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1 NEYT presents 'Transfixed!'

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4 What happens when young artists are invited to build the
5 story themselves? *Transfixed!* —New England Youth Theatre's
6 production created with and by young artists — happens.

7 The story takes place "in a magical realm where wizards,
8 witches, warlocks and other magical weirdos must learn to use
9 their magic for good or for evil," wrote organizers in a news
10 release. "In a nearby human world, a greedy political regime vies
11 for power by banishing dissidents. Young magicals and young

12 humans alike struggle for control over their lives and agency over
13 their identities, all while navigating the pressures of growing up
14 under tyranny.”

15 Audiences can expect spell-casting, portal-making, and
16 shape-shifting in this coming-of-age story of rebellion. “If you’re
17 transfixed by magic, cults, revolution, or music, this tale is for
18 you! Bring your tails, your wings, your wands, and your whimsy,”
19 said organizers.

20 Performances at NEYT, 100 Flat St., take place Fridays,
21 May 29 and June 5, at 7 p.m.; Saturdays, May 30 and June 6, at 2
22 and 7 p.m.; and Sundays, May 31 and June 7, at 2 p.m. Tickets
23 are \$15–\$20 and can be purchased in advance at
24 neyt.org/transfixed.

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