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## **Palace Theatre Arts Commons Presents Screening of *Atrocity* Followed by Panel Discussion**

**London, ON – April 3, 2025** – The Palace Theatre Arts Commons (PTAC) is proud to host a special screening of *Atrocity* on **Monday, April 14, 2025**, followed by a thought-provoking panel discussion featuring filmmaker **Nigel Stuckey**, City Councillor **Sam Trosow**, City Councillor **Susan Stevenson**, film participant **Lauralea**, and **London Cares Director of Service Chantelle McDonald**. The discussion will be moderated by PTAC Executive Director **Melissa Parker**, with an opportunity for audience members to ask questions.

*Atrocity* is a compelling and timely documentary that sheds light on critical social issues, encouraging dialogue and reflection. This event is part of PTAC's ongoing commitment to fostering community conversations through the power of storytelling and the arts.

"We believe in the role of theatre and film as catalysts for change," said **Melissa Parker, Executive Director of PTAC**. "Hosting *Atrocity* and bringing together this distinguished panel allows us to create a space where art meets advocacy, and where our community can engage in meaningful discussion."

Filmmaker **Nigel Stuckey** expressed his hopes for the event, stating: "Stories like these need to be told, and more importantly, they need to be heard. My hope is that this screening sparks not just conversation, but action. I'm grateful to PTAC for providing a platform where these important issues can reach a wider audience."

To ensure accessibility, **PTAC has reserved a number of tickets for individuals who may not have the financial means to attend**. If cost is a barrier, please reach out to PTAC to inquire about available tickets.

## Event Details:

**Date:** Monday, April 14, 2025

**Time:** 7:00 PM (*Panel at 8:15 PM*)

**Location:** Palace Theatre Arts Commons, 710 Dundas Street

**Tickets:** [palacetheatre.ca/shows-events-listings](https://palacetheatre.ca/shows-events-listings)

This event is **open to the public**, and all are encouraged to attend. For more information, visit [palacetheatre.ca](https://palacetheatre.ca) or contact [info@ptaclondon.ca](mailto:info@ptaclondon.ca)

## About Palace Theatre Arts Commons

Palace Theatre Arts Commons (PTAC) is a cornerstone of London's cultural community, providing a home for **London Community Players, London Youth Theatre Education (LYTE), London Fringe Festival**, and more. Through innovative productions, educational initiatives, and community engagement, PTAC continues to enrich the city's vibrant arts scene.

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