

MagicFest Christmas Special : Collection of Wonders 27-30 December



Yes folks it's true MagicFest is back (and it's not the summer!)

The Edinburgh International Magic Festival takes place at George Square Theatre from 27-30 December 2016.

This is a real addition to all the entertainment already on offer in the city this Christmas and you should be prepared for all the family to be amazed! Kevin Quantum performer and MagicFest Artistic Director will host the show.

Kevin said : "Christmas is so special for me; spending time with family, eating lots of food and of course going to live shows and pantos, which is why I'm so happy to host the inaugural Christmas show for people to enjoy with friends and family right before New Year. With MagicFest's Summer Festival reaching over 10,000 people, this seemed the perfect time for us to offer a new magic experience with a festive twist."

Kevin Quantum – Magician-scientist hybrid trained by Penn and Teller in Las Vegas fuses visual magic with modern technology and unique inventions. His comedy magic shows have twice been nominated at the Scottish Comedy Awards and have received 5 star reviews at the Fringe.

Florian Sainvet – An incredible talent from France and Finalist in the World Magic Championships 2015 and in 'France has got Talent', will present his award-winning futuristic act and a brand new "money from thin air" illusion. He is recognised as one of the best sleight of hand magicians in the world.

Drew McAdam (27th and 28th Dec only) – "Scotland's foremost

mind reader" (BBC, STV, Channel 5) has baffled audiences in US, Russia and across Europe to Africa with his mind-boggling demonstrations of spoon-bending and mind-reading. If you think your thoughts are yours, and yours alone... think again!

Matthew J Dowden – Known as the Dean Martin of magic, he has charmed and enchanted audiences in 20 different countries with his unique show "Magic of the Movies" inspired by Hollywood and his infectious love for classic art of magic.

Lewis Barlow (29th and 30th Dec only) – Edinburgh's sleight of hand master. The magic Lewis performs has been developed and closely guarded by the world's greatest magicians over the last two hundred years. BBC consultant and past president of the Edinburgh Magic Circle, Lewis is one of Scotland's finest prestidigitators.

Tickets:

Tickets are on sale now at www.magicfest.co.uk

By Phone – 0131 226 0006

In person – Fringe Box Office, 180 High Street, Edinburgh, EH1 1QS

£18/£16 conc/£14 child

There are NO additional booking fees for MagicFest Christmas tickets

Dates & Venue

Tuesday 27th – Friday 30th December

Shows at 2pm and 7pm – 2hrs with interval

George Square Theatre, University of Edinburgh, George Square, Edinburgh, EH8 9LD

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