

A Peter n' Chris-tmas Carol **& the Fringe Lottery Party!**

December 9-10, 2016

The Fringe Lottery Party is on December 9 at 5:30pm and is free!

A Peter n' Chris-tmas Carol is on December 9 and 10; doors at 7:30pm and show at 8:00pm.

Both are at Performance Works on Granville Island (1218 Cartwright Street)

Peter n' Chris-tmas tickets: \$25 for regular seats or

\$200 for VIP tables for four people

(VIP tables include wine, drink tickets, and appetizers from Emelle's Catering)

Tickets and Info: TheatreWire.com

For Immediate Release: November 15, 2016 — Fringe Festival favourites and Canadian Comedy Award winning duo, Peter n' Chris are back in Vancouver to lampoon a holiday staple, Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol*, this December 9 and 10 with their brand new show, *A Peter n' Chris-tmas Carol*.

When a grumpy Chris is visited on the night before Christmas (or maybe like a week before Christmas, honestly it's a busy time for these Ghosts), he wastes most of his time with the first Ghost. Now he must decide which of the ghosts he wants to meet before sunrise in order to change his ways.

"There's deep joy in watching these guys spin hilarity out of sweet nothing." —*The Georgia Straight*

A Peter n' Chris-tmas Carol promises to be all the things you love about *A Christmas Carol*, performed the way only Peter n' Chris can; a fast, smart, hilarious new take on an old classic.



Peter Carlone, of Peter n' Chris, says, "this will be a return to the type of show we used to do. A bit of an adventure show! And also, with some hints of *A Christmas Carol*, just to get everyone in the MOOD."

"Hugely and unendingly funny. [Peter and Chris] exhibit a remarkable chemistry, an irresistible energy and bounce off each other like racquet balls."

★★★★★ —*Edmonton Sun*

A cash bar will be available and will feature holiday cocktails in addition to beer and wine. VIP tables seat up to four people and include Christmas-y treats along with appetizers from Emelle's Catering, as well as wine and drink tickets, making for a festive evening full of fun.

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On December 9, preceding *A Peter n' Chris-tmas Carol*, the Vancouver Fringe Festival will be holding their annual Lottery Party. Mainstage shows at the Fringe are selected by random draw. Last year the Fringe received 242 applications for the Mainstage category. With only 55 spaces available, the competition is fierce—but taking a space in the Festival is based on pure luck. Artists, patrons, volunteers, and everyone is welcome to attend the Lottery Party and witness the draw in real time. There'll be games, prizes from Big Rock Urban Brewery, and of course, those in attendance will be the first to learn which artists will be part of the 2017 Vancouver Fringe Festival.

A Peter n' Chris-tmas Carol is part of the 2016-2017 Theatre Wire Season and is part of the Fringe Presents Series. Visit TheatreWire.com for more information, to purchase tickets or VIP tables, and to see all the shows that are part of Theatre Wire's amazing selection of independent theatre.

The Fringe Lottery Party is free but an RSVP is required. To RSVP, and to find more information, visit VancouverFringe.com/lottery-party.

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