The Cove

Autumn 2012 Tour of 'The Cove'

A new dance theatre piece inspired by the landscape that surrounds us, about scaling soaring crags with sea below, feeling the rocks with fingertips, smelling and tasting the air. The effort...the challenge...the pleasure...the fear and mortality. Audiences will be seated in the round and drawn into the dancers’ memories of the natural, wild environment.

Choreographed by Echo Echo Artistic Director Steve Batts with stage design by acclaimed Belfast based artist and climber Dan Shipsides, The Cove will follow on from 2011 project Vertical. Nature. Base. Six dancers will perform their embodied memories of climbing and landscape to a commissioned music score by Christopher Norby. Costume design by Helen Quigley.

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Tour dates:
Wednesday 3rd October: An Grianan Theatre, Letterkenny
Thursday 4th October: Strule Arts Centre, Omagh
Friday 5th October: Roe Valley Arts Centre, Limavady
Wednesday 10th October: Burnavon Theatre, Cookstown
Friday 12th October: Black Box, Belfast
Saturday 13th October: Down Arts Centre, Downpatrick
Wednesday 17th October: Millennium Forum, Derry-Londonderry

Full details on ticket prices and booking lines to follow...