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PRESS RELEASE

Shrewsbury School
Great Expectations
by John Moore and Peter Fanning,
after Charles Dickens



Expect another triumph as Dickens gets a musical makeover from Fringe First winners

The Fringe First winning authors of *Jekyll!* return to Edinburgh this year with a brand new adaptation of Dickens's masterpiece, **Great Expectations**. The show tells the story of Pip, a young man from a humble home who falls in love with a girl far above his station. As he strives to win the love of the icy Estella, he meets a host of memorable characters, from the loveable blacksmith Joe to the macabre Miss Havisham and the sinister lawyer, Jaggers.

This is the ninth musical created for **Shrewsbury School** by the award-winning partnership of **John Moore** and **Peter Fanning**. The show is packed with fantastic musical numbers, performed with verve and elan by an incredibly talented and energetic young cast.

The show was first performed in Shrewsbury in November 2015 to rave reviews, and looks set to take the Fringe by storm. This is a fantastic story, suitable for all the family.

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Listings Information

Venue C, venue 34, Edinburgh Festival Fringe

Dates 14-20 Aug

Time 12:35 (1h30)

Ticket prices £9.50-£11.50 / concessions £7.50-£9.50 / children £5.50-£7.50

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