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Not Cricket Productions Jules Verne's Extraordinary Voyages: Journey to the Centre of the Earth

by Jules Verne, adapted by Harry Benjamin



Join an intrepid duo on their descent into the cavernous innards of the planet

Axelle's life in Hamburg is perfectly normal until her uncle, the eccentric Professor Lidenbrock, whisks her off on a top-secret expedition. Their destination: the heart of the Earth itself! Join the intrepid duo on their descent into the fantastical caves beneath the planet's surface as they make discoveries beyond even their wildest dreams. The duo experience drama, hijinks and adventure on their travels, in a production based on one of the stories from **Jules Verne's** beloved *Extraordinary Voyages Trilogy*.

The most light-hearted and family-friendly of the three *Extraordinary Voyages*, this adventure romp takes the viewer from quiet suburban house to vast caves, storms and volcanic eruptions. The tale is told through a fusion of storytelling, physical theatre and technical wizardry with the cast multi-rolling to play the range of characters and animals encountered along the way. Verne was a French novelist, poet, and playwright who is best remembered for his adventure novels and his profound and lasting influence on the science fiction genre.

Not Cricket Productions are a York-based theatre company who have gained a reputation for producing innovative shows based on classic texts and tales. Returning for a fifth time their previous shows have included *The Secret Garden*, *The Reluctant Dragon*, *The Wolves of Willoughby Chase* and *The Wind in the Willows*. In 2016 **Not Cricket** also performed *A Tale of Robin Hood* and *A Midsummer Night's Dream*.

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Listings Information

Venue

C nova, venue 145, Edinburgh Festival Fringe

Dates

3-29 Aug (not 16)

Time

12:45 (1h00)

Ticket prices

£8.50-£10.50 / concessions £6.50-£8.50 / children £4.50-£6.50

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