

RUBBISH



A look at the 3 R's - Reduce, Reuse, Recycle

"A great show about a very important topic."

Anne Trenerry, The Armidale School.

"Excellent show. Relayed the messages through fun learning. High student engagement."

Chris George, Wamoon Public School.

"Students were intensely interested from beginning to end!"

Paula Shields, Sacred Heart Central, Cootamundra.

THE PERFORMANCE

Rubbish is an innovative performance about the 3 R's – **Reduce, Reuse** and **Recycle**. Multi award winning "Magic Mic" Conway gets the message across with a circus of comedy, magic and mayhem. He puts the fun into **Recycling** with all kinds of junk musical instruments. Mic **Reuses** the garbage out of the bin to make magic and **Reduces** his audience to tears of laughter with his songs and serious silliness!

Musical garbage bins and rubbish, junk costumes, light juggling, magic with water bottles and cans, ripping newspapers, a cranky little boy puppet and loads of audience participation make for a load of rubbish! – entertaining and educational rubbish. Mic has worked with and has the support of SCRAP (School Communities Recycle All Paper).

THE PERFORMER

ARIA award winning **Mic Conway** is an innovative performer who has worked extensively in music, theatre, film, television and theatre-in-education. Working in Australia and internationally, Mic started in **Captain Matchbox Whoopee Band**, co-founded **Circus Oz**, and has appeared in numerous films and television shows. He has recorded many albums and CDs (two gold records) and has fronted **Mic Conway's National Junk Band** for over ten years and is seen regularly at concerts, festivals and venues around Australia. In 2014 he toured for two months throughout Germany with Robbie Long. In 2015 the book "Captain Matchbox and Beyond" will be published telling the story of the Conway brothers, Mic and Jim

Born into a family of vaudeville, theatre and opera performers, he brings many skills to his shows including: music, magic, tap-dancing, juggling, fire-eating and puppetry. Mic has appeared on and written songs and scenes on various children's television shows, including **ABC for Kids**, **The Wiggles**, **Humphrey Bear** and is even the voice of **Wags the Dog** in **The Wiggles** TV shows and DVD's.

	Curriculum Links
ENGLISH	experiment with & perform rhymes & songs
HSIE	explore sustainability in immediate environment: investigates ecological responsibility
DRAMA	watch and listen as an active participant

DURATION: 50 minutes	SUITABILITY: Years F-6
PERFORMANCE COST \$4.50 per student \$0.45 gst \$4.95 Total	PERFORMANCE MINIMUM (100 STUDENTS*) \$450.00 per show \$ 45.00 gst \$495.00 Total
*PLEASE NOTE EVERY STUDENT OVER 100 PAYS \$4.50 + GST	

Mic 'Microphone' Conway