

Funderland promises to wow families

The FunderLand and Kidz Expo, an event which is the first of its kind, will launch at GrandWest on Wednesday 28 March.

The event is 11 days of fun which includes illusion, mystery and magic, music and dance, through to high-tech and gaming. The festival and expo will have 25 different "fun zones", including the "extreme tech zone" and the African Cyber Gaming League's presence.

In addition to this, the FunderLand Talent Search and the FunderLand Mzansi Competition will also take place, which is open to all who attend.

"We are going to bring you an absolute FunderLand wonderland, fulfilling both you and your children's dreams with sheer joy. Whether their passion is robots, dinosaurs, gaming, cooking, sports or computers, FunderLand is ready to fire up the imagination and inspire whilst providing thrills all round. While the kids dance with the colourful Lollos and the cheeky Bop Boppers, rugby enthusiasts will be blown away by the cheerleading routine of the DHL Stormers Girls. Circus-style acts will amaze both the young and the young at heart," says director Philippa Harvey Luis.

Russel Fox, known as "Magician Insane", will be joined by the freestyling comedic soccer trickster Kyle Rinquest, in addition to Steven Winter from the Winter Sessions, the unbelievable beatboxer Benji Man, Loki Rothman, Desmond Wells, Stephan Visagie, Nic Stevens, Nadia Louw, Shaun Tait, Quinton Prinsloo, Burger le Roux and Elvis impersonator James Marais.

"We are committed to awakening, growing and supporting our country's incredible creative talent, and are beyond excited to receive our first entries.

If your child has a passionate talent we encourage you to help them enter and we have ensured it is super easy to do so. Produced and directed by award-winning producers, the stage is set to be lit in every imaginable way," adds Luis.

Entrants are required to film themselves performing, then simply upload video to Facebook, Instagram, YouTube, Vimeo, or directly to funderland.co.za/talent-search.

Tickets to FunderLand can be purchased at <http://funderland.co.za/buy-ticket>.