

# THE GREATEST ENTERTAINER\* BRIAN CONLEY

**\*IN HIS PRICE RANGE**

It was announced today (27<sup>th</sup> January) that the multi-talented and irrepressible BRIAN CONLEY will return to the stage with his brand-new variety show The Greatest Entertainer (In His Price Range). This 27-date UK tour will see BRIAN perform new comedy, sketches and songs, alongside some of his best-known and loved retrospective material on the screen and onstage from 24<sup>th</sup> March to the 4<sup>th</sup> June. Tickets are on general sale through BRIAN's website, [www.brianconley.com](http://www.brianconley.com) now.

BRIAN'S TV career spanning over 40 years has seen him win multiple awards including a *National Television Award* for Most Popular Television Performer; star in the *British Comedy Award* winning sitcom Time After Time (ITV); host the 'most-watched light entertainment programme' (The Sunday Times) The Brian Conley Show (ITV); present the Royal Variety Performance (ITV and BBC) an incredible five times and appear as a performer a further six times; star in the popular ITV sitcom, The Grimleys; be invited to perform for an invited audience of celebrity guests with ITV's An Audience With...., joining a list of stars including BILLY CONNOLLY, ELTON JOHN and DAME EDNA EVERAGE; present the BBC National Lottery game show, We've Got Your Number; host Sky Television's quiz show Timeline and present two series of BBC One's, The TV That Made Me, which took its audience on a journey through the ages of television.

As well-known for his work on the stage, BRIAN debuted in musical theatre with the lead role in Me and My Girl, before going on to cement his reputation with the *Olivier Award*-winning Jolson at the Victoria Palace Theatre, where his performance as Al Jolson also saw him secure a personal *Olivier Award* nomination. He went on to win a *TMA Award* for Best Musical Performance for his role in the *What's On Stage Award*-winning Music Man and star in the acclaimed Chitty Chitty Bang Bang, the *Olivier Award*-winning Hairspray and SIR CAMERON MACKINTOSH'S Barnum and Oliver!

BRIAN has recorded three albums (one with the London Philharmonic Orchestra), starred in multiple films, was invited to be the 'special guest' on BOB HOPE'S last world tour and has appeared in over twenty of the UK's biggest pantomime productions. Most recently, BRIAN wrote Robinson Crusoe & the Caribbean Pirates which he also starred in alongside GOK WAN, following their hit pairing in a 2014 production of Cinderella.

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*"Brian Conley is a legend of stage and screen."*  
**The Daily Express**

*"a seasoned pro"*  
**The Daily Mirror**

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# TOUR DATES

Date	Day	Venue
24-Mar-17	Fri	Harrogate Theatre
26-Mar-17	Sun	Northern Stage, Newcastle
27-Mar-17	Mon	Motherwell Concert Hall
29-Mar-17	Wed	Lyceum Theatre, Crewe
30-Mar-17	Thu	Carnegie Theatre & Arts Centre, West Cumbria
01-Apr-17	Sat	Cambridge Junction
06-Apr-17	Thu	Lichfield Garrick Theatre
07-Apr-17	Fri	Thornden Hall, Hampshire
08-Apr-17	Sat	Braintree Arts Theatre
09-Apr-17	Sun	Theatre Royal, Bury St Edmunds
18-Apr-17	Tue	Theatre Royal, Brighton
04-May-17	Thu	Grove Theatre, Dunstable
06-May-17	Sat	Arts Centre, Evesham
07-May-17	Sun	Loughborough Town Hall
08-May-17	Thu	Viva Blackpool
12-May-17	Fri	The Spotlight (formerly Broxbourne Civic Hall), Hoddesdon
13-May-17	Sat	New Alexandra Theatre, Birmingham
14-May-17	Sun	Beck Theatre, Hayes
16-May-17	Tue	Colchester Arts Centre
19-May-17	Fri	White Rock Theatre, Hastings
21-May-17	Sun	Nottingham Playhouse
22-May-17	Mon	Wyvern Theatre, Swindon
23-May-17	Tue	Corn Exchange, Newbury
02-Jun-17	Fri	Westland Theatre, Yeovil
03-Jun-17	Sat	Theatre Royal, Plymouth
04-Jun-17	Sun	Tivoli Theatre, Wimborne