



Ben Faulks

CATEGORIES: Children's / YA / TV / Comedy

AGENT:

Ben is best known as “Mr Bloom” from CBeebies RTS award winning series, Mr Bloom’s Nursery – which he also created and wrote for. He has written numerous shows for theatre and is now working on new children’s television ideas. **For acting, presenting, and appearance enquiries, please visit www.benfaulks.co.uk.**

2015 *Mr Bloom* – Munchkin / BBC Major UK Stage Tour Script commissioned **2013** *The Signing Detective* – Cbeebies Script commissioned **2012** *Mr Blooms Nursery Series 3* – CBeebies Re-commissioned for 22 x 22 minute shows. Wrote 10 Episodes. *Mr Bloom – Get Set Grow* – CBeebies Stage tour (writer) **2011** *Mr Blooms Nursery Series 2* – Cbeebies Re-commissioned for 26 x 20 minute shows. Wrote 5 Episodes **Royal Television Society Award for Best Children’s Programme, Mr Blooms Nursery 2010** *Mr Blooms Nursery* – Television After successfully pitching his idea to the BBC (based on his show ‘The Vegetable Nannies’), Mr Blooms Nursery is commissioned for CBeebies as a 26 x 20 minute live action show for audiences of 2 – 6 years. Wrote 6 episodes. **2009** *The Trolls Kitchen* –Lakesalive/Plunge Bloom A highly interactive outdoor performance where public are invited to help cook a meal for a hungry local Troll. **2008** *The Endurance* – Royal Exchange Manchester A one man show written with Al Seed. A darkly comic story of Polar Explorers and seasoned vaudeville entertainers. The Trampoline Orchestra – Nuffield Theatre and Arches Theatre A fictional orchestra put on a pseudo recital of songs from across the ages that use Musical trampolines. **2007** *Come Forth People of the City, Under the Cover of Night* – Manchester International Festival and Pandemonium Wrote (with Jonathan McGrath) this site specific performance at Manchester Town Hall. A promenading performance that included sit down dining, choral song and dance inspired by local history. **2006** *Plunge Boom* Set up Plunge Boom, a small-scale outdoor theatre company as a vehicle to develop shows that were driven by on audience interaction. Wrote and toured The Vegetable Nannies, the Microscopic Animal Enthusiasts & the Siamese Scientists. BBC RAW (Reading and Writing Programme) BBC project aimed at encouraging parents to read more to their children. Wrote 2 short stories ‘The Dream Genie’ and a contemporary version of ‘The Magic Porridge Pot’ as puppet shows **2004** *Johnnothan Pram* – Royal Exchange Theatre One man show, Cassettessac (the next chapter in Johnnothan Prams life) **Jury Prize Winner at the Arena Festival, Germany 2005** *Johnnothan Pram* – Manchester greenroom In *On/Off*, Johnnothan Pram finds himself struggling to continue a modern day existence in a world where the power has been switched off. **2003** *Johnnothan Pram* – Manchester greenroom One-man show following the tragic-comic life of Johnnothan Pram