OPEN DAY

SUNDAY, 29 MAY, 10:00 – 16:00

TIPPER WAREHOUSE, ORCHARDS PROJECT, 5 A PINE ROAD, ORCHARDS, ORANGE GROVE

The Trinity Session is a multi-disciplinary arts company founded in 2001. For the past twenty years the Trinity Session has developed strong working relationships within a variety of metros in South Africa, including Nelson Mandela Bay, eThekwini, and Gauteng – Johannesburg and Pretoria in particular. Our core business has centred on curation and coordination services for the procurement of large scale public art programmes that integrate with important political heritage sites and or placemaking programmes. Our most recent contract #ArtMyJozi with the City of Johannesburg ran over three years (2017-2020) and included place-making through art processes with specific community's in Noordgesig (Soweto), Brixton, Turfontein, Paterson Park (Orange Grove), and Balfour Park. In each of these project areas we approached the design development process through creative programmes that set up important dialogues of learning and exchange across all ages. This in turn allowed us to understand how the programme of works could resource community participants with creative design skills enabling increased skills transference and participation in the creation of final works on site, as well as professional practice and business skills workshops in support of future goals and aspirations.

The link here gives an overview of the work executed across many of these sites https://artmyjozi.co.za and we have a social media archive of the day to today aspects of the project on our Instagram and Facebook pages, please see #ArtMyJozi.

This contract became catalytic for the development and growth of our company as the scale of the ArtMyJozi project required we develop a range of project managers and creative facilitators to oversee the various components of such an elaborate programme, and today we have a wonderful team of experienced people who have learned the power of design and creation through listening to people and facilitating self-expression in terms of current and future goals for themselves, their families, and their communities. And this is where the last two years of our greening projects intersect, as the logics of growing and maintaining our productive green spaces has had a profound knock on effect, networking us to other growers and food security initiatives in our various project geographies.

Our Open Day on Sunday 29 May, is thus a distillation of the learnings from these supportive networks of socially minded change makers whose knowledge, offerings and services have been curated into a day of exchange and cross-over between, artistic expression, growing logics and wellness practices.

We invite you and your families and friends to join us for a variety of special events and activities, some of which are direct outcomes from our Open Week showcase in April, which included mushroom growing, Waste to Art, Nature and Art workshops, Visualisation Play Studios, Kinisiekids and fitness sessions, and so on.

Our Open Day is a City of Johannesburg approved event and all necessary safety measures will be in place, so please join us from 10:00 through 16:00. And we encourage you to share this release with all relevant networks.

As part of our ambition to transform The Tipper Warehouse and surrounding green spaces into a supportive wellness space, we have started to run workshops with multiple collaborators, which will form part of an integrated programme of ongoing activities.

Please see the programme for May and June below, these are excellent opportunities for knowledge exchange, to explore the area and meet like minded people.

PROGRAMME AT TIPPER

MAY

Natures Networks, Workshop 4, 21 May
Grey Oyster Fruiting Bucket & Substrate Plant Pot
https://www.quicket.co.za/events/175224-natures-networks-workshop-4-21-may/#/

Beginners Painting Workshop, 21 May
https://www.quicket.co.za/events/170797-beginners-painting-workshop-21-may-2022/#/

Open Day, 29 May
10:00 – 16:00 (join us throughout the day)
Tipper Warehouse, Orchards Project
5 a Pine Road, Orchards/Orange Grove
Stay updated: https://forms.gle/zrXdnPd3jgsN1pC48

JUNE

Natures Networks, Log Inoculation, 4 June
morning workshop
https://www.quicket.co.za/events/175297-natures-networks-log-inoculation-4-june-2022-morning-workshop/#/

Natures Networks, Log Inoculation, 4 June
afternoon workshop
https://www.quicket.co.za/events/176428-natures-networks-5-log-inoculation-4-june-2022-afternoon-workshop/#/

Beginners Painting Workshop, 18 June
https://www.quicket.co.za/events/176523-beginners-painting-workshop-18-june/#/

Drum Circle, 18 June
https://www.quicket.co.za/events/176352-drumming-circles/#/

Natures Networks, Log Inoculation, 18 June
morning workshop
https://www.quicket.co.za/events/176441-natures-networks-5-log-inoculation-18-june-morning-workshop/#/

Natures Networks, Log Inoculation, 18 June
afternoon workshop
https://www.quicket.co.za/events/176475-natures-networks-5-log-inoculation-18-june-afternoon-workshop/#/

Beginners Painting Workshop, 21 June
https://www.quicket.co.za/events/176525-beginners-painting-workshop-21-june/#/

Fearless Fungi Talk - Fungi meets Art
22 June 17:30 – 19:00
Register at pb@onair.co.za

Senior Citizens Sessions with Rotolak Fitness
28 June, 12 July and 19 July 10:00 – 10:45
Register at pb@onair.co.za