



WELCOME TO GREENSIDE
FESTIVAL PROGRAMME 2026

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Welcome to Greenside 2026

Every August, Edinburgh transforms into the greatest celebration of live performance anywhere in the world. Streets become stages, strangers become audiences, and for three extraordinary weeks the city belongs to artists with stories to tell.

We're incredibly proud that Greenside continues to play such a significant role in that story.

This summer we're delighted to present more than 200 productions across our two beautiful homes – Greenside @ George Street and Greenside @ Riddles Court. Together, they form one of the largest venue programmes at the Edinburgh Festival Fringe, with George Street once again standing as one of the largest single-site venues in the city.

At the heart of our programme is theatre. With more than 120 theatre productions, Greenside has become one of the Fringe's largest homes for theatre and new writing. Alongside them you'll discover comedy, musicals, music, cabaret, dance, spoken word, children's shows and countless performances that defy categorisation – exactly as the Fringe should.

One of the greatest joys of the Edinburgh Fringe is discovering something you weren't expecting. A recommendation from a stranger. A performance you booked on a whim. A company you've never heard of becoming the highlight of your festival. Every show in this programme represents months – often years – of creativity, determination and belief. Behind every listing is a company taking a leap of faith, and audiences willing to do the same.

Whether you're joining us for a single performance, spending the day exploring George Street or Riddles Court, or making Greenside your Fringe home throughout August, we hope you'll find something that surprises you, challenges you, moves you and stays with you long after the curtain falls.

Most importantly, thank you.

Thank you for supporting independent artists. Thank you for taking a chance on new work. Thank you for filling our theatres, applauding loudly and helping keep the remarkable spirit of the Edinburgh Fringe alive.

We can't wait to welcome you.

Lots of Greenside love,

Darren, Tara and all of Team Green x

HOW TO BOOK

All ticket prices shown in this programme include the Greenside booking fee of £1.50 per ticket, up to a maximum of £9.00 per transaction.

The booking fee applies to tickets purchased through the Greenside Box Office. Different fees may apply when booking through other ticketing channels.

As the booking fee is capped at £9.00 per transaction, customers purchasing more than six tickets in a single booking will not pay additional booking fees beyond the cap.

Booking fees help support the operation of Greenside and enable us to continue providing high-quality venues and support for artists at the Edinburgh Festival Fringe.

Tickets cannot be exchanged or refunded except in the event of a performance being cancelled. Booking fees are non-refundable in all circumstances.

Latecomers may not be admitted. Admission after the advertised start time is at the discretion of the venue. If entry is refused, refunds will not be given.

Some performances operate a Pay What You Want model. Where applicable, you can either purchase a guaranteed ticket in advance or choose to contribute at the venue after the performance. Details will be indicated at the point of booking.

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GREENSIDE @

GEORGE STREET

Theatre



16+

113

Mint Studio | Pretty Gross Productions and
Jamais Vu Productions Ltd

No name. No memory. No identity. Where to begin?
113 is a thriller that asks if memory is what makes
our identity, and if we were able to see ourselves
objectively, could we change?

17-22, 24-29 | 15:05 1hr | £11.00 (£9.00)

Theatre



16+

1918: The Final Salomé

Olive Studio | Carfax Productions

London, 1918. When Oscar Wilde's ghost is pilloried
for artistic treason, the line between devotion and
delusion begins to blur for Robert Ross – the late
author's literary executor, devoted friend, and "first
boy".

17-22, 24-29 | 19:35 55m | £16.00 (£14.00)

Theatre



14+

2 Queers in Tears?

Olive Studio | 2 Queers Home Page Ltd

A fast-paced, funny, tender two-hander following
queer drama students navigating identity, love,
family and friendship. A love story about chosen
family, the masks we wear to survive and the
courage it takes to take them off.

7-9 | 21:50 1hr | FREE

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 21:50 1hr | £14.00 (£9.00) (F&E12.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Pay What You Want

Cabaret and Variety



14+

3..2..1! Celebration of Short Narrative Works

Ivy Studio | SaltShake Productions

3..2..1 celebrates short narrative works by
encouraging artists to tell a story in their medium
through a 3, 2 and 1 minute act.

17-22, 24-29 | 14:10 30m | £9.50 (£6.50)

Theatre



14+

58 To Go

Jade Studio | Liminal Visions

Ed was a normal guy, at least until his Growing Old Syndrome diagnosis. Determined to achieve a lifetime's worth of goals in 55 minutes, he'll live forever or die trying! Mid-life crisis? Who said anything about "mid"?

24-29 | 12:40 55m | £13.50 (£11.50)

Theatre



18+

A Gay Masseur's Guide to Happy Endings

Mint Studio | Austin Jennings Boykin

A gay masseur takes a late-night outcall for a wealthy couple with secrets. What begins as a job spirals into something darker. A raw, hilarious solo show about sex, power and addiction.

7-9 | 22:05 1hr | £11.50 £9.50

10-15, 17-22 | 22:05 1hr | £17.50 (£13.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



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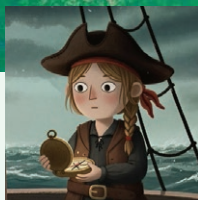
A Morning 'Tease' Break with Queenie

Lime Studio | The Palimpsisters

Time to share a well-earned morning 'tease' break with absurdist provocateur Queenie Tea. Savour every sip of this uplifting brew of surreal shenanigans, with deliciously catchy ditties and sugared buffoonery. Expect prizes!

13-15 | 11:30 40m | £6.50

Children's Shows



5+

A Pirate's Bedtime

Forest Theatre | Riverside Theatre Company

Annie and her motley crew set sail for adventure where they discover what is treasured most isn't always gold. This family-friendly musical play will capture the imagination of every child or anyone who was once one.

10-15 | 10:20 50m | £11.50 (£8.50) (F:£8.00)

Theatre



A QUEEN'S WAY

14+

A Queen's Way

Ivy Studio | Napier University Drama Society

A kingdom built on murder, thievery and chaos. Can an unwilling and inexperienced teenage peasant really take over the throne? A Queen's Way is a medieval satire that bears the question: what is the value of power?

24-29 | 18:40 55m | £10.50

Musicals and Opera



12+

Alice by Heart

Forest Theatre | London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art

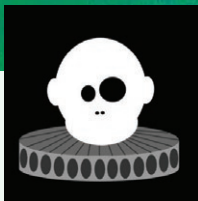
London, 1940. Deep underground during the Blitz, two friends find comfort and courage in their favourite story. But the further down the rabbit hole they go, the stranger things become. Mind the gap between reality and wonderland.

7-8 | 12:50 1hr 40m | £14.00

11-14 | 12:50 1hr 40m | £16.50 (£14.50) (F:£14.50)

11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



14+

An Infinite Monkey Attempts To Write the Complete Works of Shakespeare: A Variety Show

Olive Studio | Edinburgh University Shakespeare Company

The infinite monkey theorem states that a monkey given eternity and a typewriter will write the entire works of William Shakespeare. Lets see if that's true!

7-15 | 17:15 50m | £11.50 (£8.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Comedy



18+

Ashish Vijh – Performative Male

Sprout Studio | Ashish Vijh

Engineer. MBA. Corporate. Start-up. LinkedIn said everything was perfect. Then Ashish Vijh got "self-aware" (FAAAKKKK!). A playful stand-up hour about masculinity, ambition, therapy and the awkward discovery – success might just be a well-rehearsed performance.

7-9 | 20:40 1hr | £9.00

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 20:40 1hr | £16.50 (£11.50)

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Theatre



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B*tch Eat Dog

Jade Studio | Melissa Carter

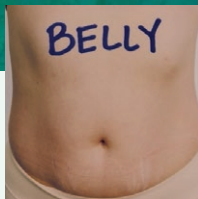
An IUD insertion takes a turn. Punch and Judy perform a gender-swapped Moby Dick. A tradwife breastfeeds the audience with 24 burlap boobs. B*tch Eat Dog is a puppet-y show about girlbosses, tradwives and the existential abyss.

7-9 | 22:00 50m | **£13.50**

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 22:00 50m | **£16.50** (£13.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



14+

Belly

Sprout Studio | Written and performed by Reilly O'Shaughnessy

Ellie wants to swim in college, Katie wants a healthy baby and Susan wants her husband to be alive. A play about appetite, grief and control told by three generations of women, one performer and a bowl of cereal.

7-9 | 13:45 55m | **£16.50** £11.50

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 13:45 55m | **£17.50** (£12.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Pay What You Want

Musicals and Opera



8+

Bottom's Dream

Jade Studio | Artist's Workshop

A high-energy immersive musical reimagines A Midsummer Night's Dream through Bottom's eyes. Set to live bluegrass at a fairy mountain revel, Bottom's transformation collides with fairy mischief, blending aerials, clowning, acrobatics, dance and audience interaction.

7-9, 11-15, 18-22, 25-29 | 14:55 55m | **£13.50** (£11.50)

(F:£11.50)

11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



16+

Bumpo

Jade Studio | Ben Loftus, Cam Pileggi

Bumpo: a tragicomedy about heartbreak, custody and human/dog hybrids. Directed By Ben Loftus. Written By Ben Loftus and Franny Weed.

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 18:25 1hr | **£16.50** (£13.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Pay What You Want

Comedy



Burce Tutku Tuncali: Perfectly Imperfect!

Ivy Studio | Burce Tutku Tuncali

Perfectly Imperfect! is a stand-up comedy about job hunting and dating, two systems that test your self worth, ghost you and still convince you it's your fault. A dark, self-aware take on modern survival.

17-22 | 17:30 55m | **£17.50**

16+

Musicals and Opera



Bush! The Musical

Lime Studio | The Mollys

George W Bush... How did his presidency go again? Bush! The Musical is a definitely, absolutely, 100% historically accurate crash course in Bush's eight years in office.

24-29 | 12:40 50m | **£10.50** (£7.50)

16+

Dance Physical Theatre and Circus



Carpathyo: Becoming the Future You

Sprout Studio | Carpathyo

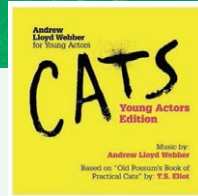
A hybrid performance blending movement, storytelling and meditative stillness. Carpathyo explores how we consciously choose the future we live through body, mind and awareness. An immersive experience inviting presence and shifts in perception.

7-8 | 10:10 50m | **£9.50** £7.50

10, 11, 13, 14, 17, 19, 20, 22 | 10:10 50m | **£13.50** (£11.50)

14+

Children's Shows



CATS – Young Actors Edition

Forest Theatre | Theatre with a Twist, Inc

This theatrical production reimagines a beloved feline classic through a retro-futuristic lens, blending the whimsical world of alleyway cats with the industrial elegance of Victorian steampunk. Come join the magic of our Jellicle Ball.

17-21 | 11:00 1hr | **£17.50**

3+

Theatre



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Chestnuts

Lime Studio | Chestnuts Theatre Company

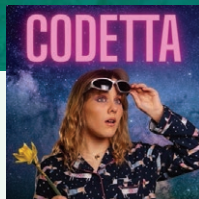
Two queer westerners who once moved to Asia to "find themselves" return to London for an ex-lover's wedding. John Rabe, remembered in China as "the Good Nazi", interrupts their present. A play about cross-bordered memories, cultures and love.

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 15:00 50m | **£13.50** (£9.50) (F:£7.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

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Musicals and Opera



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Codetta

Jade Studio | Kismet

A mesmerising original musical, Codetta tells the unconventional story of one girl as she comes of age amidst a glittering 2010s pop concert. Oh, and it's the apocalypse. Codetta is an unforgettable farewell to our lost childhoods.

17-22 | 11:30 50m | **£13.50** (£8.50) (F:£7.50)

24-29 | 10:20 50m | **£13.50** (£8.50) (F:£7.50)

Theatre



16+

Crooked Shadows

Jade Studio | Sister Self, LLC

Family secrets. Childhood hijinks. A legacy of silent suffering. Piecing together forgotten fragments of an Italian immigrant's journey, a granddaughter uncovers a story of love, pain and revelation, lifting the shades on generations of shame forever.

7-9, 12-15, 19-22, 26-29 | 20:50 55m | **£11.50**

Theatre



16+

CVNTCLAVE

Lime Studio | Arden Fitzroy

A one-Cardinal-show exploring power, faith, hypocrisy and how much tea can go in that cup before it runneth over. Inspired by the hottest film of recent times: Conclave. But queer(er).

7-9 | 20:45 1hr | **£8.50**

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 20:45 1hr | **£17.00** (£15.00)

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Music



12+

Dear Emily

Ivy Studio | Beyond the Blue

Beyond the Blue return for their fourth Fringe with an original collection of songs inspired by Emily Dickinson's poetry, exploring solitude, hope and the courage to be heard. Timeless 19th-century verse meets modern music in this poignant show.

24-29 | 19:50 50m | **£13.50** (£9.50) (F:£9.50)

Theatre



16+

Dinner With the Wolves

Jade Studio | Bread and Butter Productions

Around a dining table in East London, four friends take a trip down memory lane. Cabourg to Tokyo, past to present, they drink too much, laugh too loudly and await the arrival of Mr Wolfe.

7-9 | 12:40 50m | **£9.00** £8.00 (F:£7.50)

10-15, 17-22 | 12:40 50m | **£16.50** (£14.50) (F:£13.50)

10 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



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Disciples of Anatomy

Ivy Studio | Out of Fashion Theatre Company

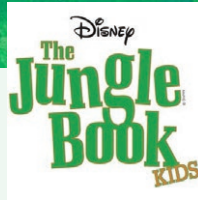
1848. London's surgical golden age. A parlour room. Maud Flemming, wife of famed anatomist and first autistic heroine in a period drama, endures afternoon tea with a friend of the present, and an enemy of the past.

7-15, 17-22 | 18:35 1hr 10m | **£11.50**

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Pay What You Want

Children's Shows



3+

Disney's The Jungle Book Kids

Lime Studio | Siege of Herons

Mowgli bounds through the jungle and learns what it means to be human. This production has a host of colourful characters and your favourite jumpin' beats from the film.

7-11 | 10:30 30m | **£6.50** (£4.50) (F:£4.00)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Pay What You Want

Theatre



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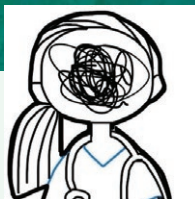
Do Better: A Dramagedy

Olive Studio | Izzy Salant

Do Better is a one-person comedic drama with magic (A Dramagedy) that explores how we navigate life after unwavering grief.

18-22, 24-29 | 17:10 1hr | **£11.50** (£9.50)

Theatre



14+

Do Not Attempt This Conversation

Lime Studio | Mo Maka and Amaju Jade Samuel

A burnt-out junior doctor on the late shift must have a difficult conversation with a total stranger – only to realise they share a hidden connection that could change everything.

24-29 | 18:30 50m | **£11.50** (£9.50) (F:£5.50)

Cabaret and Variety



16+

Do You Wanna Go?

Mint Studio | David Nehls

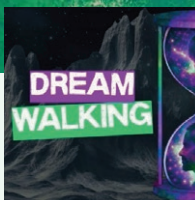
Do You Wanna Go? is a wildly funny, oh-so-gay, one-man, rock-musical odyssey by David Nehls, composer / lyricist of The Great American Trailer Park Musical, that tells a raucous, yet intimate story of a romantic adventure.

7-8, 10-15, 17-22 | 18:35 1hr | **£15.50** (F:£11.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Pay What You Want

Theatre



12+

Dream Walking

Ivy Studio | Jordon Waters featuring Harry Waters Jr and Kevin Belisario

A multi-disciplinary interactive journey that dives into shadow work through your dreams. Each performance has a different ending depending on the path you choose (dream, nightmare, fantasy). Which path will you walk?

8 | 13:55 1hr | **£11.50** £6.50

10, 12, 14 | 13:55 1hr | **£16.50** (£11.50)

10 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



14+

Dream Watchers

Ivy Studio | Harry Waters Jr featuring Jordan Waters and Kevin Belisario

Dream Watchers are awake – in the bodies of butterflies and of the inner child. They tell us what our dreams might mean. What is now, what was and what will be. Are you a Dream Watcher?

9 | 13:55 1hr | **£11.50** £6.50

11, 13, 15 | 13:55 1hr | **£16.50** (£11.50)

11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



12+

Dreaming of Max

Sprout Studio | Jackie Kleefeld Cohn

A woman travels across Europe pursuing a man she barely knows, following clues and always just missing him. A solo show about following your heart, leaps of faith and discovering a new life you never knew existed.

7-9 | 12:35 50m | **£6.50**

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Spoken Word



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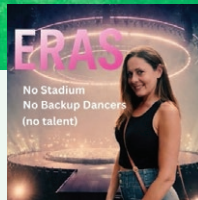
Elvis in Chaos

Lime Studio | Michael Anderson

Hallucinatory PowerPoint raves on: Elvis' alternative timelines, multiverse romance, top five gods, deconstructing Oreos and bagpipes causing the Black Death. Hilarious ecstatic rants, fast-moving images – manic TED Talks overloading your senses and rumpling your mind.

7-15 | 17:15 1hr | Pay What You Want

Theatre



14+

ERAS

Sprout Studio | Kristina Fightmaster

ERAS: no stadium, no backup dancer, no glitter (not much talent either). A woman traces her life through ten Eras. From childhood chaos to a wedding in Edinburgh, this solo show blends storytelling, cultural commentary and dark humour.

7-15 | 15:00 50m | **£11.50**

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Comedy



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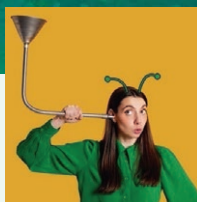
Escocia con Ñ

Forest Theatre | Jotace Loaiza

A show performed in Spanish that explores Scotland in a fun and engaging way through hilarious storytelling, cultural anecdotes, historical curiosities and personal experiences. Ideal for tourists and lovers of Scottish culture.

17-22, 24-29 | 18:30 45m | £19.50 (£17.50)

Comedy



14+

Every Single Sound in the World

Ivy Studio | Natalie Patuzzo

An alien has the simple task to collect every single sound on Earth. In this hilarious, interactive show, Natalie Patuzzo uses voice, objects and audience interaction to construct a world one sound at time.

24-29 | 15:10 50m | £13.50 (£12.50)

Theatre



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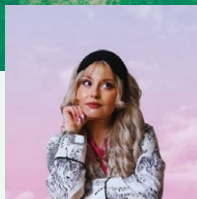
Fear and Misery of the Third Reich

Ivy Studio | Gentlemen Fish Productions

Experience a bold reimagining of Bertolt Brecht's Fear and Misery of the Third Reich. Seven playlets create a gripping 45-minute performance showing the importance of the individual in the face of autocracy.

17-22 | 21:05 45m | £16.00 (£14.00)

Comedy



16+

Feral Daydreams

Sprout Studio | Levi Childs

A chaotically unhinged, gloriously messy overshare of ADHD, queerness, and a tiramisu-fuelled one-night stand. Feral Daydreams is a sensationally funny, fast-paced one-woman comedy of love, disasters, and self-acceptance – feral, feel-good, and the perfect Fringe palate-cleanser.

24-29 | 17:15 50m | £16.50 (£13.50) (F:£8.00)

Musicals and Opera



12+

Fool's Goldmine

Sprout Studio | Stacie Burrows

Stacie Burrows was happily growing up rich in 80s Texas, only to find out it was all fake. Learn how she got poor quick in this serious but humorous solo music show about debt featuring an original soundtrack.

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 19:30 1hr | £13.50 (£10.50) (F:£7.50)

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Theatre



8+

For She's A Jolly Good Fellow!

Forest Theatre | Riverside Theatre Company

Gwen Lally who? A visionary. Rule-breaker. Leader. Gwen Lally paved the way for future generations of artists and revolutionaries. This production is a tribute to a woman erased by the history she helped create.

10-15 | 15:00 45m | £11.50 (£8.50) (F:£8.00)

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Theatre



12+

Forgotten

Sprout Studio | Notional Theatre

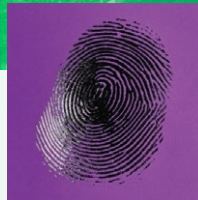
Stories. Everything we are, everything that exists, is made up of stories. But what happens when a story can no longer be told? What happens when we forget? Forgotten explores what happens to stories when they die.

7 | 11:25 50m | £11.50 £8.50

8-15 | 11:25 50m | £16.50 (£13.50)

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Theatre



16+

Fragments of Self

Mint Studio | White Rabbit Theatre Company

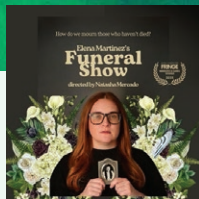
How to find yourself in a bonkers world. Three actors explore the ups and downs of identity in a modern world and all that that entails.

7-9 | 15:10 50m | £11.50 (F:£8.00)

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Comedy



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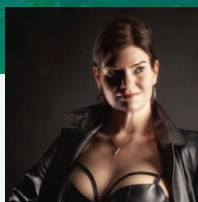
Funeral Show

Mint Studio | Elena Martinez

Funeral Show is a one-woman dark comedy seeking closure when your parent is neither gone, forgotten... nor in your life. Elena Martinez is throwing a musical, drag-clown funeral to remember the bygone good times, and you're all invited.

17-22, 24-29 | 17:30 50m | £16.50

Comedy



18+

Gag Writer

Ivy Studio | Melissa Todd

Stripper, kink model, porn producer, dominatrix. Melissa Todd has been a sex worker for 30 years, and has loved every second and sequin. A Metro columnist, she delights her readership with tales that range from hilarious to bizarre.

7-15, 17-22 | 22:05 1hr | £13.50 (£11.50)

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Musicals and Opera



14+

Game Theory

Forest Theatre | London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art

How far would you go for your friends? At university, Cass joins an eccentric clique and gets caught up in the clandestine world of endangered flower theft. A darkly funny crime thriller with an infectious Britpop-inspired score.

17-22 | 12:50 1hr 30m | £16.50 (£14.50) (F:£14.50)

Theatre



16+

Girlfriends

Jade Studio | Sara Malinowski

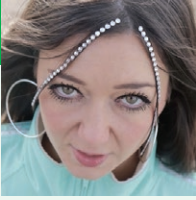
It's 2014. You're 22, heart shattered, weep-singing Celine in your Honda. Do you get bangs, or drive across the United States with a stranger? If you're me, both. A true, queer, one-woman coming of age play. Laugh, cry, come.

7-15 | 11:25 1hr | £16.50 (£11.50) (F:£10.00)

17-22, 24-29 | 13:45 1hr | £16.50 (£11.50) (F:£10.00)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



Giro Baby

Jade Studio | Sophie Sandor

From Scottish underclass to teenage Westminster career. An all-night chippy and tower blocks backdrop a schoolgirl's path to politics when she's seduced from studies to the streets, before U-turning. Paved with pink shell suits, Playboy garms, and Britpop.

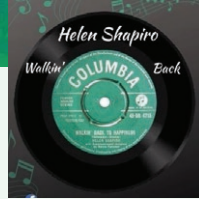
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Musicals and Opera



Helen Shapiro Walkin' Back

Forest Theatre | Kingdom Theatre Company

Sold out Fringe 2024 and 2025. Schoolgirl Helen gets a record contract, tours with The Beatles in support and has three Top 5 singles aged 15, all in this smash-hit musical. All the hits and more.

7-8 | 19:40 55m | £12.00 (F:£11.50)

10-15 | 19:40 55m | £14.00 (F:£12.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

5+

Theatre



How Do I Hold It?

Ivy Studio | Tabatha Myers

After a lifetime of yearning, Tabatha sees her favorite musician in concert – and is assaulted after the show. What follows is a sharp, funny journey through survival. An earnest comedy about a real tragedy.

7-9 | 11:40 50m | £11.50 £9.50

10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 17-22 | 11:40 50m | £17.50 (£11.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

16+

Musicals and Opera



How To Fix A Fairytale

Mint Studio | Papaver Productions

A new family-friendly musical with a difference – you choose the story! An unlikely hero and a terrible villain embark on a great adventure. What their fates will be is for you to decide.

25-29 | 10:30 50m | £13.50 (£11.50) (F:£9.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

5+

Theatre



12+

How to Poop in an Outhouse at -58°C

Ivy Studio | Kona Morris

Award-winning storyteller Kona Morris tells the astonishing true story of living north of the Arctic Circle. Grizzlies, whirlpools, northern lights... Hilarious, heartwarming. Come on an adventure to the top of the world!

7-9 | 12:45 1hr | **£8.50** £6.50

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 12:45 1hr | **£14.00** (£11.50) (F:£9.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



16+

If You Let Me Speak

Sprout Studio | Nehmila

Love, sex and death – inside one woman's head. A darkly funny solo show where she discusses life with her unconscious in a sharp, unfiltered mix of comedy and movement, exploring desire, identity and grief.

7-9 | 21:50 55m | **£9.50** £7.50

10-15 | 21:50 55m | **£13.50** (£9.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Children's Shows



5+

How to Spot an Alien

Lime Studio | Siege of Herons

What do you do if you think your aunt's an alien? Jelly and Jonjo have suspicions. Join their space adventure, full of friendship, fun and flying saucers. This rip-roaring quest replaces screen time with imagination.

7-9, 10, 11 | 11:20 1hr | **£8.00** (£6.50) (F:£5.00)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Pay What You Want

Comedy



14+

Improvvised Couples Therapy

Lime Studio | Kristen Costello and Friends

Need help? So do they! Reba with an H, and whoever she is dating now, think they signed up to attend a couples therapy seminar, but they accidentally signed up to HOST it.

17-22, 24-29 | 17:20 50m | **£14.00** (£11.50) (F:£9.50)

Theatre



In Perfect Harmony

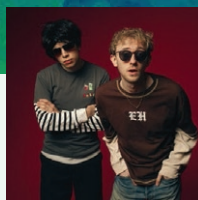
Olive Studio | Dreamfever Productions

Melody fights for her place on the office floor. As she climbs the ranks, the battle for promotion threatens to destroy her. Will she make it to the apex or succumb to the Institute of Perpetual Despair?

17-22, 24-29 | 13:45 50m | £16.50 (£11.50)

16+

Comedy



John and Christian: Teenage Heartthrobs

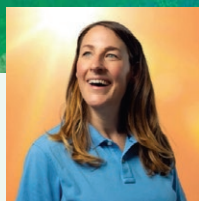
Ivy Studio | John and Christian

It's the reunion gig of your favourite 00s boyband that definitely existed. Scandalous. Moving. Erotic? Journey from rags to riches to rags. New musical comedy from BBC-featured, Sketch Off 2025 semi-finalists. 'Hilarious' ★★★★★ (VoiceMag.uk).

24-29 | 22:05 1hr | £11.50 (£9.50)

14+

Comedy



Julie Belliveau: Enlightened?

Mint Studio | Julie Belliveau

Join this Canadian/Kiwi recovering Catholic in a high-energy and uplifting ride filled with tales of marrying an Irishman, motherhood, IVF, moving to Italy and the odd adult nursery rhyme thrown in. 'What a woman!' (Kyla Cobbler).

24-29 | 22:10 50m | Pay What You Want

16+

Musicals and Opera



Kevin! [The Musical]

Forest Theatre | Kevin! [The Musical] Company

High School Musical on crack! Kevin is a British exchange student who becomes trapped in the world of a cheesy high school musical set in today's America. Is Kevin going mad? Or is something else happening?...

Aug 24 | 13:20 2hr | £9.50 £7.50 (F:£7.50)

24-29 | 13:20 2 hr | £21.50 (£15.50) (F:£15.50)

16+

Theatre



8+

Kill Your Darlings

Olive Studio | Horace Mann Theatre Company in partnership with Piper Theatre Productions

In Kill Your Darlings, Horace Mann students unleash theatrical anarchy. On the eve of opening night, costumes, lighting, sound, acting and motivation rebel against a young director, transforming rehearsal into a playful explosion of backstage chaos.

7 | 11:25 50m | **PWYW**

8, 9, 10, 11 | 11:25 50m | **£11.50** (£9.50) (F:£8.50)

11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



12+

Lear's Fool

Lime Studio | David Henry Wilson

The riveting tale of what happened to the Fool, who mysteriously disappears halfway through Shakespeare's tragedy. A new production of a 'work of genius' (GlasgowWestEndToday.scot).

7-15, 17-22 | 13:45 1hr | **£13.50** (£11.50) (F:£10.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Pay What You Want

Theatre



12+

Lil' Miss Kate – Ward of the State

Mint Studio | Niche Vault Productions

A live comedy radio play you'll have to hear to believe! Join Lil' Miss Kate and her faithful horse companion Fiorello for all manner of old-timey adventures. Featuring live sound effects!

7-9 | 13:00 40m | **£11.50**

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 13:00 40m | **£16.50** (£13.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



16+

Lineage

Lime Studio | Valley Road Theatre Company

Grandfather, father and son (William, Liam and Jack) grapple with the unique addictions that plague their lives, haunting those around them. Through folk music and visual echoes, this experimental drama asks, can we outrun the ghosts of our fathers?

17-22 | 23:10 1hr | **£17.50** (£13.50) (F:£11.50)

Theatre



14+

Louise: The Last Dance

Ivy Studio | Saint Stella Productions

Paris, 1928. A bent woman in rags shuffles from a caravan. She invented the cancan, seduced princes, made the Moulin Rouge famous. Toulouse-Lautrec painted her. Nobody let her speak. Until now. This time, she talks back.

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 16:20 50m | £19.50 (£16.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



16+

Mandy: Prince of Darkness

Ivy Studio | Richard Stirling

Peter Mandelson, the Machiavelli of our times. His rise and fall, rise and fall – and beyond? In nothing but his own words.

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 10:30 50m | £16.50 (£14.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Comedy



12+

Men Love Horsies: The Musical

Mint Studio | Devin Bateson

Just a man singing songs about horses.

17-22, 24-29 | 19:45 1hr | £11.50

Musicals and Opera



12+

Miscast Sondheim

Forest Theatre | LAMDA in association with LIVEWIRE Prods

What happens when Sondheim's music is turned on its head? The next generation of musical theatre talent from LAMDA presents beloved classics as you've never seen them before in this joyous cabaret for devoted fans and newcomers alike.

7-8 | 17:20 50m | £14.00

11-14, 17-22 | 17:20 50m | £16.50 (£14.50) (F:£14.50)

11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



Misfortunes of a Spy and Her Mystic

Olive Studio | *Spirit Freak in Association with Fringe Management*

In this modern-day queer-coded witch hunt, a mental health worker fights to maintain her ethical code and sense of reality, blurring the lines between advocate and spy in the midst of deception.

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 18:20 1hr | £13.50 (£11.50) (F:£11.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

16+

Theatre



MNÁ (women)

Sprout Studio | *Suaimhneas Theatre Company*

Leaving home to find yourself is a good idea until you lose yourself, find yourself and don't know yourself. All. In. One. Year. MNÁ is an exploration of two women adapting to life following their return from NYC.

18, 19, 20, 21, 22 | 23:05 40m | £13.50

16+

Comedy



MOM! WTF!!

Ivy Studio | *Carol Johnson*

MOM! WTF!! A comedy confessional about being raised by a "happy homemaker". With a cheeky women's-rights sing-along. Whether you're a mom, or still recovering from one, traumaste – the trauma in me bows to the trauma in you!

24-29 | 17:30 45m | £9.50 (£7.50) (F:£7.00)

16+

Comedy



MONKS

Lime Studio | *Annie Luján and Veronica Hortigüela*

Brothers, enter the monastery of mayhem! Medieval Spain! A missing donkey! Millions of lentils! Join the monks in this sacredly-stupid interactive clown epic. Falala! ★★★★★ 'Sublime' (Nextmag.ca), 'Wickedly funny and surprisingly poignant' (TheGlobeandMail.com), 'Best New Work' (Toronto Critic's Awards).

7-9 | 19:35 1hr | £11.50

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 19:35 1hr | £17.50

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

14+



More Tales From Your Queer Elder

Olive Studio | Lucia August/Everybody Can Dance

'If you need an hour of positivity, wonderful dancing (and laughs!), this is one for you' (TheEdinburghReporter.co.uk). 70+, plus-sized lesbian shares movement and spoken word with a world premiere and timeless gems.

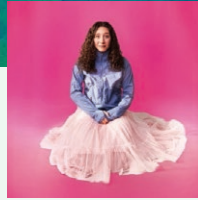
7-9 | 16:05 50m | £8.50

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10 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Pay What You Want

16+



Most of My Moms Are Gay

Sprout Studio | Abby Goldfarb

Abby is the daughter of five mothers (mostly lesbians). Turkey-basted into existence, her immaculate-conception-adjacent origin story has always defined her. But when your conception is iconic, you become the mystery. Cue: identity crisis.

7-9 | 18:25 50m | £11.50

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 18:25 50m | £16.50 (£9.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

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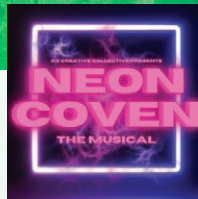
Naked SARA!

Olive Studio | Deadword Theatre Company

There are lots of different Sara(h)s in the world. Some Saras are naked... Other Sarahs are clothed... Keep this in mind, and you'll spot the difference a mile away! (Warning: no nudity.)

24-29 | 20:40 1hr | £16.50 (£6.50)

18+



Neon Coven

Forest Theatre | KZ creative collective

Neon Coven is a pop extravaganza, emotionally charged musical about fame, identity and the courage it takes to feel everything in a world that demands perfection at all costs.

7-9 | 18:25 1hr | £17.50 £9.50

10-15 | 18:25 1hr | £17.50 (£11.50) (F:£11.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

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Theatre



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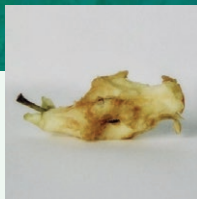
Not There Yet

Forest Theatre | Reynard Theatre

Two women set off in a car. As memories begin to shift, details no longer align, certainty slowly dissolves. A question lingers between: what can be trusted: the past they share, each other or the road ahead?

24-29 | 11:30 45m | **£11.50** (£9.50) (F:£8.50)

Theatre



12+

Obsessive, Compulsive, Divine

Mint Studio | Cambridge University Amateur Dramatic Club

Nobody would think Eileen to be capable of murder – oh, but she definitely is. Hardcore praying is now her only hope to save herself from her homicidal instincts.

17-22, 24-29 | 20:55 1hr | **£13.50** (£11.50) (F:£11.50)

Musicals and Opera



12+

On Some Far Shore

Mint Studio | Cross Keys Productions

Midnight. Euan needs to write a eulogy. How do you capture a life through one story? From the producer of sell-out JACK, a new musical which will make you want to ring your mum.

7-9 | 10:25 1hr | **£15.00** £11.50 (F:£13.00)

10-15, 17-22 | 10:25 1hr | **£17.50** (£15.00) (F:£15.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



12+

Paint, Vincent, Paint

Olive Studio | Coffey Cup Theatre

The unknown tale of Vincent van Gogh: the pain before the paintbrush. Haunted by his family's past, Vincent van Gogh wrestles with his demons in the coal mines of southern Belgium, ultimately finding his true voice.

7-8 | 14:55 50m | **£7.50** £6.50 (F:£5.50)

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 14:55 50m | **£13.50** (£11.50) (F:£9.50)

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Comedy



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Parking Spot: The Musical!

Lime Studio | Ensemble Cast

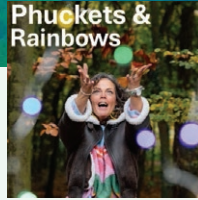
A ferocious musical comedy where neighbours wage war over a coveted parking spot. Petty competition escalates into a satire of ambition, self-delusion and how we mistake convenience for meaning... until the cost becomes impossible to ignore.

7-8 | 18:30 55m | £9.50

9-13, 17-20 | 18:30 55m | £13.50 (£9.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



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Phuckets and Rainbows

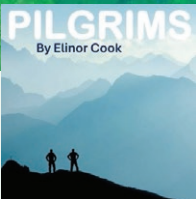
Ivy Studio | Lizzie Bean

Lizzie Bean's Phuckets and Rainbows is clever, chaotic, witty and wise. One woman on a wildly honest ride through her life, with laughter, tears and mayhem. Searching for freedom, joy, self-acceptance, inviting you to do the same.

7-15 | 17:30 50m | £14.00 (£11.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



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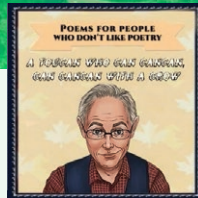
Pilgrims

Forest Theatre | City Lit Drama

Hailed as provocative, poetic and as playwrighting at its peak, Pilgrims tells the tale of a very modern love-triangle. A taut yet lyrical interrogation of gender, storytelling, and humanity's relationship with the natural world.

24-29 | 17:15 1hr | £16.50 (£14.50)

Spoken Word



12+

Poems for People Who Don't Like Poetry

Sprout Studio | Sam Steele

Amusing and mind melting poetry. You will find out: If a Toucan Who can Can-can, can Can-can With a Crow, and hear about Sam: Mourning in Moorning, with Noon at Twilight.

17-22 | 17:15 55m | £9.50 (£6.50) (F:£6.50)

Theatre



Pyg

Forest Theatre | Sandcastles Productions

He won't let her go. Three versions of one man confront a mannequin who knows everything. Desire. Obsession. Madness. From the company who brought you the critically-acclaimed Glass House, Pyg is a bold, gripping, boundary-pushing, wickedly inventive new work.

24-29 | 19:35 1hr | £16.50 (£14.50) (F:£13.00)

16+

Theatre



Rebellious Women

Lime Studio | King's Company

In 1909, Edith Begbie stumbles upon a meeting that changes her forever. Inspired by the views of the 'shrieking sisterhood', she's drawn to the movement's radical opinions. Informed by true events, King's Company presents a fierce ensemble piece.

11-15 | 12:40 55m | £11.50 (£9.50) (F:£9.50)

11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

12+

Theatre



Reformer

Olive Studio | Eddie Thornton

Pilates is the complete co-ordination of body, mind and spirit... plus it gives you a bum like a Victoria's Secret model. Two women take a reformer Pilates class, but can female friendship withstand the battleground of the studio?

7-9 | 10:15 50m | £10.50

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 10:15 50m | £17.50 (£13.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

12+

Comedy



Right That's It (I've Had Enough)

Mint Studio | Benjamin Gilvear

Throw enough mud at the wall, somethings gotta stick! A patchwork of comedy, sketches, poetry and whatever else happens. Right that's it, I've had enough. What I've had enough of I'm not sure...

24-29 | 18:35 1hr | £11.50 (£8.50) (F:£8.50)

16+

Music



Sand, Silt, Flint

Jade Studio | Fiona Soe Paing

Myth, music and moving image fuse in an intoxicating twist on tradition, rooted in Scotland's darker ballads and folklore. 'Wow, that's advanced and beautiful' (Iggy Pop, BBC Radio 6 Music). 'Sublimely powerful' (Songlines). MadInScotlandShowcase.com

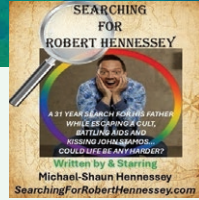
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10-15, 17-22 | 10:20 50m | £16.50 (£13.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

14+

Theatre



Searching for Robert Hennessey

Mint Studio | Michael-Shaun Hennessey

A heartbroken little gay boy searches 31 years for his father, surviving childhood abuse, a cult and terminal AIDS diagnosis. Then, Father's Day 2020 shatters everything he knows. Hollywood Fringe's sold-out triumph: outrageously funny, devastating, triumphant.

7-9 | 11:40 55m | £16.50

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 11:40 55m | £16.50

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

18+

Theatre



See You Tomorrow

Sprout Studio | Beth Lindsey

One-woman show. Harrie seeks justice when the only witness to the crime, her own memory, cannot testify. Reality is a shower of shit. Harrie is determined to reclaim her narrative, whether provable or not. True events.

7-9 | 17:15 55m | £11.50

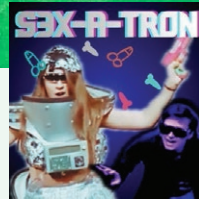
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17-22, 24-29 | 11:25 55m | £17.50

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

16+

Comedy



Sexatron

Ivy Studio | Journey Maranto and Gabe Sklan

Invented in 1981, S3x-a-tr0n is the world's first artificially intelligent sex robot. But he's fed up with having sex; now he wants to fight crime! Will he be able to overcome the apathetic power of his nemesis, The Hacker?

7-9 | 23:20 50m | £13.50 £11.50

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 23:20 50m | £15.50 (£13.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

18+

Theatre



16+

Shamaniac

Mint Studio | Spirit Freak in association with Fringe Management and Walazama

Spiritual traumedy. Debilitating seizures and a freak elevator accident send Dede Lovejoy (The Wire, The Blacklist) on an off-road hunt for healing. A mystical post-traumatic stress fantasia featuring bad choices, spiritual awakenings, shamanism, cameos by polyamory and the patriarchy.

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | **16:15** 1hr | **£13.50** (£11.50) (F:£11.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



16+

Shatter Resistant

Sprout Studio | Isabelle Blanche

Shatter Resistant follows Cassie as she navigates crappy jobs, terrible dates and a psycho flatmate, but it is all absolutely, completely fine because she has a positive mental attitude. There is no way this can go wrong.

7-9 | **16:05** 50m | **£9.50**

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | **16:05** 50m | **£17.50** (£14.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



16+

Shinjuku

Olive Studio | Production Lines

Abby's juggling three jobs. When her son's school summons her, everything implodes. She thinks her son's an ally, they think he's an incel. Meanwhile, the headteacher has his own agenda. Unyielding exploration of women's choices in a man's world.

7-9 | **19:35** 50m | **£13.50**

10-15 | **19:35** 50m | **£16.50**

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



12+

SpinQueen™

Jade Studio | Megatron Inc.

Trapped on a spin bike she can't unclip from, a woman pedals through her need to please, addiction to speed, crippling inadequacy, and eating disorder, discovering that the only thing more exhausting than the workout is running from herself.

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | **19:35** 50m | **£16.50** (£11.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



12+

Stanislavski Can't Save Me From The Apocalypse

Ivy Studio | Living Room Productions

On the final day of theatre camp, the apocalypse begins, leaving five camp counsellors responsible for dozens of dramatic tweens. Stagecraft becomes survival, and nobody memorised this script.

7-9 | 15:05 1hr | £10.50

10-15, 17-22 | 15:05 1hr | £16.50 (£13.50)

10 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



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The Darren Podcast Show Live!

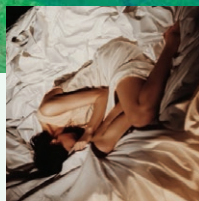
Sprout Studio | The Darren Podcast Show

He's a #1 podcaster. He's a #1 rapper. He's a landlord. He's Darren! NYC's #1 podcaster-rapper-landlord! Celebrate episode #250! We're going live with giveaways and games featuring celebrities from the USA! Truth or Darren time!

7-9 | 23:10 50m | Pay What You Want

10-15 | 23:10 50m | Pay What You Want

Theatre



18+

The Death of Hundun

Lime Studio | Wandi Liu

Inspired by ancient Chinese philosopher Zhuangzi, this physically charged solo performance follows a woman with depression on seven journeys, unraveling toward the edge of death – where ending pain and ending life begin to blur.

24-29 | 11:25 1hr | £16.50 (£11.50)

Theatre



14+

The Eight Faces of Ellie Morrison

Forest Theatre | Dashboard Light

Directed by Emmy-winning director Karen Arthur, an aimless fighter and his rising rockstar sister collide in a high-energy play blending mixed martial arts and live music.

7-9 | 20:45 1hr | FREE

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 20:45 1hr | £18.00

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Music



12+

The Freddie Story – A Theatrical Concert Experience

Forest Theatre | Jim Smart

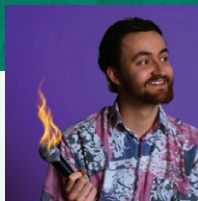
A powerful theatrical concert experience that blends live performance, storytelling and audience interaction to chart the rise of Freddie Mercury, building to a show-stopping finale inspired by Queen's Live Aid performance.

7-8 | 22:00 50m | **£13.50**

9, 10, 11 | 22:00 50m | **£18.50**

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Cabaret and Variety



8+

The Improv Magic Show

Olive Studio | Cavan Booth

After selling out at last year's Fringe, Cavan Booth returns with a show that puts his skills to the ultimate test in impossible challenges and scenarios designed by the audience. Expect off-the-cuff mentalism and off-the-wall magic!

24-29 | 16:00 1hr | **£16.50** (£14.00) (F:£14.00)

Theatre



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The Inverted Realm

Ivy Studio | The Inverted Realm Project

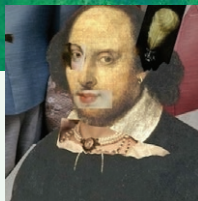
A poetic psychological drama inspired by Netherlandish proverbs. In a world turned upside down, fractured minds, false beliefs and fragile hope collide in a surreal journey through human folly, faith and the struggle to change.

7-9 | 20:55 50m | **£9.50** £7.50

10-15 | 20:55 50m | **£16.50** (£14.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

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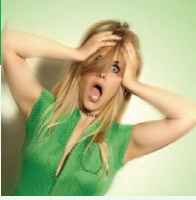
The Lady Doth Protest

Olive Studio | A co-production by Feminine Productions and Joy Powered Productions

A darkly comic, present-day battle of the sexes. The Fool, a self-made "scholar," clings to the Bard for relevance until his authority is upended, leading to a messy reclamation of voice between two lonely people.

17-22, 24-29 | 11:20 1hr | **£16.50** (£13.50) (F:£13.50)

Comedy



18+

The Landlady

Olive Studio | Brooke Flint

A fish out of water finally gets her legs, only to discover the patriarchy is alive and well on dry land and... her sister is dead. An ex-Mormon desperately seeking signs, meaning and a punchline. Funny. Heartfelt. Unapologetic.

7-9 | 23:00 1hr | PWYW

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 23:00 1hr | Pay What You Want

Theatre



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The Longer My Mother Is Dead the More I Like Her

Olive Studio | Fringe Management, LLC

In this deeply personal and universally relatable show, join Deborah Unger (Gotham, Orange Is the New Black) in her lifelong battle and posthumous yet powerful reconciliation with her mother.

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 12:30 1hr | £13.50 (£11.50) (F:£11.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Musicals and Opera



16+

The Meeples: XXX

Lime Studio | Artist's Workshop

The world's most famous puppets lost their funding, got booted from TV, and are being hunted by ICE. Desperate, horny and unhinged, they unleash a raunchy cabaret of live music, debauchery, violence and absurdity.

7-9, 11-15, 18-22, 25-29 | 21:55 55m | £13.50 (£11.50)

(F:£11.50)

11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



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The New Year

Mint Studio | No Shoelaces Productions

On New Year's Eve, teenage outcasts meet in an online roleplay chatroom – May is May. Perry is British actor Matt Smith. They form a deep, unstable bond that is tested when "real life" intrudes.

7-15 | 13:55 1hr | £13.50

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Theatre



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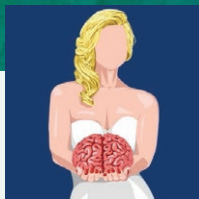
The People in Our Lives

Ivy Studio | Jack Palmer

It's the end of a raucous night at The Golden Ball and Jason is left to reflect on his turbulent family history and how his engagement to his long-time lover finally came to be.

25-29 | 11:45 45m | £16.50 (£15.00)

Musicals and Opera



14+

The Real Housewives of the Zombie Apocalypse

Forest Theatre | Clydebuilt Theatre Company

The dead have risen! But that won't stop our seven housewives from serving high-camp drama in the most high-body-count reunion episode yet! ★★★★★ (MusicalTalk's Pick of the Fringe 2025, podcast). ★★★★★ (Scotsman).

17-22 | 19:35 1hr | £17.50 (£15.50)

Musicals and Opera



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The Spy Who Came in from the Park

Forest Theatre | Five Days More Production Team

Inspired by a surreal true story: a North Korean agent escorts the dictator's heir through a capitalist theme park. Sharp musical satire exploring the human heart beneath ideology. Original, poignant, hilariously bleak.

17-22 | 15:00 50m | £13.50 (£10.50) (F:£11.00)

Theatre



16+

The Unforeseen Annoyances of Intimacy

Olive Studio | Cecile Fayter, Daniel Golding, Joseph Hollas and Rachel Simm

Oh-no. Stevie's finally landed her big break but her jealous boyfriend isn't happy about her performing sex scenes on stage. In an effort to solve things, she introduces him to her intensely uninhibited intimacy coordinator.

7-15 | 13:40 1hr | £11.50 (£8.50) (F:£6.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



THE WEDDING DATE

The Wedding Date

Mint Studio | Sera Mustafa and Orla Tagg

The Wedding Date is an intimate two-hander about best friends Iris and Selena navigating singlehood, love and adulthood. With the audience as wedding guests, secrets surface, friendships fracture and the night ends on a cliffhanger.

17-22, 24-29 | 14:00 50m | £16.50 (£15.00) (F:£14.00)

16+

Theatre



The Yellow Wallpaper

Lime Studio | The Yellow Wallpaper

Adapted from the classic story, this ensemble dance thriller comes alive through visceral choreography. Undergoing treatment for "female hysteria", Jane is confined to a room of yellow wallpaper. Her psychosis awakens a haunted prison. Will she escape?

7-9 | 16:05 1hr | £10.00 £7.50

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 16:05 1hr | £13.00 (£11.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

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Cabaret and Variety



Theatre: The Musical Cabaret

Ivy Studio | Ostrihan Players

Using the hit music of some of your favourite musicals, five performers share the joys and frustrations of day-to-day life in theatre – from the perspective of those working onstage, backstage and front of house.

17-22 | 19:50 45m | £12.50 (£11.50) (F:£11.50)

16+

Theatre



There Was A Time

Jade Studio | David Hanson

Dot is depressed. What happens, though, when the weight of memory is too heavy a burden for one mind? An examination of mental health, love, loss and the fight to keep going.

26, 27, 28, 29 | 11:25 1hr | £16.50 (£11.50) (F:£11.50)

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Theatre



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Three by Samuel Beckett – Not I, Eh Joe, Rockaby

Ivy Studio | Luciann Lajoie, Timothy McCracken; Blackbox Productions, McSquared

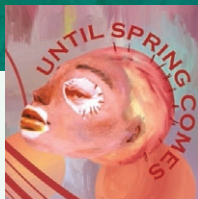
Three lives. Three reckonings. Three short plays about people on the edge of catharsis, alone. A triptych – haunting in its insistence that language might set us free.

7-9 | 19:50 50m | **£17.50**

7-15 | 19:50 50m | **£17.50** (£11.50)

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Theatre



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Until Spring Comes

Lime Studio | Theatre By Chance

A striking one-woman show blending projection and sound design to reveal the inner life of Maggie, an actress recovering from surgery. While rehearsing for her boyfriend's adaptation of the myth of Phaethon, their worlds begin to merge.

17-22 | **12:35** 1hr | **£13.50** (£11.50) (F:£11.50)

Comedy



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Wait What Show: Deal with the Devil

Olive Studio | Wait What Show

In this high-octane sketch comedy show, Wait What has made a foolish pact with the Devil, pitting the cast against each other in frenzied challenges to derail their show. Will they survive?

7-8 | **20:45** 50m | **£11.50** £9.50

9-15, 17-22 | **20:45** 50m | **£16.50** (£13.50)

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Comedy



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Walt Unfrozen

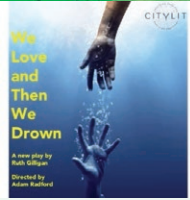
Mint Studio | Caleb Dollar

A recently unfrozen Walt Disney* thaws out in front of an audience. *This parody of the historical figure is not affiliated with or endorsed by The Walt Disney Company.

7-9 | **17:25** 1hr | **£8.50** £6.50 (F:£6.50)

10-15 | **17:25** 1hr | **£16.50** (£11.50) (F:£11.50)

Theatre



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We Love and Then We Drown

Lime Studio | City Lit Drama

To save the world as we know it, how much are any of us really willing to sacrifice? Charting one all-too-possible 21st-century life, Ruth Gilligan's audacious new play challenges audiences to think the unthinkable.

17-22 | 11:30 55m | £16.50 (£14.50)

24-29 | 13:50 55m | £16.50 (£14.50)

Theatre



12+

What I Am

Jade Studio | Northern Partners

Step into John Clare's asylum room as he sings for his freedom. English folk music and electronics collide in a close-quarters performance. As the recital unravels, help him as he races to finish his last poem.

7-9 | 13:50 50m | £9.50 £8.50

10-15 | 13:50 50m | £17.50 (£15.50)

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Theatre



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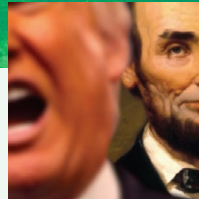
Widow

Sprout Studio | Joanna Lowe with Cup-A-Jo Productions

Widow delves into real-life loss and grief, offering perspective through longing and laughter alike. While shedding light on unique and horrific realities, Widow includes insights on navigating grief – helping connect understanding with trauma, building bridges across unspeakable subjects.

17-22, 24-29 | 15:00 45m | £11.50 (£9.50) (F:£9.50)

Theatre



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With the Possible Exception of Abraham Lincoln

Forest Theatre | The Producers

On Donald Trump's darkest night, a tall Illinois lawyer mysteriously appears. Wiser and braver than most, this enigmatic stranger challenges Trump, demands truth and accountability. A surprising, thought-provoking political drama you mustn't miss!

7-9 | 16:10 55m | £11.50 £9.50 (F:£9.50)

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 16:10 55m | £17.50 (£14.00) (F:£13.50)

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Theatre



Wrap Party

Mint Studio | You Guys Productions

In a cramped catering van, South Londoners Harry and Ollie keep a film set fuelled and their dreams brewing. But between A-list demands, surprise inspections, and romantic revelations, will they hold it together or go off script?

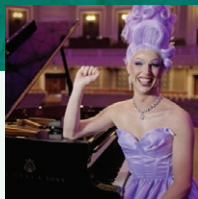
7-9 | 21:00 50m | **£9.50** £8.50

10-15 | 21:00 50m | **£17.50** (£15.50)

10 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

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Cabaret and Variety



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Your Inner Diva is Showing: Self-Love in Sequins!

Jade Studio | Jacqui Randa Drag Cabaret Star

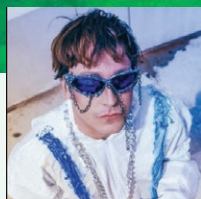
Channelling Celine, Whitney and Adele, Jacqui Randa tackles self-love, sex and the mess of figuring yourself out, with a dash of diva! 'Jacqui is rocking it' (Harry Connick Jr, The Piano).

7-9 | 17:20 55m | **£15.50** £14.00

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 17:20 55m | **£17.50** (£16.00)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



2050: A Manifesto

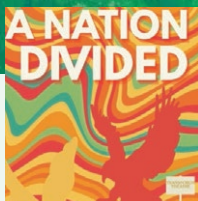
Clover Studio | LEU Creations

It's 2050. AJ presents his world-changing manifesto, only to watch it unravel. Part clown, part prophet: he turns to the audience to help rebuild it – a comic reckoning with ego, tech dependence and blind ambition.

24-29 | 20:40 1hr | **£19.00** (£17.00)

16+

Theatre



14+

A Nation Divided

Willow Studio | Transforum Theatre

2026 or 1970? Dive into the world of 1970 Vietnam politics and the infamous May 4th shooting at Kent State University. Can we learn from the past and, together, make change in today's divisive world of 2026?

17-22 | 10:30 50m | **£11.50** (£6.50) (F:£6.50)

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Comedy



18+

Alex La: Fool as Hell

Pickle Studio | Alex La

Alex La is performing his debut stand-up comedy special. He's doing bits on puzzles, dragons, his parents' marriage, having an older girlfriend, and more. It'll be silly, personal and some other things too.

7-9 | 17:10 50m | £6.50

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 17:10 50m | £11.50

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Comedy



18+

Alternative Medicine

Willow Studio | Alternative Medicine

No need to contact your healthcare provider, Alternative Medicine's sketches supply not only laughter, but busted guts, ripped abdominals, slapped knees and teehees. It'll do the weirdest shit to provide the best results. Side effects are [redacted].

17-22 | 11:35 1hr | £6.50

Cabaret and Variety



14+

An Insomniac's Dreams

Clover Studio | Madeleine Lemay

Comedic storytelling and variety hour by a psycho grunge babe. Stories and tales from my life explored through silly songs, dances, slideshows, characters and sketches. Paired with costumes, impressions and an explosion of gay.

24-29 | 19:30 1hr | £21.50 (£16.50) (F:£16.50)

Theatre



16+

Aquarius Rising

Pickle Studio | Ben Fallaci

Messy relationships? Toxic bosses? Unfulfilled dreams? Sometimes you gotta burn it to the ground to get what you want. Aquarius Rising is a dark comedy about struggling to make changes when it feels like the world is ending.

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 21:50 1hr | £15.50

10 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



14+

Awaiting Evaluation

Thistle Theatre | Berenson and Grech Productions

Faced with limitless opportunity, the start of the rest of your life ahead, with endless questions that have no right answer. What else is there to do but take solace in the outrageous company of a meaningful companion?

7-9 | 11:25 1hr | **£9.50** £6.00 (F:£6.50)

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 11:25 1hr | **£17.50** (£13.50) (F:£12.00)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



16+

Blackjack! (and other ways to get lucky) in Your Parents' Basement

Pickle Studio | Tom Stilwell

Learn how to beat the house... in the house! All it takes is basic strategy, a little luck and staying awake. A darkly comic solo show.

7-9 | 16:00 55m | **£8.50**

10-15 | 16:00 55m | **£12.50** (£8.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



8+

Bad Shakespeare

Thistle Theatre | TheatreOCU

Nature versus nurture? Are villains born or bred? Can they ever find true redemption? TheatreOCU explores Shakespeare's most villainous characters – Macbeth, Iago, Aaron, Tamora and Lady Macbeth – and asks the question: what is bad Shakespeare?

7-12 | 16:05 1hr | **£13.50** (£8.50) (F:£7.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



16+

Bloated In Vegas

Pickle Studio | Cease and Desist Theatricals

When a tailor is plucked from obscurity to dress Elvis Presley, he learns beyond the seductive lights of Las Vegas, nothing is what it seems. Will celebrity trappings cause him and Elvis to be Bloated In Vegas?

Aug 24 | 16:05 55m | **£8.50** £7.50

25, 26, 27, 28, 29 | 16:05 55m | **£10.50** (£8.50)

Theatre



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Bloody Mary(s)

Willow Studio | Blue Fire Theatre Company

What's in a name? Meet the Marys, Marias and Mariams of news reports, gossip columns and storybooks of history. It's an interactive journey of celebration and discovery, asking the biggest question of all: who's coming to dinner?

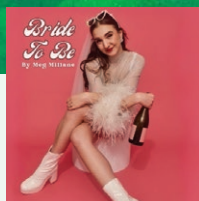
7-8 | 10:30 55m | **£13.50** (£11.50 (F:£11.50))

9-15 | 10:30 55m | **£17.50** (£14.00) (F:£14.00)

17-22 | 10:20 55m | **£17.50** (£14.00) (F:£14.00)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



18+

Bride To Be

Thistle Theatre | Meg Millane

Following her five-star solo debut, Meg Millane returns with a new razor-sharp comedy about wedding planning, family pressure and the immense cultural baggage of I do. Is she planning her dream wedding, or redefining it?

7-15 | 19:40 55m | **£13.50** (£9.00) (F:£9.00)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



16+

Bombs Over Byker

Clover Studio | Lucas English

When River's cosy affluence is shattered, he enlists two disorderly youngsters to plot increasingly riotous acts in search of a higher truth. But will this unlikely cohort expose the false prophets who seek to determine their fate?

7-9 | 14:55 50m | **£11.50** £9.50

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 14:55 50m | **£16.50** (£14.00)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Musicals and Opera



12+

Broadside

Willow Studio | April Alsop Productions

Imagine you're at a tavern in Boston two hundred and fifty years ago, it's alive with ink, ale and argument. Colonists gather around a Broadside, they're weary of taxes, wary of power but hopeful enough to sing of liberty.

7-9 | 17:25 1hr | **£11.50** £9.00 (F:£7.50)

10-15 | 17:25 1hr | **£13.50** (£11.50) (F:£9.00)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Spoken Word



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Burke and Hare: Body Snatchers, Serial Killers, Ulstermen

Pickle Studio | Andrew Johnston

Belfast dark historian Andrew Johnston reclaims Ulster-born ghouls Burke and Hare for Ireland in this 2025 Fringe sell-out show. Come back to Georgian Edinburgh's whisky-soaked, blood-stained slums, where no body was safe!

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 11:25 50m | £11.50 (£10.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



16+

Citizen Otherplace

Pickle Studio | Stacy Price

An acidly funny solo satire about the nightmare of becoming an American patient. A diagnosis unleashes a mad chase with a relentless debt collector. Felt fruit flies, leaving the audience to ask: is this real?

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 13:45 50m | £13.50 (F.£12.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



14+

Carmilla

Thistle Theatre | Mermaids at the Fringe

Lesbians, vampires and... communists? When love and desire are made monstrous, what beautiful monsters lovers make. Carmilla retells the lesser-known Gothic classic with a mid-century McCarthy twist. Charismatic, introspective and seductive – this show is a must-see.

10-15 | 12:40 50m | £10.50 (£8.50)

11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



8+

CQD to SOS: A Titanic Story

Willow Studio | Edinburgh Rep / Erstwhile Media

It's 12:15AM, April 15th, 1912. Titanic has hit an iceberg. The lives of over 2,000 people depend on three radio operators and the radio that broke the day before.

17-22 | 17:30 55m | £16.50 (£14.50)

Theatre



Crash Course

Thistle Theatre | Mermaids at the Fringe

After losing their Dating Licence, serial-heartbreaker Charlie is sent to the Last Chance Programme. Paired with Lou, they must relearn lawful romance for one final shot at love. A comedy about risk-free intimacy – and what it costs.

17-22 | 12:40 50m | £10.50 (£8.50)

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Theatre

DADDY ISSUES

a new play by Spencer Waldner

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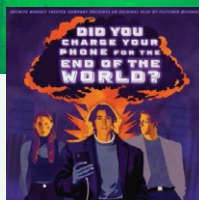
Clover Studio | Spencer Waldner

After getting COVID, Spencer can't stop telling the truth. Desperate to fix himself, he seeks a therapist. What begins as a cure spirals into a surreal, darkly comic excavation of memory, identity and buried trauma.

7-9, 11-15, 18-22, 25-29 | 11:20 1hr | £11.50 (£9.50)

11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



Did You Charge Your Phone for the End of the World?

Pickle Studio | Infinite Monkey Theater Co.

It's 2034, and the government refuses to alert the public of an impending asteroid until a boutique advertising agency can come up with a positive rebrand for the catastrophe.

17-22, 24-29 | 19:30 1hr | £17.50 (£13.50) Pay What You Want

18+

Theatre



Dinosaurs

Thistle Theatre | The Nightmare Lizards

A girl, her best friend and a real-life dinosaur she accidentally conjured, all go on a quest to kill her high school abuser. Dinosaurs is a new play about time travel, healing your inner child and sweet, sweet revenge.

7-9 | 20:50 50m | £13.50 (£7.50)

7-15 | 20:50 50m | £13.50 (£7.50)

17-22 | 22:00 50m | £13.50 (£7.50)

24-29 | 18:30 50m | £13.50 (£7.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

16+

Theatre



Doughboys

Thistle Theatre | Drunk Jester Players

Three American women report to the frontlines of WWI disguised as soldiers. With battle looming and their bumbling sergeant's suspicions on the rise, they have one night to keep their cover and find love, family and themselves.

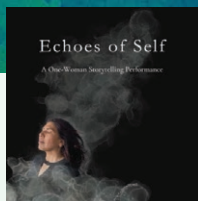
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Spoken Word



Echoes of Self

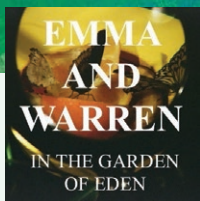
Pickle Studio | Yzaura

Echoes of Self unearths ancestral memory through taste, touch and confession. Dulce de coco wrappers, simmering sofrito, a wounded record circling remorse. One woman transforms lineage and regret into a living act of remembrance.

17-22, 24-29 | 18:30 40m | **£16.50** (£14.50)

14+

Theatre



Emma and Warren in the Garden of Eden

Pickle Studio | The MONA

Where has all the whimsy gone? God, gardens and familial trauma figure prominently in this prosaic, philosophical two-hander all about the younger generation's overly cerebral approach to life and love.

7-15 | 18:20 1hr | **£17.50**

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

16+

Theatre



Emotionally Undercooked

Pickle Studio | Lisa Sa

A funny, intimate solo show about people-pleasing, self-growth, and dating after healing. Lisa Sa reflects on the patterns that shape us, the courage it takes to challenge them and the choices that define us.

7-15 | 19:40 50m | **£17.50** (£15.50) (F:£12.50)

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Theatre



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Extra Dry

Willow Studio | Michelle Renee Johnson & A/
Park Productions

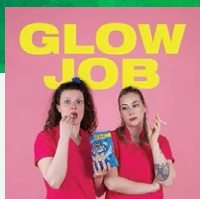
MJ's wild, chaotic romance with alcohol spirals into a series of unforgettable, if hazy, stories. As her blackouts pile up, she's left wondering: is it better to be remembered for the chaos, or forgotten entirely?

7-9 | 15:05 1hr | **£13.50** (£11.50)

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 15:05 1hr | **£17.50** (£15.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Comedy



18+

Glow Job

Pickle Studio | Hall & Carss Productions

Glow Job is a two-hander comedy following a desperate aesthetics clinic in Yorkshire. Packed with questionable beauty treatments and staff who have a loose grip on reality, the clinic will do almost anything to stay afloat.

7-15 | 14:55 50m | **£15.50**

Theatre



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Gagula: The Panto with Teeth!

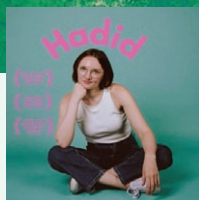
Willow Studio | Pig's Ear Productions

The only show bold enough to ask the question: 'What if Dracula were a pantomime dame?' A 50-minute romp through Victorian Europe packed with jokes, blood and audience participation!

7-15 | 11:40 50m | **£12.50** (£10.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



12+

Hadid

Clover Studio | Michelle Cohn

Helena Hadid, the normal-looking sister of supermodels Gigi and Bella Hadid, is forced to confront jealousy, ambition and the complicated nature of sibling bonds as she navigates building her own identity apart from her hyper-famous family.

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 16:00 1hr | **£16.50** (£11.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



14+

Headcase

Thistle Theatre | Cold Open Theatre

In a small sleepy village in the Highlands of Scotland, Ian finds a stone head in an old ruin, which only he can hear speaking...

24-29 | **17:15** 1hr | **£13.50**

Theatre



14+

Hendrik Quast: Spill Your Guts

Pickle Studio | Hendrik Quast

His gut has a voice and it's relentless. Half healthy, half sick, Quast performs with a dummy embodying his illness: a chronic, invisible, inflammatory force. Darkly comic ventriloquist act where the disease turns against him.

7-9 | **20:45** 50m | **£9.50** £5.50

10-15, 17-22 | **20:45** 50m | **£18.50** (£13.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



16+

He's Six Years Older Than Me

Clover Studio | Taeyun Kim

A live performance of a young woman completing her first self-testing STI kit. This piece is a conversation about consent, power dynamics and privilege in arguments for and against the act of stealthing.

7-9 | **10:15** 50m | **£10.00** £8.00 (F:£7.00)

10-15, 17-22 | **10:15** 50m | **£12.50** (£10.50) (F:£9.00)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



14+

I Am Going to Reveal Something Personal About Myself

Clover Studio | Sarah Dealy

In this one-woman show, Sarah Dealy has something to say... and it's very personal! Unflinching even! But first she needs to go over a few things with the audience.

7-9 | **17:15** 50m | **£12.50**

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | **17:15** 50m | **£12.50** (£10.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



12+

Iphigenia Variations

Thistle Theatre | Classical Variations

On the edge of adulthood, two girls find their futures overtaken by wars they never chose. Inspired by Euripides, their parallel stories unfold across time, laying bare the quiet devastation of young lives caught in conflict.

Aug 12 | 13:55 45m | **£11.50** £8.50 (F:£8.00)

13-15 | 13:55 45m | **£13.50** (£9.50) (F:£9.50)

Theatre



16+

Laughing Matters

Thistle Theatre | Catalytic Productions

Half stand-up show, half play, a comedian is forced to throw out his material following the tragic loss of his girlfriend. A warm, funny and quietly devastating show about grief, creativity and starting again from a blank page.

17-22, 24-29 | 19:40 50m | **£16.50** (£13.50) (F:£13.50)

Theatre



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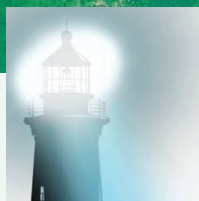
Jealousy Play

Clover Studio | Lockdown Projections

When Joanne's classmate Neptune repeatedly occupies the life she has bled to build, envy grows into obsession. A psychologically driven solo-show exploring trauma, class, survival and the true cost of creating while carrying what remains unhealed.

17-22 | 20:40 1hr | **£15.50** (£14.50)

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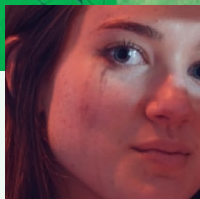
Lighthouse

Thistle Theatre | Early Doors Productions

Set in Caillte Lighthouse off the coast of Angus in the North Sea just after WWI, the story follows two keepers and their training of a third before things occur that question their loyalty, friendship and ultimately, their sanity.

24-29 | 20:50 50m | **£9.50** (£8.50) (F:£8.00)

Theatre



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Likewise

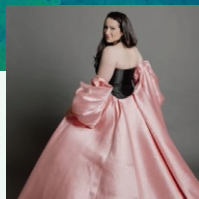
Clover Studio | ShowTown Theatricals

Joey's 17. Joey knows everything. Except why Callie won't call her back. Let her gut-punch your funny bone in *Likewise*: a biting new comedy from the trenches of girlhood. Rave reviews Off-Broadway: Hilarious, heartbreaking, and so relatable.

7-15, 17-22 | 19:35 50m | **£14.50** (£14.00)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Cabaret and Variety



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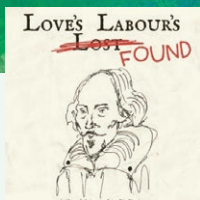
Love, Katiuska

Pickle Studio | Kat Lozano

American-born singer Katiuska moved to the UK for love, reinventing herself as 'Kat'. Using song, diaries and family stories, this cabaret explores identity and belonging, looking at the lives we leave behind, and the challenge of starting over.

17-22 | 14:55 50m | **£16.50** (£11.50)

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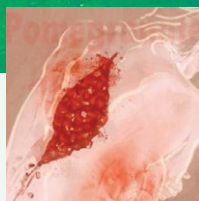
Love's Labour's Found

Thistle Theatre | Newcastle University Theatre Society

When under-performing academics, Jackie and Kate, learn they're being sacked, they, in a reckless gamble, claim to have uncovered Shakespeare's long-lost play. One career-saving white lie unravels and causes chaos as they scramble to invent a masterpiece.

17-22 | 20:45 1hr | **£11.50**

Theatre



16+

My Screaming Pomegranates

Willow Studio | Jingle Jiang

Dive into Persephone's world like never before. A solo mythic journey of love, betrayal and power – where gods dance, fates collide and one queen challenges destiny. Dark, immersive, humorous. Will she rise or remain trapped?

24-29 | 11:40 55m | **£15.50** (£13.50)

Theatre



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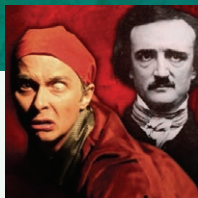
Offgridland

Pickle Studio | Paul Richards / Shoulder Cat Productions

Flight. Mode. The two most wonderful words... but even with his mobile blocking the outside world, can our desperate, overworked hero ever switch off? A frantic, claustrophobic comedy play by multi award-winning writer/performer, Paul Richards.

24-29 | 14:55 50m | **£10.50** (£8.50)

Theatre



12+

One Man Poe: The Black Cat and The Raven

Willow Studio | Threedumb Theatre

First, an alcoholic confesses his heinous crimes on the eve of his death. Then, a mysterious midnight visit from an ominous talking raven. Winner: Best Overall Show (Derek Awards 2025).

7 | 12:45 55m | **£14.00**

10, 13, 17, 20, 24, 27 | 18:35 55m | **£18.50** (£17.50)

10 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



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One Man Poe: The Business Man and The Case of M. Valdemar

Willow Studio | Threedumb Theatre

Two lesser-known Poe stories, resurrected. First, discover his comedic satire on American capitalism. Then, a gruesome account of a daring experiment: being hypnotised at the moment of death.

7-8 | 12:45, 18:35 55m | **£11.50**

11, 14, 18, 21, 25, 28 | 12:45, 18:35 55m | **£18.50** (£17.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



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One Man Poe: The Tell-Tale Heart and The Pit and the Pendulum

Willow Studio | Threedumb Theatre

First, a murderous madman. Then, a victim of the Spanish Inquisition. Both face unspeakable tortures... 'The definitive Fringe interpretation' ★★★★★ (TheWeeReview.com). 'Captivating... marathon of the macabre' ★★★★★ (National).

8 | 18:35 1hr | **£14.00**

9, 12, 15, 19, 22, 26, 29 | 12:45, 18:35 1hr | **£18.50** (£17.50)

11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Comedy



16+

One: The Musical

Thistle Theatre | Carlie Craig

In this parody of one-person shows, poster child for millennial suffering Carlie Craig steps into her popstar alter ego, Carlie Craig, telling her unfiltered Hollywood story of semi-accomplishments and trauma through all-original pop songs and sparkly dissociation!

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 14:55 1hr | **£16.00** (£13.00) (F:£13.00)

10 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



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Other People

Thistle Theatre | Six of Swords Productions

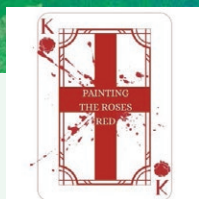
"Let me be your mirror." A birthday trip between three final year uni students goes awry upon the unexpected arrival of a former friend who recently wrote a negative review of their production of No Exit.

7-9 | 22:00 50m | **£11.50** £9.50 (F:£11.50)

10-15 | 22:00 50m | **£17.50** (£14.50) (F:£14.00)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



8+

Painting the Roses Red

Willow Studio | Kalopsia Theatre

A dive into the absurd world of immigration in the UK. A process that almost makes us feel as crazy as the Mad Hatter, and a rabbit hole that feels never ending.

17-22, 24-29 | 16:15 1hr | **£17.50** (£13.50) (F:£13.50)

Theatre



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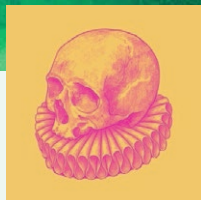
Punching Judy

Thistle Theatre | SkinnedTeeth

Punch and Judy are jumping out of their puppet box for a look into their story. With slapstick comedy, puppetry and drama, the public and the private begin to blur creating a dark comedy that's no longer kid-friendly.

24-29 | 22:00 50m | **£16.50** (£14.00)

Theatre



Rattlepole! An Improv Shakespeare Show

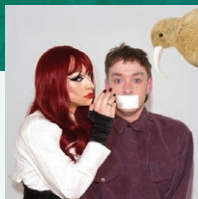
Willow Studio | Rattlepole!

Rattlepole! is a fully improvised Shakespearean comedy where a ten-strong cast creates a new play from audience suggestions. With live piano, songs, and a mischievous drinking twist, each performance is fast, interactive, chaotic and unpredictable.

17-22 | 22:10 50m | **£14.00** (£10.50)

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Cabaret and Variety



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Self Censored

Clover Studio | Oscar Brennan

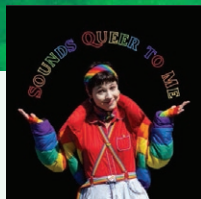
When does self-censorship stop protecting you and start erasing you? Inside a fractured subconscious, a chaotic drag persona and an overprotective childhood plushie fight over buried secrets, exploring autism, masculinity and masking through original live-performed songs.

7 | 18:25 50m | **£11.50**

8-15 | 18:25 50m | **£13.50** (£11.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Comedy



Sounds Queer to Me

Clover Studio | Ivy Favier

A hybrid between stand-up comedy and musical theatre, this one-woman show tells the tragic tale of Ivy's love life. Filled with absurd anecdotes and sapphic songs, this is a humorous and heartfelt journey of self-discovery.

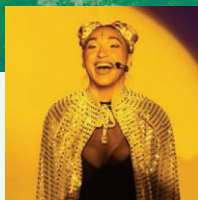
7-9 | 12:35 50m | **£7.50**

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 12:35 50m | **£13.50** (£11.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

18+

Musicals and Opera



14+

Supernova

Pickle Studio | Liza Dealey-Thomason

Liza, a superhero ready to quit her job, is tasked with saving the world again... but she must hilariously face her darkest moments first. An explosive, heartfelt journey about loss, resilience and the power of choosing self-care.

7-9 | 12:35 55m | **£13.50** £11.50

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 12:35 55m | **£17.50** (£15.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Theatre



The Bathroom Floor

Willow Studio | Katelyn Benton

A woman with a lifelong stutter contemplates the trenches of faith, worth and what it takes to keep clinging to joy in the most uncommon personal sanctuary.

24-29 | 19:45 55m | Pay What You Want

12+

Comedy



16+

The Gay Divorce

Willow Studio | Cecilia Corrigan

A hilariously twisted romcom about a broken-hearted trophy wife, as her dream gay wedding disintegrates into a haunted, glitter-soaked Barbie dreamhouse crawling with unhinged characters. Think Pee-wee's Playhouse via Mulholland Drive: get in loser, we're getting divorced!

7-9 | 20:55 1hr | £9.50

10-15, 17-22 | 20:55 1hr 10m | £17.50 (£14.50)

24-29 | 22:05 1hr 10m | £17.50 (£14.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Comedy



The Glitch

Thistle Theatre | The Glitch

Returning from their sell-out Fringe '23. You have been selected for re-education in this bizarre post-apocalyptic bunker-based sketch show. You will encounter gentle terror, ludicrous joy and sexy drumming. Attendance is mandatory. Confusion is likely. The Glitch awaits.

17-22 | 17:25 45m | £6.50

18+

Theatre



14+

The Good, The Bad and The Almighty

Willow Studio | Early Doors Productions

A nun, a priest and a Father vow to stop the end of the world after they find a device that allows them to see their deadly future. Habits. Die. Hard.

24-29 | 17:30 50m | £8.50 (£7.50) (F:£7.50)

Theatre



12+

The Love Talker

Thistle Theatre | Pellissippi State Theatre

The Love Talker is an eerie, supernatural play rooted in Appalachian folklore. It tells the story of sisters, Bun and Gowdie, who find themselves ensnared in the charms of the Love Talker and the Red Head.

7-14 | 10:20 50m | FREE



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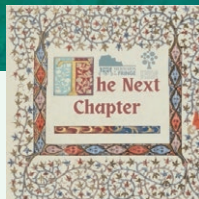
The Spy Network

Thistle Theatre | Shooting Fish Theatre Company

On the eve of her execution, Mary, Queen of Scots, has one final chance to tell her story. Three actors, secret codes, espionage and treason. Think you know what happened to this Scottish icon? Think again.

17-22, 24-29 | 13:50 50m | £16.50 (£14.50) (F:£14.00)

Theatre



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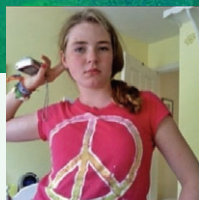
The Next Chapter

Thistle Theatre | Mermaids at the Fringe

The Next Chapter follows a therapy session between Margot, an up-and-coming author, and Charlotte, the protagonist of Margot's debut novel, as they try to figure out the plot of a sequel.

24-29 | 12:50 30m | £10.50 (£8.50) (F:£8.50)

Cabaret and Variety



18+

The Summer I Turned Orange

Pickle Studio | Deirdre O'Toole

For 2026, I am developing and touring a new written comedy show called The Summer I Turned Orange, which blends stand-up, music, clown and some improv elements into a playful, high-energy performance.

24-29 | 20:40 1hr | £9.50 Pay What You Want

Theatre



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The Tale of the Original Jekyll and Hyde (Told by a Mad Hatter from Stockport)

Willow Studio | Tall History Tales

By day Deacon Brodie was a respectable cabinetmaker. By night a masked burglar. Stanley is neither, but somehow gets roped into his shenanigans and escapades.

7-9 | 14:00 55m | £11.50 £9.50 (F:£8.50)

10-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 14:00 55m | £16.50 (£13.50) (F:£11.50)

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Theatre



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To My Wife's Next Lover

Clover Studio | Dream Big Kid Productions

As his melanoma worsens, a young husband decides to document his favourite things and advice about his wife in a journal for her future lover. But the journal takes a dark turn as he declines.

7-9 | 21:50 1hr | £16.50

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 21:50 1hr | £16.50 (F:£11.50)

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Spoken Word



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Ulster's Doctor Death: The Killer Case of John Bodkin Adams

Clover Studio | Andrew Johnston

Belfast dark historian Andrew Johnston reopens the true crime case of "sausage-fingered", God-fearing, Rolls-Royce-driving Dr John Bodkin Adams, possibly Britain and Ireland's worst ever serial killer. The doctor is sin!

7-15, 17-22, 24-29 | 13:45 50m | £11.50 (£10.50)

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Musicals and Opera



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Trunk Songs

Willow Studio | Maria DiFabbio

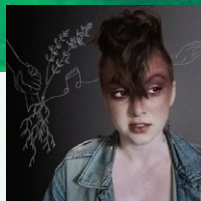
On a solo road trip through the Blue Ridge Mountains, a songwriter takes an unexpected journey through charged memories and imagined futures. Trunk Songs explores the art of skipping town, and making music of your heart's desires.

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Music



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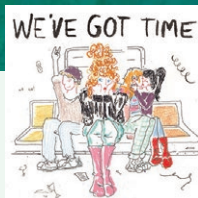
Welcome to the End of the World

Pickle Studio | Case Watson

One-woman band Case Watson offers a warm Welcome to the End of the World in this award-winning show, combining uplifting stories of kindness, practical lessons in adaptation, and mesmerizing original music.

17-22 | 16:00 1hr | Pay What You Want

Theatre



16+

We've Got Time

Thistle Theatre | Bean's Garden LLC

Funny, raw and painfully relatable, Dani attempts to navigate post-graduate life against an unforgiving New York City backdrop. She doesn't know what's ahead, and she definitely doesn't have control, but one thing she does have is time.

7-9 | 17:20 55m | **£14.00**

10-15 | 17:20 55m | **£19.00**

17-22, 24-29 | 16:10 |

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

Comedy



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Wild Wild Christian

Willow Studio | Simone McAlonen – Performer / Midnight Flâneur – Production House

Fringe Debut! Direct from NYC's Soho Playhouse. The hilarious true-story of a girlhood spent on a notorious Oregon cult compound turned Christian camp. Purity culture, journals and the most timeless theological question of all: Does fingering count?

7-9 | 19:50 50m | **£9.00**

10-15, 17-22 | 19:50 50m | **£16.50** (£14.50)

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Spoken Word



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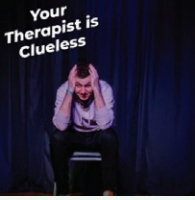
You Can Write a Book!

Clover Studio | Mark Stringer

Mark Stringer is a comedian and published author. He believes you can write a book. He talks you through tips and tricks, not only to get started but also to get you finished and published.

17-22, 24-29 | 18:20 50m | **£11.50** (£6.50) Pay What You Want

Theatre



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Your Therapist Is Clueless

Clover Studio | Nathaniel Tresise

Your Therapist Is Clueless is a show based on the realities of working in front-line mental health. Set within a real-life service, it offers a unique and deeply human perspective on the highs and lows.

7-15 | 20:40 | £11.50 (£9.50)

10 Aug, 11 Aug (2-4-1 Dates)

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Every year we're reminded that Greenside is so much more than a collection of performance spaces. It's a community of artists, technicians, staff, audiences and supporters who come together to create something truly extraordinary.

First and foremost, thank you to every artist performing with us this summer. Thank you for trusting Greenside with your Fringe journey. We know the courage, commitment and sacrifice it takes to bring a show to Edinburgh, and we never take for granted that you've chosen to share your work with us. You are the reason we are here.

To our incredible Team Green, thank you. Led by our iconic Director of Operations Jamie, who looks after the venue managers, front of house, marketing, press, box office, operations and everyone working behind the scenes. The teams passion, positivity and endless hard work make Greenside what it is. You welcome thousands of audience members with a smile, solve countless challenges each day and create the atmosphere that so many artists and visitors tell us feels like home.

Led by our legendary Director of Production Callum, and supported by the equally as sensational Maddy with the outstanding production team. Working together with our brilliant technical stage managers and our partners at Live Systems and SLX - thank you for working your magic every single day. Your professionalism, expertise and seemingly endless ability to solve any technical challenge ensure every performance can shine.

A special thank you to some of Team Green's longest-serving members – Keith, Jamie, Twitch, Maddy and Cal. Quite simply, Greenside wouldn't be Greenside without you.

Our heartfelt thanks also go to our wonderful venue partners at the Royal Society of Edinburgh and Riddle's Court. Thank you for opening your remarkable buildings to artists and audiences each August and for embracing everything that makes the Fringe so unique.

Thank you to the Edinburgh Festival Fringe Society, Red61 and the many organisations and individuals who work tirelessly behind the scenes to make the world's greatest arts festival possible. We'd also like to thank our brilliant designer, Chloe, whose creativity, patience and ability to turn our ideas into reality somehow survives every late-night email and last-minute tweak.

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And finally, thank you to you. Every ticket you buy, every show you recommend and every standing ovation you give helps keep the Edinburgh Fringe thriving. We hope you have an unforgettable festival and that Greenside plays a small part in some of your favourite Fringe memories.

With all our love,

Darren & Tara



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