

The Moving Artwork

At the Australian Premiere of Just One Drop, Australian Actor Zoe Naylor wore a statement outfit. It blew everybody away!

The moving artwork created by Sherree Maniks for Zoe, is a silhouette based on the ball gowns of the 19th Century, designed to take you on a fairy tale journey. For children, fairy tales can be a wondrous adventure of surprise and delight, an introduction to the duality of life on Earth such as right versus wrong – good versus bad.

In the garment, Sherree depicts the factory mind of pharmaceutical drugs in stark contrast to the individualised world of nature used by Homeopaths for over 200 years.

The outfit was constructed by materials donated by Reverse Garbage, an environment co-operative committed to promoting sustainability through the re-use of resource.

Sherree's aim in designing this dress is to invite people to answer the following question:

"Is the health system you choose life enriching, transparent and focused on individual attention, or do you choose a system based on the one size fits all, hit and miss approach often fuelled by profit at any cost? Your health should be your choice."

Sherree Maniks of BuTiFuL, weaves together a rich tapestry of creative skills with her desire for all beings to live a life of purposeful passion which she offers through art therapy sessions, workshops & online courses.

With her Costume Designer hat on, Sherree also creates original works of wearable art that are as unique as the person wearing them. Over her career her garments have exhibited in Art Express, Australian Gown of the Year Awards (finalist) and the Australian Wool Fashion Awards (1st Place Fantasy wear)

*Her life motto and that which informs everything she creates and offers in service to the world is: **Know your Beauty. Speak your Truth. Live in Freedom. Open to Love***



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