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Sold-out critically acclaimed Edinburgh Fringe sensation 'An Evening Without Kate Bush' to transfer to Soho Theatre 18 May - 6 June



"Sarah-Louise Young has crafted a sweet and, by the end, communal exploration of what it means to be a maverick, and to be the person who likes mavericks.

Much more of this woman's work, please."

The Times



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After its smash-hit sold-out Edinburgh run, critically acclaimed chaotic cabaret cult **AN EVENING WITHOUT KATE BUSH** is to transfer to Soho Theatre, London from 18 May - 6 June.

## Press night: Wednesday 20 May at 8.30pm

Over a career spanning five decades, Kate Bush has always attracted loyal and devoted followers. This unique and mindblowing new show celebrates their stories.

Uber-fan or Bush newbie? Join performer Sarah-Louise Young to howl with *The Hounds of Love* and dance on the moors with *Wuthering Heights*. Kate's not there, but you are...

From releasing *Wuthering Heights* at the age of 19 to selling out the Hammersmith Apollo nearly 40 years later, Kate Bush has always surprised and confounded her critics. Through it all her fans have stayed strong. In this unique and mind-blowing show Young invites you to celebrate her ground-breaking music.

**AN EVENING WITHOUT KATE BUSH** is from the makers of *Julie Madly Deeply*. But completely different.

Produced by David Johnson & John Mackay by arrangement with Corrie McGuire Management.

A pre-London tour launches at the Tobacco Factory, Bristol (30 April - 3 May) - full tour dates attached.



"Sarah-Louise Young delivers a true masterpiece that only she (and potentially Kate Bush) could pull off"

Broadway Baby



"Sarah-Louise Young's attention to detail and vocal styling is meticulous, but it's her rapport with the audience that sets this show apart, reinventing the tribute act by turning it around and celebrating the fans too"

The Stage

Best of Festival #1 Cabaret Pick Edinburgh Evening News





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### Sarah-Louise Young

Sarah-Louise is an actress, writer, director and internationally renowned cabaret performer. She has appeared in the West End with *Julie Madly Deeply*, Fascinating Aïda, La Soirée and Olivier winning improvised musical group, The Showstoppers. Named one of Time Out's Top 10 Cabaret Acts and voted Best Musical Variety Act in the London Cabaret Awards, she has also been nominated for an Offie and awarded The Stage Award for Acting. As well as mainstream success on television and radio, she has toured extensively, both in the UK and internationally, including three invitations to the prestigious Adelaide Cabaret Festival and a New York run. She is one half of writing and performing duo, Roulston & Young with whom she is currently creating a new musical, *Maxa, The Most Assassinated Woman In The World*.

# **Russell Lucas (Director)**

Russell Lucas is a London-based artist who creates work for the theatre and screen. His projects range from *Julie Madly Deeply*, to directing performance art films for Hendog Leisure. He has directed two UK premieres: *The Fat Man's Wife by Tennessee* Williams and *The Understudy* by Theresa Rebeck, as well as developing work with The Boy With Tape On His Face, Sh!t Theatre, NYC writer Roger Bennington and *Warped* at the VAULT Festival. As a passionate arts educator he delivers creative workshops for The Donmar Warehouse and for The CMK Foundation in South Korea, and has just wrapped on *Theatremakers* for Digital Theatre TV. Twitter: @Russelucas www.RussellLucas.com



"A brilliant dissection of the diva's genius' Sarah-Louise Young wows with a tribute to a true one-off"

Attitude



"A masterclass"
Musical Theatre Review



"This was one of the greatest hours of my life!"
West End Wilma

# LISTINGS INFO

David Johnson & John Mackay, by arrangement with Corrie McGuire Management present

# An Evening Without Kate Bush

Soho Theatre Downstairs 21 Dean Street, London W1D 3NE

Monday 18 May -Saturday 6 June

at 8.30pm

Press Night Wednesday 20 May at 8.30pm

Tickets: £14 - £20

Box Office 020 7478 0100 or book online at www.sohotheatre.com

Age Recommendation: 16+

Running time: 1 hour

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# PRE-LONDON UK TOUR

Thursday 30 April - Sunday 3 May **BRISTOL** 

Tobacco Factory

Friday 8 May
MAIDENHEAD
Norden Farm

Saturday 9 May **CAMBRIDGE**The Junction

Friday 15 May **SOUTHAMPTON** Hanger Farm Arts Centre

Saturday 16 May

BATH

Theatre Royal Ustinov Studio

Tuesday 9 June **WIGAN**The Old Courts

Wednesday 10 June & Thursday 11 June **MANCHESTER** 

The Hope Mill Theatre

Sunday 14 June **LEEDS**City Varieties

Friday 19 June **SHREWSBURY** Theatre Severn

Saturday 20 June **NORTHAMPTON** Royal & Derngate

Sunday 21 June BURY ST EDMUNDS Theatre Royal