

*Snacey!* is about a snake named Snacey who has not been the kindest and is afraid no one will show up to her birthday party! Snacey is raised to be an “evil” snake by her mother, Vena, and her friends don’t think she can change. When her past behaviour slithers back to haunt her, Snacey must learn to shed her evil ways and grow into a new version of herself. Will her animal pals (and mom) accept that she is capable of change? This campy new musical is bursting with puppets, songs, and big feelings. This playful, high-energy show explores the power of redemption, the ability for individuals to change, mother daughter relationships, and about the effects of intergenerational trauma and learning to break the patterns of the past.

This show invites audiences into a high energy and undoubtedly absurd world through multiple theatrical elements. Music, puppetry, shadow work, physical theatre, and a whole lot of camp demonstrate the magic of what is possible in live performance. “Snacey!” is a brilliant reminder of the privilege of gifting the younger generation with important life lessons through theatre. This show deals with complicated themes like being insecure with your identity, mother daughter relationships, and the question of whether people can change. “Snacey!” does not shy away from demonstrating the dreadful possibilities your angry reactions can take you to, but neither does it glorify reacting in that way. It is always beneficial to start talking to kids about the importance of forgiveness and the consequences of violence and anger because it ensures they grow up to be more compassionate humans.