



The Children in the Moon By The Makeshift Ensemble

They had no idea where they came from. All they knew was that they lived on the hill, and that the old man of the hill called them Zack and Lil. They could have had a most wonderful time playing all day if it had not been for carrying all that water.

Join The Makeshift Ensemble and their travelling teapot of tales on a magical celebration of discovery, courage and diversity.

The Children in the Moon is a wonderfully visual and original take on centuries old children's verse, packed with puppetry and live music this is an ideal show for all the family.

We tell the story of Zack and Lil using our beautifully hand crafted puppets and our wonderful teapot of a tales, a larger than life travelling tea machine which brews fabulous stories and doubles as a stage on which our characters can explore, play and bring their tales to life.

Alongside the puppets are two nomadic storytellers, who introduce the stories and nurture the yarns as they unravel.

The Makeshift Ensemble, with their distinct and compelling style, aim to both discover and celebrate the wonderful things that make us different and the ties that bind the human family together.

We do not believe in forcing our message onto our audience, but that where we can the theatre we make should be responsible, to deliver a message. Art should be provocative...even in a magical piece of family theatre, so we subtly hit upon issues such as embracing diversity...all delivered with fun, magic and the healing power of stories.