

THE GLOBE THEATRE

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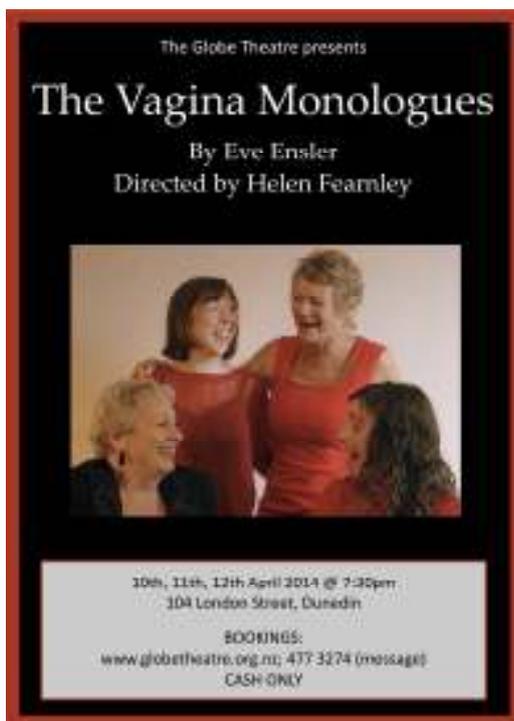
27th March – 7th April



Directed by Jeffrey Vaughan

Sister George is a much-loved character in the popular English radio series, *Appleshurst*; a district nurse who ministers to the medical needs and personal problems of the local villagers. In real life, however, the actor (June Buckridge) is a gin-guzzling, cigar-chomping woman, the antithesis of the sweet character she plays. But ratings are falling and June is terrified that her character of Sister George is due for the chop. The play is a comedy but one with darker undertones and, 50 years after it was written, still packs a punch.

What the ODT described this week as our "hectic autumn programme" continues with:



Ensler's 1996 play, a series of monologues given by different women, all relating to different aspects of women's sexuality, has been performed and updated every year, in countless countries, and continues to engage/ enrage/ delight (depending on your point of view) every time.

Ticket prices for both productions:
\$15 Globe members, \$22 adult, \$18 concession and groups, \$10 high school students.
Opening Night Special \$15 all

... and then, the next day, April 13th, at 2.00pm:

At the moment, "Who am I?"

Written and performed by Louise Petherbridge



(Louise and friends in *The Road to Mecca* at the Globe)

Louise writes, "*At the moment, "Who am I?"* is rather like an engine that's been taken to bits and is now lying all over the garage floor. However, by April 13th it should be a reasonably presentable jaunt through revelation, fun, sadness and a bit of 'near the bone' - just to keep people cheering. Oh yes, and a glass or two of mulled wine. Cheers! See you there."

All tickets \$20

Future Globe Productions

29 May-7 June *The History Boys* by Alan Bennett

13-14 June *Lady Susan* by Jane Austen and Robert Moss

24 July- 2 August *A Midsummer Night's Dream* by William Shakespeare

8-10 August *Raising the Roof* (A variety show)

25 September - 4 October *The Choice* by Claire Luckham

18-19 October *PlayFest* (A weekend of readings of new NZ plays)

Other 'Roof Repair' Fundraising

Quiz Night: Kensington Tavern, **May 12th** 7.30pm

Teams of 4-6 people, each paying \$5. Prizes and LOTS of raffles. This event is again being organised by Julie Cecchi, who will take orders for tickets and cheques [made out to Friends of the Globe Theatre]. (Address to 30 Harbour Terrace Port Chalmers, Phone 4728754 or email juliececchi@gmail.com for more information.

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