



Canal Café Theatre and Emma Taylor present

NEWSREVUE 2015

Pleasance Courtyard (Beyond), 60 Pleasance, Edinburgh, EH8 9TJ

Wednesday 5th – Monday 31st August 2015 (not 18th), 6.30pm

Nobody is safe: from Farage to the royal foetus, politicians and celebrities alike come under fire in a turbo-charged barrage of bladder-threateningly funny songs and sketches brimming with punchlines. Expect the very best of British satire.

The longest-running live comedy show in the world is flawlessly delivered by four outstanding performers – Naomi Bullock, Kieran Mortell, Katriona Perrett and Simon Prag - at lightning speed. They are expertly accompanied by an on-stage Musical Director; this year Michael Riley returns to reprise his role - a post previously held by Bill Bailey. NewsRevue's exceptional writing, superlative performances and original takes on current affairs have made it a Guinness World record-breaker, Fringe First winner and Perrier finalist.

The show is acknowledged as a highly successful springboard for all the incredible talents involved, many of whom started their careers on the show before scaling great comedy heights. Described by Chortle as '*a rite of passage for all comedy new-comers*' previous alumni include: Rory Bremner, Reece Shearsmith, Alistair McGowan, Bill Bailey, Michelle Collins, Zoe Lyons, Nick Helm, Cariad Lloyd, Bridget Christie, Gemma Arrowsmith, Sarah-Louise Young, Lorna Watson, Gemma Whelan, Luke Toulson and Sara Pascoe.

I love NewsRevue. It's the first show I went to see. It's almost too funny for Edinburgh - Joan Rivers.

Makes the watcher grateful for freedom of speech - ★★★★★ (Edinburgh Evening News).

Notes to Editors

Title	NewsRevue 2015
Performance Dates	Wednesday 5 th – Monday 31 st August (not 18 th), 6.30pm
Running time	1 hour
Location	Pleasance Courtyard (Beyond), 60 Pleasance, Edinburgh, EH8 9TJ
Box Office	Tickets are available from www.pleasance.co.uk Previews: £9 Monday/Tuesday: £12.50 (£11) Wednesday/Thursday: £14.50 (£13) Friday/Saturday/Sunday: £16.50 (£15)
Twitter	@newsrevue2015, @ThePleasance
Website	www.newsrevue.com
Notes	Age 14 plus
Previews	City of London Festival, Wednesday 8 th July – 7.30pm Canal Café Theatre, Thursday 9 th – Sunday 19 th July - Thursday – Saturday 9.30pm, Sunday 9pm. And Thursday 30 th July, 9.30pm.
Musical Director	Michael Riley
Musical Supervisor	Pete Smith
Director	Tara Newton-Wordsworth
Technical Director	Stu Glover
Producer	Emma Taylor
Assistant Producer	Fiona Thomas

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