Award Winning Musical Comedian Edy Hurst is banging the attention drum for his debut full length show 'Hurst Schmurst' straight from the cutting edge of comedy and into this press release. The much anticipated show from the endlessly inventive comic combines oddball quick fire songs and loop pedal mischief, along with a puppet demanding him to talk about his mental health.

Having been nominated for the BBC New Comedy Award, Winning Tickled Pig 2013, People's Champion of the Great Yorkshire Fringe new act 2017, Harrogate comedian of the year finalist 2017, and appearing on MTV UK, BBC Radio 4 and Radio 4 Extra, the evidence is mounting that he might actually be quite very good at doing funny things.

Charmingly askew, and quick gaining a name as a master of deadpan absurdism, Edy Hurst's show will be making its Leicester Comedy Festival Debut at Heroes @ The Criterion on the 19<sup>th</sup> February at 8.15pm, tickets are £5 in advance, or free/ pay what you want on the night.

http://comedy-festival.co.uk/event/edy-hurst-hurst-schmurst/

Other performances at Leicester comedy Festival:

9<sup>th</sup> February – Cinema Para-Discount and Edy Hurst Present the Big Lebowski: Where Edy will be performing live music and loop pedal things, alongside interactive audience games during a showing of the cult classic.

Attenborough Arts Centre, 7pm

http://comedy-festival.co.uk/event/the-big-lebowski-presented-by-edy-hurst-and-cinema-para-discount/

19<sup>th</sup> February – Megazone presents Comedy Tag – Kids Show: Edy will be a space pirate as he takes an small army of space urchins, aboard a ship to plunder the treasures whilst fighting off aliens, bureaucrats and everything in between.

Megazone Leicester, 1pm

http://comedy-festival.co.uk/event/megazone-presents-comedy-tag-kids-show/

22<sup>nd</sup> February – Comedian Art Gallery Tour:

Attenborough Arts Centre, 6.30pm

http://comedy-festival.co.uk/event/comedy-art-gallery-tour/

Edy is available for interviews, or writing articles (as he has done previously for The Skinny, NARC, Broadway Baby, Off the Mic w/ Martin Walker and many more).

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