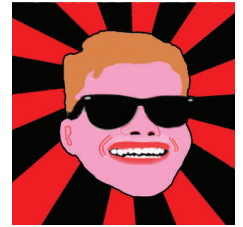


Hambone
Hambone : enobmah
 by Tom Hamblin



Based on the notion that he just wants to be loved, Hambone is a one-man hurricane that tears through the frustration, stupidity and inadequacy of millennial masculinity

A daring, new character comedy from **Tom Hamblin**, **Hambone** aims to crack open the skull of manhood, to let his psyche out to play in 50 minutes of unpredictable buffoonery.

At its heart, **Hambone** explores what men are prepared to do to themselves for love and affection, be that a quick fumble in the dark or an earnest courtship, he twists himself, contorting to your every need, your every whim – but why? Having studied at the Arts University Bournemouth, where a fledgling **Hambone** first evolved, **Tom Hamblin** cites his influences **Phil Burgers** and **Eric Davies** as inspiration but this show is, by no means a tribute to either.

Tom Hamblin aspires to create something uniquely his own, he explains: 'I wouldn't say the show was clown or bouffon in particular, though it has elements of both I guess. My main aim was to create something I thought would be funny and different to what people may feel they have seen before. But at the same time, there should be something familiar in there too. The guys in **Hambone** are all people that we know, I think people that we all know...'

Hambone is written and performed by **Tom Hamblin**, in development with **Tony Trigwell-Jones** and supported by Arlington Arts Centre, Newbury.

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Venue	C royale , Royal Society of Edinburgh, 22 George Street, EH2 2PQ, venue 6
Dates	2-28 Aug (not 15)
Time	22:30 (0h55)
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