Join us at Imagination Stage for

Blooming Creature



An interactive dance performance and workshop brought from Malta by the Moveo Dance Company

Ages 5+

November 1 at 10:30 a.m.

The Silence of the Forest,
The Echo of the Trees
The Time and the Season when the flowers breathe,
A Withered Flower Blooming Again,
Patiently Awaiting the First Shower of Rain.
A Mysterious Creature springs out with Flair
Dissolving Rhythmically with the Sound of Air...





Moveo Dance Company presents an interactive performance portraying the life cycle of a flower, blooming in a magical garden. This flower interacts with a mystical creature that changes shape and form throughout the piece. A relationship develops between the flower and the creature, which culminates in the creature agreeing to spread the flowers' seeds. The seeds pollinate and thus ensure that the beauty of the flower will live on forever, though the flower itself completes its life cycle.

After the performance, the artists will lead a workshop where the children are split into groups and asked to work together to form flowers and a giant magical creature in the secret garden. The flowers and the creature will then interact through a series of movements, beginning as the children playing the flowers slowly bloom and grow out of the ground. The group interpreting the creature will have to move as one as it travels to the flowers, takes their seeds, and spreads them, creating even more flowers.





This event is part of the Kids Euro Festival taking place throughout the Washington, DC area from October 26 to November 6. The largest children's performing arts festival of its kind in the United States, Kids Euro Festival has annually offered more than 100 free events for children and their families since 2008. This Festival is presented by the 28 embassies of the European Union and more than 20 American cultural institutions, and is made possible by the European-American Cultural Foundation in cooperation with the EU Delegation to the United States, Washington Performing Arts, the DC Arts & Humanities Education Collaborative, and DC Public Libraries.

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