

Show And Tell present

Simon Munnery: Alan Parker Urban Warrior Farewell Tour

**Southbank Centre's Purcell Room, London
Friday 17 April, 7.45pm**



Once the most radical. Now the only radical.

Simon Munnery reprises his legendary, cult comedy creation, Alan Parker: Urban Warrior.

'Munnery's parody of a punk rock anarcho snowflake, hand drawn with real love for its subject, returns to a world worse than any he could have imagined in his home decade of the 1980s.'

Stewart Lee

Bedsit anarchist, Alan Parker: Urban Warrior returns with the old gold, the old truths and some new truths (based on the old truths).

For over 35 years, Munnery has performed around the world, experimenting with and innovating the stand-up form. In the 1990s, his Alan Parker: Urban Warrior character took the comedy circuit by storm, garnering Munnery his own BBC Radio 1 series (29 Minutes of Truth), which Time Out called 'the funniest thing on Radio One' and a residency on ITV's Saturday Live. 1996 saw him collaborate with Graham Linehan and Stewart Lee for a BBC2 show London Shouting in his Alan Parker guise, and the character also became a regular contributor to NME magazine.

Simon Munnery is a British Comedy Award nominee, Perrier Award nominee, Sony Radio Award winner and Chortle Award winner. He's most recently appeared in C4's acclaimed Flowers, and will soon be seen in Will Sharpe's Louis Wain movie biopic, co-starring Benedict Cumberbatch and Claire Foy.

What the press have previously said on Alan Parker: Urban Warrior -

'Gloriously inept radical anorak.'

The Times

'Marx, Engles and Sid Vicious would all have died laughing!'

The Guardian

'A stand-up comedian of brilliance.'

The Scotsman

'Munnery reminds us why Alan Parker is so brilliant... the character seems more relevant than ever.'

★★★★ The Skinny

'In this age of Jeremy Corbyn, Greta Thunberg, Extinction Rebellion and gilets jaunes, his relevance is in the ascendancy.'

★★★★ Chortle

'Go and see Alan Parker Urban Warrior... we need him more than ever'

★★★★ Edinburgh Festivals Magazine

Listing:

Title: Simon Munnery: Alan Parker Urban Warrior Farewell Tour

Venue: Purcell Room, Southbank Centre, Southbank Centre, Belvedere Rd, London SE1 8XX

Date: Friday 17th April, 2020

Time: 7.45pm

Age: 16+

Duration: 1 hour

Booking Link: <https://www.southbankcentre.co.uk/whats-on/139698-simon-munnery-alan-parker-urban-warrior-farewell-tour-2020>

Tel: 020 3879 9555

Link for all tour dates: <https://www.showandtelluk.com/event/fringe-19-simon-munnery-alan-parker-urban-warrior-farewell-tour/>

IMAGES: <https://drive.google.com/open?id=12jJTFLO8lheZd-HM1-6LtpCVPqchZPv4>

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Clips of Alan Parker in action:

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