

Change the Act Cockadoodlemoo by Callum O'Rourke and Paul Tame



A MOO-sical filled with heart for the whole family delves into a story of real friendship, even between the most unlikely friends

Dixie, a prized cow past her 'hay day' has been left all alone but will never give up hope that one day the farm will be filled with friends and neighbours once again. Her world is turned upside down when she meets Phea, a fox, who has not had the easiest life and only cares to look out for herself. The two do not see eye to eye but they decide to give friendship a chance with the help of Tags the pup and Mimi the sheep. The four have a lot to learn about friendship, loneliness and not judging a book by its cover, before they can bring out the best in each other and realise that any friend worth having is worth waiting for.

The creators, **Callum O'Rourke** and **Paul Tame**, have both worked with children, in different capacities, for a long time. When they came together to write a show they decided a children's musical seemed like the obvious choice. Paul has worked in the West End as a performer for 15 years but gave it up to teach piano and focus on his composing skills. Paul went back to university in 2014, as a mature student, to study. Callum recently graduated from London College of Music, having achieved a first class degree in musical theatre. During his training he worked teaching children dance, drama and singing and has carried this on as a graduate. Both realised that theatre for children, especially during holidays, is quite limited and agreed that nothing inspired either of them more, when they were children, than going to the theatre with their families. **Cockadoodlemoo!** is more than just a piece of theatre. It has heart and is a way of giving children something special that they can keep with them for a long time.

Imagine yourself as a child in a storybook and you are already in the world of **Cockadoodlemoo!** But don't worry – you won't be alone in creating the world of story, a passionate team have worked hard to create various styles of music, vibrant colours and a mash up of textures that will help you to delve into our story of real friendship, even between the most unlikely of friends. An adventure filled with heart for the whole family, featuring the art of storytelling and brand new songs. Be captured by the spark between the unlikely farmyard friends when their stories intertwine.

Listings Information

Venue C too, St Columba's by the Castle, Johnston Terrace, EH1 2PW, venue 4
 Dates 3-19 Aug
 Time 13:45 (0h50)
 Ticket prices £7.50-£9.50 / concessions £5.50-£7.50 / under 18s £3.50-£5.50
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