



6TH - 23RD FEBRUARY 2020

70 SHOWS

**4 BRILLIANT VENUES
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RISE UP, LEICESTERTONIANS, AND SURGE INWARDS TO THE CITY IN THE DARKENED WINTER OF FEBRUARY

Amongst the venues of your fair city you will find a festival of laughter where jokers and fools peddle their wares for your distraction.

Just the Tonic have long provided mirth in this city and during this happy fiesta we expand out from our home at Hansom Hall to include Brewdog and The Shed. Welcome to the family of Just the Tonic

We are experienced practitioners in the art of laughter. Thus we bring you many of the established old hands, whilst seeking out the new and the fresh.

Within this tome you will find the comedy of now and of the future. Enjoy the read. But do not stop there. Use this as a guide to your activity.

Live comedy needs an audience. Just the Tonic is Live comedy. Just the Tonic needs you... and you need Just the Tonic.

★ ★ ★ **TOGETHER WE UNITE IN JOY!** ★ ★ ★

**THE HOOVERING
PODCAST LIVE
WITH JESSICA FOSTEKUW**

**2PM
19TH FEB
BREWDOG**

"MUCH MORE THAN A FOODIE PODCAST" (GUARDIAN)



THURSDAY 6TH FEB / 18:30 - 19:30 **BREWDOG**
£5.00 / PWYW / 16+



JACK BARRY

Alien

Your best friend (and acclaimed stand-up) Jack Barry is worried about you. The world's turned to shit and you haven't been laughing enough. He's going to roughly slap you around the face with his jokes and tell you to get a hold of yourself. "effortlessly endearing" ★★★★★ (EdFestMag.com)

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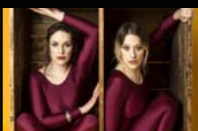


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Skittish Warrior...
Confessions of a Club Comic

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NORRIS & PARKER

Thirst Traps

Debauched late night sketch comedy for lovers of the strange, the sordid, the musical and the dark. ★★★★★ The Guardian. ★★★★★ The Telegraph. ★★★★★ Chortle.

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PHIL GREEN

Warrior Princess

A stand up comedy show from South East New Comedian finalist Phil Green. Phil ponders if his oddball parents and love/hate feelings towards Tony Blair have turned him into a lover or a fighter.

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GARRETT MILLERICK

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NATHAN D'ARCY ROBERTS
 Is my Dad Denzel Washington?

Nathan D'Arcy Roberts (BBC Introducing Radio 4 Comedy Award nominee) brings his exciting new show to the Leicester Comedy Festival. Raised having never met his father Nathan embarks on a journey to confirm his belief that the identity of his estranged papa is none other than the Oscar-winning actor.

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ROBIN MORGAN
 What A Man, What A Man, What A Man, What A Mighty Good Man (Say It Again Now)

Following a sell-out 2019 Edinburgh run, the "utterly hilarious" (Broadway Baby) stand-up embarks on his second UK tour. Writer for the Mash Report (BBC Two) and the News Quiz (BBC R4) ★★★★★ Sunday Times

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MATT HUTCHINSON
 Hostile (WIP)

Matt is the son of Jamaican and English parents and is an NHS doctor. This stand up show asks: "How hostile is the environment in Britain?". Life is portrayed as tough for immigrants - and it often is, but that's not the whole story. Who is welcomed, and what does it mean to "integrate".

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TOM TAYLOR
 Will Be Played By The Understudy (WIP)

A new hour of jokes from award-winning comedian Tom Taylor. As heard on BBC Radio 4, Musical Comedy Awards Audience Favourite winner. English Comedian of the Year finalist. "Wave after wave of funny ... a genuine joy" (The Scotsman). "Excellent ... beautifully daft" (Sunday Times).

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Guz Khan: Writer and star of Man Like Mobeen.
 Tom Taylor: Rather a peculiar looking being. Instantly laughable.
 Kae Kurd: "Delivers joke after rapid joke" - Broadway Baby
 Dave Longley: One of our regular comperes.

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LILY PHILLIPS
 Smut (WIP)

From BBC3 & ITV2 join Pleasance Reserve and Funny Women Finalist Lily Phillips on her journey from cheerleader to feminist. Jam-packed with vag jokes, mischievous wit and a whole lot of smut! "Charming and moderately obscene" ★★★★★ The Scotsman

SATURDAY 8TH FEB / 21:30 - 22:30 **BREWDOG**
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WIL HODGSON
 Waffle

Chippenhams' award winning cult storytelling stand up returns after what seems like bloody ages to LCF to ramble on about bar snacks, Yacht Rock, car boot sales and more. "Genius" - Russell Howard, "This is punk rock" - Mark Thomas

SUNDAY 9TH FEB / 14:00 - 15:00 **BREWDOG**
£7.00 / 14+



JESSICA FOSTEKEW

The Hoovering Podcast LIVE

The podcast all about eating: LIVE. Host Jessica Fostekew (Live at The Apollo, Harry Hill's Clubnite, News Quiz) joins a panel of celebrity guests to share their best stories, jokes and dinner. "Much more than a foodie podcast" (Guardian)

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THURSDAY 13TH FEB / 19:30 - 21:30 **THE FUNCTION ROOMS**
£18.00 / 16+



CLINTON BAPTISTE

The Paranormalist Returns

Clinton Baptiste is the hapless clairvoyant, medium and psychic from Peter Kay's smash hit Channel 4 tv show PETER KAY'S PHOENIX NIGHTS. Now, some eighteen years after the show aired, he returns to conjure up his extraordinary powers for a new generation.

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TICKLED PINK COMEDY NIGHT

Ticked Pink Comedy showcases female comedians to entertain and inspire you. Bring your family, friends and men folk. These nights are safe and supportive. Support women in comedy. Between six to eight comedians will create mirth and Merriment.

FRIDAY 14TH FEB / 18:00 - 19:00 **THE SHED**
£5.00 (£4.00 CONC) / 16+



RICHARD TODD

(WIP)

The 80s. No internet. If Richard had questions he asked Grandpa Stan – wise, venerable, asleep – and his grandpa replied, quick as a flash: Who are you? What do you want? Where's my leg? This show is not about him. But it surely has a bearing. The Scotsman ★★★ Chortle ★★★ The Skinny

FRIDAY 14TH FEB / 18:30 - 19:30 **BREWDOG**
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SOPHIE DUKER

(WIP)

The Dave's Edinburgh Comedy Awards Best Newcomer Nominee is gearing up for a second bite at the comedy apple. Expect a tale of old hags, sexy stepmothers, deadly sins and her magic pussy... maybe. It's a work-in-progress. Laugh-out loud funny ★★★★★ The Telegraph. ★★★★★ The Scotsman.

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A BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO BONDAGE

A funny, naughty romp through the world of BDSM. Are you fetish curious? Mistress Venetia (Mason) answers phone calls and books kinky dungeon sessions for her wonderfully weird clients. Whip in hand, she tells amazing stories, all true. Cracking good fun, including audience participation. 18+

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BONDAGE

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by Sara Mason



"One minute the
audience are laughing
and the next gasping."
- Broadway Baby



UNMISSABLE SHOWS



FRIDAY 7TH FEB

HANSON HALL / 19:00



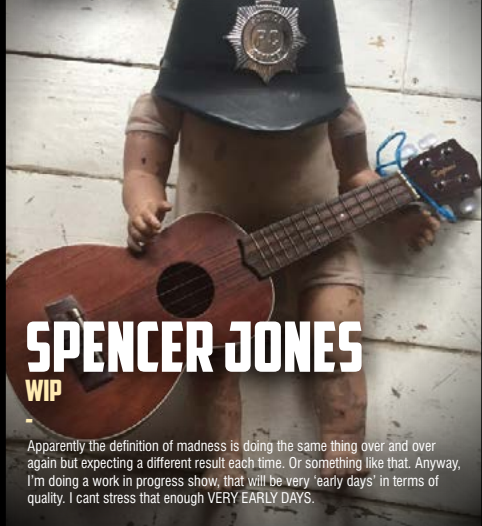
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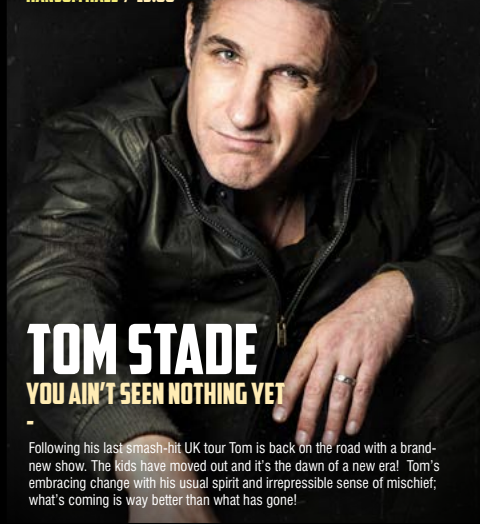
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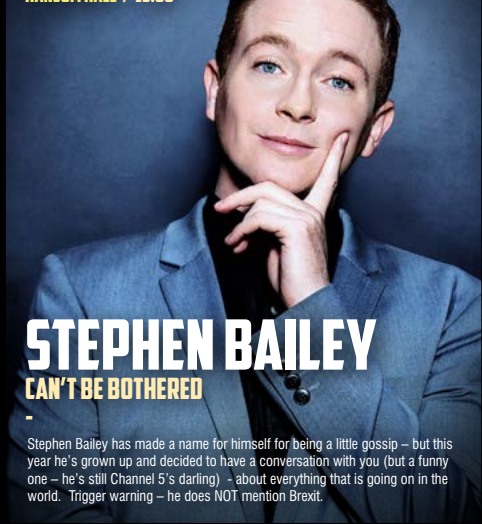
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FRIDAY 22ND FEB

HANSON HALL / 19:00



STEPHEN BAILEY

CAN'T BE BOTHERED

Stephen Bailey has made a name for himself for being a little gossip – but this year he's grown up and decided to have a conversation with you (but a funny one – he's still Channel 5's darling) - about everything that is going on in the world. Trigger warning – he does NOT mention Brexit.

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PAUL SWEENEY Amusements Vol.1 Attraction

An hour of infinitely charming comedy exploring the laws of attraction by Paul Sweeney, a comedian with a sharp, self-deprecating style that when combined with his own eclectic taste and unique sensibility are sure to make this show both entertaining and beguiling. "Intriguing and memorable." Chortle

SATURDAY 15TH FEB / 17:00 - 18:00 **BREWDOG**
FREE / PWYW / 16+



FREDDY QUINNE IS BROUGHT TO YOU BY

In order to fund his show, award-winning comedian Freddy Quinne has had to sell of large chunks of his act to companies for advertising. Don't worry, you won't even notice it. A breathtaking new show sure to make waves.

SATURDAY 15TH FEB / 18:00 - 19:00 **THE SHED**
£5.00 / PWYW / 16+



SIKISA I'm a 7 (WIP)

Sikisa presents her show about being a work in progress. Being seen as a real-life superhero by the people around her, she explores the funny truth about her life in which she justifies calling herself a seven! The real question is, are you?

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£11.00 / 18+



PAUL MCCAFFREY LEMON

In this hilarious new stand up show, McCaffrey struggles to get to grips with technology, being spied on by the Chinese, idiotic self-help books and setting fire to his oven gloves. The man is an absolute Lemon. Funny though.

SATURDAY 15TH FEB / 19:30 - 20:30 **THE SHED**
£5.00 / PWYW / 12+



WILL PENSWICK Work of Arts in Progress

Supposed creative icon Will Penswick is unfortunately back from a disastrous "World Tour" to present his "finest" poetry, prose and performance in a desperate bid to get any critical and/or financial backing. "Hard not to love...brilliant" ★★★★★ Radio Ha-Ha! ★★★★★ BroadwayBaby ★★★★★ MumbleComedy

SATURDAY 15TH FEB / 20:00 - 21:00 **BREWDOG**
£5.00 / PWYW / 14+



EDD HEDGES Shut it down Carol

Edd Hedges brings his sell out Fringe show "Shut it Down Carol" To Leicester comedy festival. Basically it's a story about something really dumb his mum did. It's unbelievable but unfortunately it's all true ★★★★★ The Fountain ★★★★★ one4review

SATURDAY 15TH FEB / 20:30 - 23:00 **HANSON HALL**
£12.00 / 18+



JUST THE TONIC'S SATURDAY NIGHT COMEDY CLUB

Garrett Millerick: "Wickedly funny" ★★★★★ - The Times
Matt Rees: "Laoconic youngster with an instinctive comedic talent" - Metro
Jenny Collier: "Joyously liberating" - The List
Dave Longley: One of our regular comperes.

SATURDAY 15TH FEB / 21:00 - 22:00 **THE SHED**
 £10.00 (£7.00 CONC) / 16+



MARISE GAUGHAN
 Drowning

In 2014, Marise's father killed himself, setting off a chain reaction that began with her placement on an ISIS watch list in Amsterdam and ended sharing a psych ward with Kanye West in L.A. Stand-up comedy at its darkest about destructive choices made in a mental abyss.

SATURDAY 15TH FEB / 21:30 - 22:30 **BREWDOG**
 £10.00 / 16+



JACK TUCKER
 Comedy Stand-up Hour

Tucker (Jack) is a bonafide legend in the Upstate New York regional stand-up comedy scene who's sold out all over the world, from New York to Manhattan to Brooklyn. A RAUCOUSLY HILARIOUS 60 MINUTES. ★★★★★ CHORTLE

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ALLYSON JUNE SMITH
 The Self-Confidence Trick

Meet Allyson a Canadian comic who regularly performs in top comedy clubs around the world, and has starred in her own tv comedy special. If anyone knows about confidence it's Allyson RIGHT? Erm... Wrong. Join her as she figures out through jokes, stories and songs if there is a self-confidence trick.

THURSDAY 20TH FEB / 18:30 - 19:30 **BREWDOG**
 £5.00 / PWYW / 16+



MURDER INC.

Murder Inc is improv that came to slay. You'll play detective to our improvised mystery. On the night, it's all up to you to set the scene and solve the crime. Running sold out shows in MCR for 4 years!


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PIERRE NOVELLIE
 (WIP)

Pierre returns to Leicester to see what the fine burghers think of his new stuff. Multiple award-winning/nominated, more five and four star reviews than you can shake a stick at and sell out runs at the Edinburgh Fringe. It's observational comedy for people who think they hate observational comedy.

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 £5.00 (£4.00 CONC) / PWYW / 12+



KNEES BENT BRAS OFF RA RA RA

Welcome! You are invited to my family party. With a party Hedgehog, sausages on sticks, games and songs. The audience aren't merely spectators but party goers. 'Impossible not to be won over by this hosts charm.' One4Review

FRIDAY 21ST FEB / 18:30 - 19:30 **BREWDOG**
 £5.00 / PWYW / 16+



RAY BADRAN
 PERFORMS STAND UP COMEDY

Hi my name is Ray and I'm a comedian from Australia who is a real good, cool dude and fantastic comedian (and I'm not being biased cause I know the guy hahahahh!), anyway come watch my stand up show. For more info please call me on 07899242142. Thanks!


FRIDAY 21ST FEB / 19:00 - 20:00 **HANSOM HALL**
 £16.50 / 18+



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MILO EDWARDS
 PINDOS

What's it like to have 15 minutes of fame in the largest country on Earth? Pindos is the debut hour from former Cambridge Footlight, Milo Edwards, about how he became a Russian TV star.

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DIANE SPENCER
 SHOW 9

Mostly biographical, mildly ridiculous and delightfully filthy stand-up comedy. Topics include whining tourists, Mother's new boardgame and male stripper shows. Check out Diane's other 8 shows on YouTube. ★★★★★ "Not to be missed" ThreeWeeks ★★★★★ "Personable, hilarious and ballsy" BroadwayBaby

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 Such a sweet kid (WIP)

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 £10.00 (E9.00 CONC) / 16+



ELEANOR CONWAY
 You May Recognise Me From Tinder

Eleanor is bad at intimacy but great at sex. She's even crossed a line that many women have contemplated crossing: sex work. The follow up to Conway's global smash hit 'Walk of Shame' is a candid look at intimacy, shagging and crossing lines. TMI guaranteed.

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SATURDAY 16TH MAY
HANSON HALL / 20:00



STEVE HUGHES
ARE YOU SERIOUS? (HOUR LONG SPECIAL)

"His insights are spot on, his opinions are intelligent, and his jokes are top class" - Guardian

FRIDAY 16TH OCT
HANSON HALL / 20:00



PAUL FOOT
SWAN POWER

Tired of the goose? Swan Power is here. Paul opens his beak and explores topics including Nanna on the rack, murdering Santas and interfering ambulance drivers (self-appointed busybodies!) Plus Billy Zane's Valuable Diamond (c/o RMS Titanic). Live by the swan, fly by the swan.



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THE BEST MIXED BILLS ON THE CIRCUIT**



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SATURDAY 22ND FEB / 16:30 - 17:30 **THE SHED**
 £5.00 (E4.00 CONC) / PWVW / 16+



MILO EDWARDS
 (WIP)

A new work-in-progress stand-up show from ex-Footlight Milo Edwards, following his award-winning 2019 show 'Pindos' (about his years in Russia), this time about being in love and out of it and the relationships that define us.

SATURDAY 22ND FEB / 17:00 - 18:00 **BREWDOG**
 £5.00 / PWVW / U



CHRIS READ
 Little Man

Jazz Musician, songwriter, multi-instrumentalist and half of globe-trotting Harry & Chris presents his debut hour of comedic songs and soulful ballads, inspired by everything from starfish preservation to becoming a father. "Fantastic" (Evening Standard). "Musical genius" (Russell Howard).

SATURDAY 22ND FEB / 17:30 - 18:30 **HANSON HALL**
 £15.00 / 18+



IVAN BRACKENBURY
SUPPORTS TOM BINNS
 THE PSYCHIC COMEDIUM

Tom's ventriloquist act, alter egos Hospital radio DJ Ivan Brackenbury and psychic Ian D Montfort has won him over 30 five star reviews and many awards nationally and internationally. "Not only is the running gag a thing of comedy genius, but Binns tags it jaw-droppingly brilliantly" The Scotsman.

SATURDAY 22ND FEB / 18:00 - 19:00 **THE SHED**
 £5.00 (E4.00 CONC) / PWVW / 16+



LILY PHILLIPS
 Smut (WIP)

From BBC3 & ITV2 join Pleasance Reserve and Funny Women Finalist Lily Phillips on her journey from cheerleader to feminist. Jam-packed with vag jokes, mischievous wit and a whole lot of smut! 'Charming and moderately obscene'
 ★★ ★★ The Scotsman

SATURDAY 22ND FEB / 18:30 - 19:30 **BREWDOG**
 £5.00 / PWVW / 18+



LAUGH TILL IT HURTS
 A BDSM Comedy Show

Like 50 Shades Of Grey, but funny on purpose. The story of one man's adventure into the world of kink. Experienced kinksters will enjoy the true tales of sexual deviance and there are plenty of hot tips for any curious newbies.

SATURDAY 22ND FEB / 19:00 - 20:00 **HANSON HALL**
 £14.50 (E11.00 CONC) / 18+



STEPHEN BAILEY
 Can't Be Bothered

Stephen Bailey has made a name for himself for being a little gossip – but this year he's grown up and decided to have a conversation with you (but a funny one – he's still Channel 5's darling) - about everything that is going on in the world. Trigger warning – he does NOT mention Brexit.

SATURDAY 22ND FEB / 19:30 - 20:30 **THE SHED**
 £8.00 (E7.00 CONC) / 16+



KIERAN BOYD
 (WIP)

Kieran presents new material from his new show, in all likelihood sandwiched in between bits of definitely-very-good material from last year's show to soften the blow! Tour support for Ed Byrne Autumn 2019. "Impressively funny... terrific material" (The Scotsman)

SATURDAY 22ND FEB / 20:00 - 21:00 **BREWDOG**
 £7.00 (E5.00 CONC) / 16+



TRAVIS JAY
 (WIP)

Leicester Mercury Comedian of the Year Nominee, Travis Jay returns with a brand new work-in-progress show. "Travis Jay shows he is a polished performer with the wit and charm to say the important things to the masses without them even noticing" (Joe.co.uk)

SATURDAY 22ND FEB / 20:30 - 23:00 **HANSON HALL**
 £15.00 / 18+



JUST THE TONIC'S
SATURDAY NIGHT
COMEDY CLUB

Just the Tonic Comedy Club presents another one of our fine mixed bill line ups. Alun Cochrane: "A master storyteller, holding the audience before dropping an exploding but simple punchline" - Metro
 Yuriko Kotani PLUS Guests (see www.justthetonic.com for more information).

SATURDAY 22ND FEB / 21:00 - 22:00 **THE SHED**
 £5.00 / PWVW / 12+



MIZTLI ROSE
 Mexican Wave (WIP)

Having spent her childhood in Mexico, Miztli suddenly found herself living in rainy Brighton. Little did she know she would never see her Mexican family again. Now, at 30, she's having an identity crisis. Join Miztli as she explores how the pivotal moments in our lives shape the people we become.

SATURDAY 22ND FEB / 21:30 - 22:30
£5.00 (E4.00 CONC) / 14+

BREWDOG



MARK & HAYDN
(WIP)

Mark and Haydn are a sketch comedy double act who've been described as "brilliant" by their Guardian. They bring their fast-paced, gag filled version of sketch comedy to the Leicester Comedy Festival. Leicester Square Sketch Off Finalists 2019.

SUNDAY 23RD FEB / 15:30 - 16:30
£15.00 HUMAN & DOG / £10.00 SOLD / PG

BREWDOG



**BRING YOUR OWN
DOG COMEDY**

Do you like comedy? Do you like dogs? Well have we got the show for you! Bring your furry friend along to watch 4 great comedians. Pups also get a cupcake and doggy beer. You don't even need to have a pooch to come, buy a ticket just for yourself and watch as the inevitable chaos ensues.

7 ACTS FOR £7 ★

JUST THE TONIC BRINGS YOU 7 COMEDIANS EACH FRIDAY NIGHT FOR ONLY £7. A TOTAL BARGAIN OF A MIXED BILL SHOW. EACH WEEK WILL FEATURE SOME OF THE BEST ACTS FROM THE UK CIRCUIT. THESE SHOWS WILL SELL OUT, SO BOOK EARLY!

**HANSOM HALL | EVERY FRIDAY
FROM 20:30**

★ A-Z LISTINGS AT A GLANCE ★

SHOW	DATE/TIME	VENUE
7 Acts for £7	Fri 7th / 20:30	Hansom Hall
7 Acts for £7	Fri 14th / 20:30	Hansom Hall
7 Acts for £7	Fri 21st / 20:30	Hansom Hall
A Beginner's Guide to Bondage	Fri 14th / 21:30	Brewdog
Allyson June Smith: The Self-Confidence Trick	Sun 16th / 18:30	Brewdog
Bad Clowns: Cult Classic	Sat 15th / 18:30	Brewdog
Big Value Comedy Show: Auditions	Thu 6th / 20:00	Brewdog
Big Value Comedy Show: Auditions	Thu 20th / 20:00	Brewdog
Bring Your Own Dog Comedy	Sun 9th / 15:30	Brewdog
Bring Your Own Dog Comedy	Sun 16th / 15:30	Brewdog
Bring Your Own Dog Comedy	Sun 23rd / 15:30	Brewdog
Caroline Mabey: (In) Definitely Mabey	Fri 14th / 19:30	The Shed
Chloe Petts: Alpha (WIP)	Fri 7th / 18:00	The Shed
Chloe Petts: Alpha (WIP)	Fri 14th / 21:00	The Shed
Chris Read: Little Man	Sat 22nd / 17:00	Brewdog
Clinton Baptiste: The Paranormalist Returns	Thu 13th / 19:30	The Function Rooms
Diane Spencer: Show 9	Fri 21st / 20:00	Brewdog
Edd Hedges: Shut it Down Carol	Sat 15th / 20:00	Brewdog
Edd Hedges: Such a Sweet Kid (WIP)	Fri 21st / 21:00	The Shed
Eleanor Conway: You May Recognise Me From Tinder	Fri 21st / 21:30	Brewdog
Freddy Quinne Is Brought To You Buy	Sat 15th / 17:00	Brewdog
Garrett Millerick: 20/20	Fri 7th / 21:30	Brewdog
Garrett Millerick: 20/20	Sat 8th / 20:00	Brewdog
Garrett Millerick: 20/20	Sun 9th / 20:00	Brewdog
Howard Read: WIP	Sat 8th / 15:00	The Shed
Howard Read: WIP	Sat 15th / 15:00	The Shed
Ivan Brackenbury Supports Tom Binns: The Psychic Comedium	Sat 22nd / 17:30	Hansom Hall
Jack Barry: Alien	Thu 6th / 18:30	Brewdog
Jack Tucker: Comedy Stand-up Hour	Sat 15th / 21:30	Brewdog
Jessica Fostekew: The Hoovering Podcast LIVE	Sun 9th / 14:00	Brewdog
Just The Tonics: Saturday Night Comedy Club	Sat 8th / 20:30	Hansom Hall
Just The Tonics: Saturday Night Comedy Club	Sat 15th / 20:30	Hansom Hall
Just The Tonics: Saturday Night Comedy Club	Sat 22nd / 20:30	Hansom Hall
Kieran Boyd: WIP	Sat 22nd / 19:30	The Shed
Knees Bent Bras Off Ra Ra Ra	Fri 21st / 18:00	The Shed
Laugh Till It Hurts: A BDSM Comedy Show	Sat 22nd / 18:30	Brewdog
Lily Phillips: Smut (WIP)	Sat 8th / 21:00	The Shed
Lily Phillips: Smut (WIP)	Sat 22nd / 18:00	The Shed
Marise Gaughan: Drowning	Sat 15th / 21:00	The Shed
Mark & Haydn: WIP	Fri 14th / 20:00	Brewdog

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Mark & Haydn: WIP	Sat 22nd / 22:30	Brewdog
Matt Hutchinson: Hostile (WIP)	Sat 8th / 18:00	The Shed
Milo Edwards: Pindos	Fri 21st / 19:30	The Shed
Milo Edwards: WIP	Sat 22nd / 16:30	The Shed
Miztli Rose: Mexican Wave (WIP)	Sat 22nd / 21:00	The Shed
Murder Inc.	Thu 20th / 18:30	Brewdog
Nathan D'Arcy Roberts: Is My Dad Denzel Washington?	Sat 8th / 16:30	The Shed
Norris & Parker: Thirst Traps	Fri 7th / 19:30	The Shed
Paul McCaffrey: LEMON	Sat 15th / 19:00	Hansom Hall
Paul Sweeney: Amusements Vol.1 Attraction	Sat 15th / 16:30	The Shed
Phil Green: Warrior Princess	Fri 7th / 21:00	The Shed
Pierre Novellie: WIP	Fri 21st / 17:00	Brewdog
Ray Badran Performs Stand-up Comedy	Fri 21st / 18:30	Brewdog
Richard Todd: WIP	Fri 14th / 18:00	The Shed
Robin Morgan: What a Man, What a Man, What a Man What A Mighty Good Man (Say It Again Now)	Sat 8th / 17:00	Brewdog
Samson and Mabel Charge At You Like An Ox	Sat 8th / 13:30	The Shed
Samson and Mabel Charge At You Like An Ox	Sat 15th / 13:30	The Shed
Shappi Khorsandi: Skittish Warrior... Confessions of a Club Comic	Fri 7th / 19:00	Hansom Hall
Sikisa: I'm a 7 (WIP)	Sat 15th / 18:00	The Shed
Sophie Duker: WIP	Fri 14th / 18:30	Brewdog
Spencer Jones: WIP	Fri 7th / 20:00	Brewdog
Stephen Bailey: Can't Be Bothered	Sat 22nd / 19:00	Hansom Hall
The Oxford Imps	Sat 8th / 18:30	Brewdog
The Oxford Imps	Sun 9th / 18:30	Brewdog
Tickled Pink Comedy Night	Thu 13th / 19:30	Brewdog
Tom Stade: You Ain't Seen Nothing Yet	Fri 21st / 19:00	Hansom Hall
Tom Taylor: Will Be Played By The Understudy (WIP)	Sat 8th / 19:30	The Shed
Travis Jay: WIP	Sat 22nd / 20:00	Brewdog
Will Hodgson: Waffle	Sat 8th / 21:30	Brewdog
Will Penswick: Works of Arts in Progress	Sat 15th / 19:30	The Shed

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