



# The Edinburgh Young Theatre Company

SPRING-FLING '90.



## THREE COMEDY PLAYS

in association with Samuel French Ltd  
and New Playwright's Network

### GHOST WRITER

by N J Warburton

### YOU, ME AND Mrs JONES

by Tony Horitz

### TOO MANY PEBBLES

by Ted Sharpe



Wednesday 6th and Thursday 7th June 1990 at 7.30pm

in the Assembly Rooms, George Street, Edinburgh

PROGRAMME

THE CITY OF EDINBURGH DISTRICT COUNCIL  
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# GHOST WRITER

by N J Warburton

Jeffrey...a writer  
Belinda...a writer  
Ghost  
Mrs Spruce  
Colonel  
Butler  
Vicar  
Maid  
Colonel's Wife  
Clarrissa...her cousin  
Director  
Mr Cashflow  
Arnold  
Police Officer  
Ron  
Mavis  
Edwin  
Vera  
King  
Queen  
Messenger

Simon Stephens  
Janice MacGregor  
Robin Wray  
Sharron Hyde  
Michael Hume  
Kate Galloway  
Scott Somerville  
Rebecca Knowles  
Lindsay Brown  
Gillian Haggarty  
Lorna MacGregor  
Angus Young  
David Tatton  
Kate Galloway  
Derek Black  
Leanne Carey  
Anthony Fletcher  
Lucy Paterson  
Charis Shields  
Catriona Trueman  
Hannah Engleman  
of the company

Convicts & policemen - Members

The play directed by Ian Dewar

## TOO MANY PEBBLES

by Ted Sharpe



Vince...a photographer  
Jack  
Doris...his wife  
Claudius...their son  
Peter  
Biggs...a deckchair attendant  
Young Man  
Young Girl  
Photographer's Model  
Dog

Simon Stephens  
Derek Black  
Lorna MacGregor  
Gary Young  
Tim Young  
Fraser Heeps  
Chris Williams  
Sharron Hyde  
Lucy Paterson  
Timmy

The play directed by Archie Alexander

## YOU, ME AND Mrs JONES

by Tony Horitz



Scene One - A meeting with Jack  
Two - At Legless Lenny's  
Three - In another Street  
Four - Inside the 'Booties' Tent  
Five - In the Street  
Six - Outside the Hippodrome  
Seven - Inside the Hippodrome  
Eight - Back in the street outside  
Nine - Inside the Television Shop  
Ten - Back at Jack's bin

Songs: We Need Heroes  
Song of the Unemployed  
We like dogs  
When we go shopping

Jack  
 Nobody/Somebody  
 No-one/Someone  
 Zap } Members of  
 Pow } Lenny's  
 Crunch } Gang  
 Lenny  
 Lena  
 McConnemall  
 Leader of the Booties  
 Pop Fan One  
 Pop Fan Two  
 Pop Fan Three  
 Bouncer  
 The Electric Crusader  
 Cat Girl  
 Thunder Woman  
 Superflash Gordon  
 Photographer One  
 Photographer Two  
 T V Presenters  
 Guinevere  
 Lancelot  
 King Arthur  
 First Childrens' Show Presenter  
 Second Childrens' Show Presenter  
 Third Childrens' Show Presenter - Jeremy  
 First Hoodlum  
 Second Hoodlum  
 Girl in trouble  
 Detective Itchy  
 Sergeant Crutch  
 Nick Bethjain (alias Jack)  
 Mrs Jones  
 Mr Jones  
 The Jones children

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 Members of  
 'The Heroes'

Gordon Hamilton  
 Ben Kerr  
 Isabel Wright  
 Jennifer Cant  
 Leanne Carey  
 Stephanie Coyle  
 Stephen Dewar  
 Susan Jeffreys  
 Janice MacGregor  
 Gary Young  
 Laura Jeffrey  
 Lisa Polland  
 Kathleen Fraser  
 Rebecca Knowles  
 Scott Somerville  
 Leanne Carey  
 Janice MacGregor  
 Chris Williams  
 Hannah Engleman  
 Emma Carey  
 Jennifer Cant  
 Lisa Polland  
 David Tatton  
 Gary Young  
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 Gillian Haggarty  
 Gary Young  
 Emma Carey

'Booties' and Fans - Members of the company

The Action takes place in a downtown neighbourhood.  
 Time ... the present

Song Lyrics by Tony Horitz  
 Original music for this production by Tim Young

The play directed by Ian Dewar

Music played by Keyboard - Tim Young  
 Percussion - Fraser Heeps

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INTERVALS: There will be a short break between 'Ghost Writer' and 'Too Many Pebbles' and a full INTERVAL before 'You, Me and Mrs Jones'.

THE EDINBURGH YOUNG THEATRE COMPANY

Artistic Director/Chairman  
Company Manager/Secretary  
Musical Director

Ian Dewar  
Archie Alexander  
Tim Young

Lighting  
Stage Management  
Props  
Sets

Michael Hume  
Patrick Pollock & Rachel Fairley  
Eleanor Carter  
Bill Hume

E.Y.T.C. Members Council: Jack Tarlton, Derek Black, Patrick Pollock, Simon Stephens, Sharron Hyde, Charis Shields.

The Company gratefully acknowledges the support and assistance of:  
Edinburgh District Council ARTS OUTREACH TEAM  
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Edinburgh Area Scout Centre - use of halls  
Edinburgh Gilbert & Sullivan Society - staging  
Edinburgh Gang Show - costumes  
Murray Donald, Photographers - loan of camera  
Alastair McArthur, Technical Manager for 'Spring Fling'  
Samuel French Limited & New Playwright's Network  
Mike Grainger - Publicity Photographs

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WELCOME to the Edinburgh Young Theatre Company's latest production. It is just over a year since the company was formed, and what a diverse and exciting time it has been.

We started with around 15 young people with whom we had worked before and set about creating a new venture within which the young people themselves would have a major say in the running of the Group. The excitement of staging our 1989 Edinburgh Festival Fringe Show 'Our Day Out' by Willy Russell; the joy of seeing the House Full signs going up on the last two nights; the various outings, workshops and readings when we have tried out new ideas; a 'Works in Progress' presentation to parents and friends; and our taking of two one act plays to the Scottish National Association of Youth Theatre Festival in Glasgow, 'Ghost Writer' and 'The Fifteen Minute Hamlet', have all been highlights.

Thank you all for your support, and we hope that you will all enjoy our choice of plays this evening. If you know of any young people aged around 11 - 17 years who would like to join us, please let us know.

OUR NEXT PRODUCTION:

**DAVY**

A new musical based on the early life  
of David Copperfield

Music & Lyrics by  
JOHN DUNCAN

Book by DAN CASSIDY  
and JOHN DUNCAN

South Leith Parish Church Hall

27 August - 1 September 1990

Tickets: £3 (Conc. £2)

EYTC 24 hour Ticket Hotline:  
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