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**Sean O'Casey Festival presents Edinburgh and Galway Fringe Hit, Mary Goggin's
"Runaway Princess, a Hopeful Tale of Heroin, Hooking and Happiness"
Sept 16, 17, 18 2024**

July 5, 2024 - NEW YORK – **Dublin's Sean O'Casey Festival** presents Mary Goggin's mind-blowing and multiple award-winning solo show, "Runaway Princess, a Hopeful Tale of Heroin, Hooking and Happiness," for 3 performances Sept 16, 17, 18 2024.

"Blew me away...rowdy, irreverent, salacious, gracious, insightful, riveting. "
~ Malachy McCourt, WBAI Radio

In **Runaway Princess...** Goggin, a writer/actor, featured speaker, educator; and former professional call girl, shares a story of Irish Catholicism, repression, sex and addiction. The tale is laced with humor and pathos and a multitude of characters she encountered along the way to ultimately finding joy. **Runaway Princess...** has swept up multiple awards at festivals around the world. In addition, Mary Goggin has become a popular featured speaker and on the subject of human trafficking and violence against women.

"A tale of hope that deserved to be shared."
~ Edinburgh Festival 2022 (Everything Theatre UK)

"Always riveting, often funny, and ultimately deeply moving."
~ Galway Advertiser

"Mary Goggin gave a riveting presentation at the GFWC Delaware State Convention. We have never heard such a personal accounting of abuse, addiction, and recovery. Mary gives us hope for a brighter tomorrow. Again, Mary, thanks for coming to Delaware!"
~ Jan Conant, President, GFWC Delaware State Federation of Women's Clubs

WHAT: Runaway Princess, a Hopeful Tale of Heroin, Hooking and Happiness

WHO: Written and performed by Mary Goggin. Directed by Dan Ruth

WHERE: Sean O'Casey Theatre, St Mary's Road, East Wall, Dublin 3, Dublin, Ireland

WHEN: Sept 16, 17, 18 2024

TICKETS: <https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/runaway-princess-written-and-performed-by-mary-goggin-tickets-931934399877>

COST: €10 or €12

VISIT RUNAWAY PRINCESS: <https://runawayprincessplay.com/>

Mary Goggin (AEA, DG, SAG-AFTRA) is a New York based actor born to Irish emigrants and raised in the Bronx. A professional actor for 26 years, Mary has appeared in numerous stage productions, television, film and commercials. Her Irish Catholic schooling

(Glasnevin and Rosscarbery) ,upbringing, theatre degree, and 36 years of sobriety prepared her to write and share this powerful and 100% true solo show.... For a full list of performances awards and other information, click [here](#).

Dan Ruth (Director) is an award-winning actor and performance artist. His solo play, ***A Life Behind Bars***, has been produced in New York City, Los Angeles and around the country, and is the winner of the 2016 United Solo Festival Award for Best Autobiographical Show, The 2018 Bistro Award winner for Outstanding Solo Play,” MAC Award for Best Spoken Word Artist and the 2018 Producers Encore Award from the Hollywood Fringe Festival **@danruthbkny**

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