



## ***Captain Flinn and the Pirate Dinosaurs 2: The Magic Cutlass***

**Pleasance Courtyard (One), 60 Pleasance, Edinburgh, EH8 9TJ**

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> – Monday 29<sup>th</sup> August 2016 (not 16<sup>th</sup>), 10:30**

Flinn is back! Les Petits Theatre Company (*Adventures in Wonderland*) return to the high seas after their hugely successful and award-winning *Captain Flinn and the Pirate Dinosaurs* rolled the rigging and spliced the mainbrace! *The Magic Cutlass* is the hugely anticipated sequel based on the award-winning book by Giles Andreae and Russell Ayto.

When Flinn, Pearl and Tom are in the middle of their school play their old nemesis, Mr T the T-Rex, appears and kidnaps the children forcing them to hunt for the secretive Magic Cutlass - a sword that grants the holder any wish. The children are whisked away for another fantastic adventure to a world of devious dinosaurs, deep sea dangers and smelly sausages. It's all aboard, me hearties, for a real life pirate adventure!

Will fearless Flinn be able to outwit the pirate dinosaurs? Will Pirate Pearl be brave enough to battle the dangerous dinos and will terrified Tom be back in time for tea? All aboard for a non-stop action packed theatrical experience with live music, puppetry and dastardly dinosaurs!

*Captain Flinn and the Pirate Dinosaurs 2: The Magic Cutlass* is brought to life by Les Petits, the exciting children's theatre company from the team behind internationally-acclaimed theatre company, Les Enfants Terribles (*Alice's Adventures Underground*). Les Petits aims to ignite children's imaginations through the magic of theatre and storytelling.

*Captain Flinn and the Pirate Dinosaurs* was the winner of the Primary Times Children's Choice Award 2012. *This is a bright sparky production, filled with hum-along songs, beautiful puppets and a lot of imagination* (Time Out).

Adapter Oliver Lansley comments, *After the huge success of Captain Flinn and The Pirate Dinosaurs, which won the Primary Times Choice Award for Best Children's Play, we are thrilled to be bringing the sequel to Edinburgh, where the journey first started.*

## Notes to Editors

Title	<i>Captain Flinn and the Pirate Dinosaurs 2: The Magic Cutlass</i>
Performance Dates	Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> – Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> August, 10:30
Running time	60 minutes
Location	Pleasance Courtyard (One), 60 Pleasance, Edinburgh, EH8 9TJ
Box Office	Tickets are available from <a href="http://www.pleasance.co.uk">www.pleasance.co.uk</a> Previews: £7 Early week: £9 (£7.50) Weekday: £11 (£9.50) Weekend: £12 (£10.50)
Twitter	@PetitsTheatre, @ThePleasance, #FlinnCutlass
Adapted by	Oliver Lansley
Director	Hal Chambers
Music and Sound Designer	Tom Recknell
Set and costume Designer	Zoe Squire
Puppet Designer	Max Humphries
Additional Puppet Design	Naomi Oppenheim
Lighting Design	Matt Leventhall
Flinn	Dominic Creasey
Miss Pie	Patrick Tolan
Pearl	Rosie Nicholls
Tom	Patrick Warner

## Les Petits Theatre

Les Petits Theatre Company, born in September 2012, was established to inspire, enthuse, entertain and delight young audiences. Using well-known and loved children's literature we aim to take stories from the page and bring them to life on the stage in creative and exciting ways. Les Petits Theatre Company was created by James Seager and Oliver Lansley along with the director of Creative Acts Ltd, Nicole Lewis. The Les Petits team have worked alongside each other for over nine years in different capacities relating to the work of Les Enfants Terribles.

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