

Jason Manford at Aberystwyth Arts Centre

On Tuesday 17th February, comedian Jason Manford will perform at Aberystwyth Arts Centre. The performance will begin at 8pm. The multi-award winning comedian and star of *8 Out of 10 Cats*, *Live at the Apollo*, *The Secret Policeman's Ball* and *XFM*, embarks on his first solo tour of the UK with this exciting and hilarious show that will have audiences begging for more! The tour includes 94 dates and has so far sold over 42,000 tickets.

Jason Manford is an English writer, comedian, actor, radio and television presenter. He began his comedy career in 1999 when after only seven gigs he was crowned City Life North West Comedian of the Year. A year later he also won the Leicester Mercury Comedian of the Year, and was a finalist in the So You Think You're Funny new act competition. He made his Edinburgh Fringe debut in 2005 with his show *Urban Legend*, which was nominated for the Perrier Award, and the following year won the Chortle Award for Best Breakthrough Act. He has performed stand-up in venues across the UK, including the Comedy Store and Jongleurs, and has also performed abroad in places as far afield as Dubai, Abu Dhabi, Singapore and China.

"Has a brand of upbeat, one-way banter with one foot in the cheery showmanship of the old school" – CHORTLE

"Engaging and Witty" – THE SUNDAY TIMES

"Manford is a very funny, very engaging performer" - THE SCOTSMAN

"Hilarious" – JOHNNY VEGAS

For more information please just Jason Manford's website at <http://jmanford.co.uk/>

On Tuesday 17th February, award-winning comedian Jason Manford will perform at Aberystwyth Arts Centre. The performance will begin at 8pm. Tickets are priced £14 and are available from Aberystwyth Arts Centre Box Office on 01970 62 32 32 or alternatively book online at www.aber.ac.uk/artscentre.

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