



**PRESS RELEASE: LAUGHING HORSE FREE FESTIVAL COMEDY SHOW EDINBURGH 2023**

**Luke Connell, 'Our Place in the World', a comedy show about Billy no-mates Britain**

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**Dates:** 3-27 August 2023 (not 15)  
**Time:** 3.40pm (55 mins)  
**Venue:** Laughing Horse at City Café (Nineties), 19 Blair St, Edinburgh EH1 1QR, Venue 85

**Age recommendation:** 12+  
**Tickets:** PWYW, or from <https://tickets.edfringe.com/whats-on/our-place-in-the-world>

**Short summary:**

Sure, Britain's got talent, but has it got any friends? In his new comedy show, Luke Connell tackles Britain's weird habits, awkward dating history and pickled eggs. Expect puns, parody and a song about all eight King Henries. As heard on BBC Radio 4. 'Smart writing' (NARC Magazine).

**Long summary:**

Billy no-mates Britain doesn't get on with Europe, with the other continents, or even with itself. But we're not quite the North Korea of Europe, because we've still got our pints, our wounded pride and our mixed bag of princes. In his debut solo show, Luke Connell asks: why do we love our inglorious royals? Why is the only modern British heroic act the feat of going to every single Wetherspoon's? Why are pickled eggs still around? Expect puns, parody and a song about all eight King Henries. As heard on BBC Radio 4's In Our Time. 'Smart writing' (NARC Magazine).

**About Luke Connell:**

Luke Connell is a stand-up comedian based in Newcastle and a regular performer for the Stand Comedy Club and at comedy clubs around the UK. His material involves props, songs and whimsical takes on politics and history, especially on our national heroes and anti-heroes. 'Our Place in the World' is his debut solo show.

**Images available on Dropbox:**

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/ql0tq4t8pffkcbe/AAAsQ8rMe89CJtL9L0Cu3k0Va?dl=0>