

Not your average “Boys Next Door”...

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Chris Eaton and Gordon Combes are promising a night of slick entertainment this Fringe, with ‘Not the Boys Next Door’.

With Eaton fresh from last year’s sell-out success, ‘A Bit of Swing, Blues & Broadway’ (to be reprised this year), and Combes having just emerged from musically directing numerous acclaimed shows, these boys are out to prove they are so much more than the “average Joe”.

Eaton’s voice is set to soar through Broadway and musical classics such as “What A Waste” (Bernstein) and “Easy To Love” (Porter) and contemporaries such as “Losing My Mind” (Sondheim), “Maybe This Time” (Kander & Ebb) and the boys’ title song from ‘The Boy From Oz’ himself, Peter Allen.

With Combes on piano and providing complementing vocals in duets such as “Lily’s Eyes” (Norman/Simon) and “Pretty Women” (Sondheim), the combination is just right – these boys are set to shine!

Eaton is renowned for successful performances at cabaret venues such as ‘The Weimar Room’, and starring in theatre productions such as ‘South Pacific’ and ‘42nd Street’ where comments from critics include:

“...Chris Eaton's lofty voice and star continue to rise...” – Matt Byrne, Messenger Newspapers

Likewise Combes has made a name for himself both vocally and on production teams, performing with the Adelaide Symphony Orchestra and on radio, and musically directing the celebrated ‘Shout!’. Critics have raved:

“Gordon Combes’ band is disciplined and tuneful; its pace gives the show its driving momentum.”
– John Wells, Adelaide Theatre Guide

Eaton and Combes are sure to delight with their fresh-faced charm and cheeky wit. Catch them at the Promethean, Adelaide’s coolest live music venue, for three nights only this Fringe!

What:	Not the Boys Next Door
Featuring:	Chris Eaton and Gordon Combes
Venue:	The Promethean 116 Grote Street, Adelaide
When:	6 & 12 March 2009, 8pm AND 13 March 2009, 7pm
Cost:	\$30, Groups 6+ \$27 (service fee additional)
Bookings:	Via Fringetix on 1300 FRINGE or online at www.adelaidefringe.com.au

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