

Arts & Entertainment

NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYNE

3 Sweeney Todd
The Demon Barber of Fleet Street chops his wicked way through unsuspecting victims in CB Bond's play which inspired the Sondheir

musical. New Victoria Theetre, Etruria Road (0782-717962) Apr 23, 25-28, 30, May 16-19, 21, 23-26, 28, 7-30pm, Apr 29, May 20, 27, 8pm, mat Apr 21, 2.30pm, £4.50-£8, concs available.

NOTTINGHAM III The Man Wh

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III The Man Who
Peter Brook Indo his distinctive theatrical
vision and an international troups of purform
ers to his version of Cliefer Sack's best-selfThe Man Who Mistook his Wife For A Hat.
Notingham Playbruse, Wainignion Cricus
(0602-419419) Azr 26-90, 7.30pm, £15,
concs available, IMA

III Me And Miy Glirl
Andrew O'Comor stars as the barrow boy
made good in this hit cornedy musical
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made good in this hit correct, musical packed with cockney revely and, of course, The Lambeth Walk, with Robecca Thomhil. Theatre Royal, Theatre Squar, Theatre Squar, Theatre Squar, Theatre Squar, Theatre Squar, Charles Square, Sat 2.30pm, Mon-Sat 7.30pm, mats Wed 2pm, Sat 2.30pm, to Apr 30, £8-225.50, concs available.

Wed 2am, Sat 2.30pm, to Apr 30, 28-225.50, conce available.

■ Pygmallon
Josic Lawrence stars as Biza, appearantly a fet-long armbition, alongside Christopher? to thy in a new stage vession of Boorge Bernard Stark's Season (by). [9602-4 1941-9] Apr 23, 7.30pm, 24-212, conce available. [WA]

OLDHAM

II Rockwisi
Christopher Lilicrap turns from pentomime to rock musical with his 190s incarnation of Dracula as a mean and moody dude who's make made.

SCARBOROUGH
Communicating Doors
Alan Aydbourn leaves the double-glazed petio doors behind in favour of a rather mor sinister door connecting two hotel moors in his 46th play about a woman fleeing for her

his 48th play about a woman feeing for her file.
Stephen Joseph Theatre in the Round, Valley Bridge (1723-370541/cs 378853), Apr 26-30, May 10-14, 7-30,pm, mat Apr 30, 3 pm.
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7-30pm, to July 30, 25.50-28.50, concs available, (WA)

SCUNTHORPE

Little Shop of Horrors
Abloodthirsty plant and a nextly shop assistant/oinforces to feed the plant's gournet habit in the Little Theatre Cub's production of this monster musical. The Plowright Theatre, Laneham Street (0724-840883/cc 280151) Apr 23, 7.30pm, £4-£5, concs available.

The Weekerd
Michael Palin's new domestic comedy stars
Richard Wilson as, you've guessed it, the
etemal grouch with Angela Thome as his wife
whose borne is invaded by unwanted guests.
Lycoum Theatre, Norfok Street (0742-769922) Apr 23, 7,45pm, £7-£18, concs
available.

ST HELENS

BIT Heat To Be You
Nicholas Edwards' sell-out comedy about a young couple batting with life's expectations returns.

The Citadel, Waterloo Street (0744-35436)
Apr 29, 7.30pm, £2-£3.

YORK

About Person Bingular
Alan Aydboum brings his own brand of social emberrassment to three couples cele-brating three successive Christmas Eves, with Francis Matthews and Geogran Hales Crand Open House, Cumbnish Stinet (1994-671616) Ayz 25-29, 7, 30, ym, Ayr 30, 5 ym 8, 8, 30, ym, mat Ayr 27, 2, 30, ym, DB-12, 50, conca available.

■ Godspelf

Neighbours' hunk Felice Arena stars in Stephen Schwartz's hippie rock musical based on the bible.

Grand Opera House, Cumberland Street (0904-671818) Apr 23, 5pm & 5pm, £8-£15, concs available.

■ Peacock
Doo Cot use their blend of two ancient pup-petry tochniques in a moving alegory about a local eccentric who encounters homophobic hasted from a neighbouring estate. York Arts Centre, Micklegate 19304-627129) Apr 26 & 27, 8pm, £5.50, concs £4.50, [WA]

ROCK/JAZZ

ASHTON-UNDER-LYNE

This Joint is Jumping
Nostalgic tribute to Fats Waler fronted by
dummer Join Petters and featuring Harlem
Stride piano pedant Newte Dickle.

B Finbar Furey, Stockton's Wing Celtic folk from the leader of The Fureys. Theatr Gwynedd, Ffordd Deiniol (0248-351708) Apr 23, 8pm, £10. [WA]

BRADFORD Descon Blu

■ Descon Blue
The Scots pop passion-mongers reproduce selections from their new Greatest Hits album.

St George's Hall, Bridge Street (0274-752000/cc 752677) Apr 26, 7.30pm, phone for availability.

Albert Lee & Hogan's Heroes
Technically outstanding country rock

guitarist. St George's Hall, Bridge Street (0274-752000/cc752677) Apr 27, 7,30pm, £8.

75200/cc r recomplements of the Magnum Pomp-rock standard bearers, St George's Hall, Bridge Street (0274-752000/cc 752677) Apr 29, 7.30pm, 29.50.

■ Terrorvision

Rising funk-metal band.

University of Bradford, Richmond Road (0274-383266) Apr 25, 7.30pm, £6.

BRIERLBY HILL

Townes Van Zandt
Revend Texan folk and country singer-song-writer, recently brought to the attention of a new generation by Tinderstoks' cover of his Kethleon. Kathleen. Robin Hood Inn (0384-456679) Apr 26, 8pm,

nk Wangford And The Lost

Cowboys
Doctor, broadcaster and Country lover.
Met Arts Centre, Market Street (061-761
2216) Apr 23, 8pm, £7, concs £6. [WA]

CHESTER
B John Renbourn
Folk guitar virtuoso of Pentangle fame.
Tefords Warshouse, Tower Wharf (0244-390090) Apr 25 & 27, 8pm, £4.

DONCASTER

The Macc Lads
Politically incorrect berry singalongs.
Dorne, Bawty Road (0302-370999) Apr 29,
7.30pm, 27.50.

HUDDERSFIELD

Rev Hammer
For Landbadour with New Model Army
and Landless connections.
University of Huddersfeld Students Union,
Queenspate (M84-538156) Apr 27, 7,30pm,
phone for prices.

HULL
BLa Cucins
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Cocking Latin/folk/world music big band,
Buc Larra, Norlok Street (0482-29833) Apr
28, 8pm, 24,
BT The Dough Boys
Credible Caread an power-pop.
Adiph/ Cht, Do Grey Street (0482-48216)
Apr 24, 8pm, 23.50.
BL Goorge Melly and John Chillton's
Feetwarmers
Like him or loathe him, the portly polymath
Is one of the hardest working reconstruction
the biz.

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Hull Truck Theatre, Spring Street (0482-23638)
Apr 24, 7, 45pm, phone for prices. [WA]

BPulp
Offbeet kitchen sink pop from engaging eccentric Janvis Cooker.

■ Sarah Wintergreen and Graham Galtrey Tasteful standards jazz courtesy of clarinettist Galtrey and vocalist Wintergreen. Pipers Cub (0482-43012) Apr 27, 9pm, £4, concs £2.

LEEDS III The Big 5

E The Big 5
Starewist group led by Jernie Bele Star and featuring ex-members of the Speciels. The Selectior and Bad Manners.
The Duchess, Victor Lene (0532-453929) Apr 29, 7 Jüppn, 155.
E Christine Collister
Polic and jazz standards and originals delivered with great modely and equal belief control. York Read (0532-450887) Apr 29, 6 Jun, 154-50.
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28, cpm, to-up. **B Collapsed Lung**Indis-friendly Harlowrap crew.

The Duchess, Vicar Lane (0632-453929) Apr 5, 7.30pm, £4. Cud, My Life Story

M.S. Town & Country Outs, Cookridge Street (0532-800100) Apr 28, 7pm, 27.50. III Huggy Bear The original Riot Girrls, still fighting for that boy-girl revolution through primitive punk

boy-gir francision in sugar puriods.
The Duchess, Vicar Lane (0532-453929) Apr. 23, 7:30cm, 24.

28. Eleanor McEvoy
Irish star, formerly with Mary Black's band, who spring to fame with Only A Woman's Money.

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Heart.
City Varieties Music Hall, Syvan Street (D63243080) Apr 27, 7.30pm, b5.50-65.0.

The Meteors
Purk rockably band beam in from the glory
days of Nub Foot and The Batcave.
The Duchess, Voral Lang (D632-459929) Apr
28, 7.30pm, b4.

If Maccol Partier & Roots Revisited
The second most famous sax-playing Partier
turks it to and meshes infinitable (fryou
Riky) Synth Hall, Leeds University, Liston
Place (D532-439071) Apr 23, 8pm, 67.50.

See From.
Leads Metropoitan University, Calverley
Street (0532-430171) Apr 26, 7.30pm,
26.50.

The Rollins Band
Tattooed but sensitive hardinan of hardco Leeds Metropolitan University, Calverley Street (0532-430171) Apr 28, 7.30pm, £7.50.

Street (652-45) 71) Arg 28, 7.30pm.
27.50.

Wather Trout Band
One-time Busstmaker guitarist receiving ever greater praise.
Intel Certine, York Road (1632-480887) Apr.
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LIVERPOOL

Megnum See Bradford. Royal Court, Roe Street (051-709 4321) Apr 28, 7,30pm, £8.50.

LLANGOLLEN

The Kathryn Tickell Band
Renowned Northumbrian piper.
ECTARC, Castle Street (0978-861514) Apr
29, 8pm, 25.

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MANCHESTER

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Highly rated atin tan-piace from the North
West featuring Dawe Hassel, Murch Manship
Band On The Wall, Swan Street (681-82

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Band On The Wall, Swan Street (061-832 6625) Apr 27, 8.30pm, £5-£6.

III. La Cuschia
Snot Huli.
Pl Berlin, Oldram Street (051-834 4266) Apr
29, gpm, 24.

Almee Mann
Soston singer-songwitter/bassist with a self-consolously literary sir.
Manchester University, Oxford Road (061-275 2930) Apr 23, 7,50pm, 28,50.

Is Mart Rodger Manchester-Jazz
Lively North Wisst trad septert.
Didsbury Oriotis Cub., Wilmshow Road, Didsbury (051-445 5347) Apr 25, 8,30pm, free.

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In Morphine
Extraordnary Boston trio whose combination
of two-string side bass, beritone sax and
drums somehow produces some of the best
and least off-puttingly arty jazz/rock/soul

heard in years. Manchester University, Oxford Road (061-275 2930) Apr 26, 7.30pm, 25. Ill Pulp See Hull.

See Leeds.
March 287. Oxford Road (061275.2800) Apr 28,7. 30pm, £8,50.

8 senser
Rap, thrash and regize fusion from South London's defamily British answer to Rape Against The Machine. Morth 26 of 1061Marchester University, Oxford Road (061275.2800) Apr 29,7. 30pm, £8,50.

8 Terrorvision
See Bradford.

Boardwalk, Little Peter Street (061-228 3555 Apr 26, 8pm, £6.

KANTWICH II The Joe Loss Orchestra Immortal swing orchestra. Nartwich Civic Hall, Market Street (0270-628633) Apr 29, 7.30pm, phone for prices.

HOTTINGHAM

R Almoe Mann
See Manchester.
Rock City, Tabot Street (0602-412544) Apr
26, 6pm, 26.50.

Proceeding Labor Street (1992-1912-1917).

R Geny & The Paccemekers, Helen Shaphre, Swingling Bike Jeans Solid Silver 190s show topped by chirpy headth-lakers The Paccemekers.

Royal Concert Hell (1992-482526) Apr 26, 7.30pm, £10.50-£12.50.

ROSSETT

Roy Powell Quartet

Briliant young "Some Other Country" pianist

Powell, plus drummer Torry Fauliner and

tumpeter Richard Ilea.

Ahn Hotel, Station Road (0244-570368) Apr

SHEFFIELD III Cud, My Life Story See Leeds. Sheffield University Students Union, Western Bank (0742-724076) Apr 27, 7,30pm, 57.50.

III Almoe Mann See Manchester. Leadmil, Leadmil Road (0742-754500) Apr 24, 8:30pm, 26.50. III The Pretenders ■ The Pretenders

Ohissie Hynde returns to rock, apparently with renewed vigour after a period of being more interested in techno projects, boxing and mitten vegetafersis.

Leadmil, Leadmil Road (0742-754500) Apr

6. 8.30om, £10.

Indie guitar band who describe their sound as somewhere between Pixies and Throwing

Muses.
Leadmil, Leadmil Road (0742-754500) Apr
23, 8,30pm, 24, concs 23,50.

II Terrorytsion
See Bradford.
Sheffield University Students Union, Westen
Bank (0742-724076) Apr 24, 7pm, £6.

SCUTHPORT II The Kathryn Tickeli Band

See Llangoten.
Southport Theatre, Promenade (0704-540404) Apr 28, 8pm, £8. [WA]

Microward Koel
Post-Fareweil Tour visit from the thespian crooner. Southport Theatre, Promenade (0704-540404) Apr 27, 8pm, phone for prices. [WA]

E Southport Weekender: Sounds Of Bieckness, K-Klass, Carleen

Anderson

Annual dance kness-up with appearances by Minneapolis gospel choir Sounds Of Blackness, Weish ravers K-Ness and former Young Disciple singer Carleson Anderson, Pontins, Shore Road, Arrisdale (0704-577165) Ang-23

STOKE-ON-TRENT E Christine Collister

See Leeds. Biddulph Arms Hotel, Congleton Road (0782-513129) Apr 28, 8pm, £5.

iii XC-NN industrial rock outfit featuring ex-Al About Eve guitarist Tim Bricheno, formerly known as CNN, The Wheatsheet, Church Street (0782-44438) Apr 28, 6pm, 53.50-54.50.

WAKEFIELD

Pete King/Gerard Presencer
Prized betop altost King leads a kidding quintet alongside tumpet typ Presencer.
Wakefed Sports Club, College Grove, Eastmoor Road (924-374900) Apr 29, 8.30pm, 65, conce £4.

WIGAN

E Huggy Bear . See Leeds. The Mil at the Pier, Wigan Pier (0942-825677) Apr 24, 7.30pm, £3.

Torl Amos, The Divine Comedy North Carolinan Kate Bush-alike baring all on her latest alburn, Under The Pink, with sup-port from unclassifiable Irish ministral Neil

port from unclasshable insh ministral Nel Hanon.
Barbican Centre, Barbican Road (0904-656688) Apr 24, 7,30pm, £11.

Pete King/Gerard Presencer
Sen Weisredd York Arts Centre, Micklegate (0904-627129) Apr 28, 8pm, £5, concs £4. [WA]

CABARET

COLWYN BAY

If Two Old Farts in the Night: Barry
Cryor & Willie Rushton
Those lauded Kings of Radio 2 present song,
banter and quick reportee.
Theatr Colwyn, Aborgole Road (0492532558) Apr 24, 7.30pm, £10, concs £8.

MANCHESTER

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7482) Arz 28, 8, 15pm, 25.
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Gyor Drama benefit with City of Drama
patron, local-born lass and comedy in fourul

SHEFFIELD

B Last Laugh Comedy Club

Resident MC Roper Monkhouse, plus awardwinning Ardal O'Hanlon and sightly sureal

Smon Lipson.

The Springsol, Commonside (0742666260) Apr 28, 8.30pm, 53.50, concs

DANCE

BANGOR

Transitions Dance Company
The best new dancers from the Laban centre present a diverse programme of work by innovative choreographers from around the

world. Theatr Gwynedd, Ffordd Deiniol (0248-351708) Apr 25 & 26, phone for details. [WA] HULL The Scottish Ballet: The Sleeping

Beauty
Produced by the company's artistic director
Galina Samsova, with sumptuous costumes
designed by Jasper Conran.
New Theathe, Kingston Square (0.482226655/co 226996) Apr 23, 2pm & 7.30pm,
18-523, mats half price, [WA]

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