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BROTHERS IN DANCE: ANTHONY AND KEL MATSENA - A BBC DOCUMENTARY

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Trailblazers Anthony and Kel Matsena are making their mark in the performance world – fusing both their passions for dance and acting to create their own distinctive style.

Brothers in Dance: Anthony and Kel Matsena tells the story of Swansea-based, Zimbabwean-born brothers and choreographers – from moving to Wales as children and competing on Britain's Got Talent to becoming two of the most innovative and in-demand emerging artists on the UK dance scene.

The larger than life brothers loved nothing more than brushing up on their dance skills both at school and after school and they still feel very much rooted in their community. They stop off at one of their old stomping grounds, the Swansea Gymnastics Centre and once they take to the mats, it's as if they've never been away.

Now Matsena Productions company, founded by Anthony and Kel are working on an expanded version of one of their signature pieces, Shades of Blue, performing at the prestigious Sadler's Wells and the Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama. Shades of Blue is a revealing, charged and honest performance inspired by George Floyd's death and the emergence of the Black Lives Matter movement.

Anthony and Kel Matsena said; "We can't fully express how excited we are about the programme. It's such an honour for us to reveal part of our story and creative process to audiences around the UK. We've always held the people we've met along our journey in high esteem and without their love and generosity, we'd never have been able to achieve so much at the beginning of our careers. This documentary is a chance to thank these communities and to showcase the power of family, love and creativity."

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