

## FRINGE PRESS RELEASE : CHILDREN'S COMEDY DRAMA

FAT CAT PRODUCTIONS presents

# CUTLERY WARS

Black comedy for kids

WARNING! This is not a normal children's play. There are no songs. No joining in. No happy ending. Imagine you can't leave school unless you pass your exams.

Bob and Dave are trying to pass Year Six. The King of the Spoons and The King of the Forks are locked in battle. What will happen if someone wins? Carey Marx and Matt Kirshen star in this experimental, satirical, black comedy for kids over seven and anyone who went to school.

*Humpty Dumpty sat on a wall.  
Humpty Dumpty had a really poodle fall.  
All the King's lobsters  
And all the King's Indonesian children  
Couldn't put Humpty together again.*

Find answers to really important questions, like "**why do we go to school?**" and "**why do grown ups do what they're told?**" If you can't handle that, Dalmation off and see something with primary colours you Spaniel.

### THE AUTHOR

Cutlery Wars is the product of the fiendish mind of James Campbell, the world's only stand-up comedian for children and creator of the Comedy Club 4 Kids. Campbell's surreal comedy for kids, "The Onomatopoeia Society", received critical and popular acclaim at the Edinburgh Fringe 2005. Campbell has performed all over the world in places as far afield as Australia, New Zealand, London, Canada, Malaysia, Broadway and Rotherham. James lives in London, writes plays and stories and makes marmalade.

Lovely things people said about James Campbell's writing

"Campbell truly understands how to write comedy for kids and adults. Quite a feat."

The Stage

"The enchanting silliness of someone like Spike Milligan" The List

"Crazy... product of an unbalanced but dexterous mind." \*\*\*\*\* Three Weeks

"I thought one of my children was going to die with laughter." Springhill Primary

14:30, (55mins) Smirnoff Baby Belly 3

Previews : 3-4, £4.00

5-6, 11-13, 18-20, 25-27, £7.00 (£6.00)

7-10, 15-17, 21-24, £6.00 (£5.00)

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