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**15th Annual Cincinnati Fringe Festival  
May 29 - June 10**

## ***FAMILY FRIENDLY FRINGE DETAILS***

While we pride our Lineup for containing **something for everyone**, including ticketed productions that are Family Friendly, we want to ensure that plentiful opportunities exist for parents and children to Fringe with us, so this year we have **special, FREE offerings at noon on weekends** that give families a chance to get kinda weird, too!

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**Show Title:** *The Case of the Kidnapped Backpack*

**Group Name:** Madcap Puppets

**From:** Cincinnati, OH

**Category (Tags):** Family Friendly (Comedy, Musical, Puppetry)

**Rating:** Family Friendly (all ages)

**10-word Description:** Madcap Puppets and Paul Strickland's Original Puppet Musical!

**Full Description:** Caw Lumbo, child crow and amateur sleuth extraordinaire, is on the case! Billy the Raccoon misplaces his backpack... or was it stolen? Everyone is a suspect in this hilarious musical-puppet-whodunnit! The Case of the Kidnapped Backpack is written and features music and lyrics by Paul Strickland.

**Artist/Company Biography:** Since our founding in 1981, Madcap Puppets has become nationally recognized for engaging and original children's theatre productions, as well as in-school educational programs that include performances, workshops and residencies.

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**Show Title:** *The Inventive Princess of Floralee*

**Group Name:** Know Theatre of Cincinnati

**From:** Cincinnati, OH

**Category (Tags):** Play (Comedy, STEM Themes)

**Rating:** Family Friendly (All ages)

**10-word Description:** Think like scientists on the adventure of a lifetime!

**Full Description:** The Princess of Floralee is searching for the kidnapped king kept in the clutches of a viciously vile and wrathfully wicked witch. Along the way, you'll help the princess solve a variety of math, engineering, science, and even dance challenges as she uses her brains, wit, and sound judgment to find her father in the land Scalenfell. Laugh and cheer as you meet characters like a figure-skating dragon, a Platypus saving Pirate, a gate with a flair for dancing, and a witch, that they may recognize! *Floralee* unites science and art by giving audiences a chance to laugh, dance, and think critically about topics rooted in STEM.

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