARYCARE

 **headspace**
Newcastle

headspace provides mental and health wellbeing support, information and services to young people and their families. headspace Centres around Australia can help with mental and physical health, alcohol and other drugs, work and study.

 **NORTHLAKES**
YOUTH SERVICES

 **Youth**
Project

 **EM**
NC
EDGEWORTH
MEMORIAL
NEIGHBOURHOOD
CENTRE

Northlakes Youth Services is a free service for young people 9-18 years living in the North Lake Macquarie corridor, offering information, support, advocacy, programs and referral for a range of issues impacting young people and their families.