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TOP 25 FRINGE PICKS

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Bad-Ass Clown: An Evening of Mostly Comic Mime
At the Red Room, David Engel Woods creates seven characters through the use of mime and silent comedy. August 6-25.

The Fishermen and His Soul
At the Washington Square United Methodist Church, A fisherman in love with mermaids sends his soul away. August 9-15.



Peter Gallagher, Masahiro Naito, Sechiko Miyata, Adrian Jevicky and Mary Briggs appear in *The Fishermen and His Soul*, a play about a fisherman who falls in love with mermaids.

Blake...De Musical
At the Westbeth Community Center, An adventure slideshow of various images of America. August 13-23.

Citizen Mendez
At the CD4, A Musical Comedy about the murder trial of Robert Blake. August 13-25, Chernichin Theater, 314 W 54th St (212-971-6884, \$25). A new murder mystery in a nostalgic comedy in which his quest rely on a sitting of off-beat characters and 90s clichés to solve the brutal murders of his friends. Tue-Sat 8pm, Sun 2pm, through July 20.

For the Love of Tiffany
At the Wings Theatre Company, The bash and tragedy of a Lifetime movie—live, onstage. August 13-25.

Greetings from Planet Girl
At the Bank Street Theater, Join five space voyers on an intergalactic joyride. August 13-23.

Hysterical: A Short History of the Vibrator
Under St. Mark's Church: An effeminate comedy troupe from Hawaii performs one of history's most moving stories...sort of. August 11-21.



Rick Bonello, as Blake, and Melaney Humphrey, as Sessie, perform in *Blake...De Musical*—a musical comedy about the murder trial of Robert Blake.

Hansel and Gretel face ex-wielding ghosts and forced organ transplants. August 9-23.

Pinofore!
At the Wings Theatre Company, A gay update of the famous Gilbert and Sullivan operetta. August 9-15.

Poop—A True Story
At the Knave Theatre, A satirical comedy about what happens to a woman hired to be an art object. August 6-17.

Posedant!
An Upside Down Musical
At Our Lady of Pompeii, Demo Hall, Friends unite to watch the cult science fiction movie. August 20-23.

Potty Mouth
At the Red Room, Comic A Horowitz' stories about sex and city. August 9-22.

Sherlock Holmes and the Secret of Making Whoopee The Houdini Incident
At the Greenwich House Theatre, Sir Arthur Conan Doyle investigates a murder. August 9-24.

Slavery
At the Bottle Factory Theater, Based on 1930s interviews with former slaves; this new play combines the oral and musical traditions of slavery in the United States. August 6-23.

Slut
At the Wings Theatre Company, Story of the man who has slept with... sort of in New York City, but who

Cats Talk Back
At the Knave Theater, A mock theater talk-back featuring five former cast members of Andrew Lloyd Webber's hit Broadway musical *Cats*. August 6-23.

God Bless America: The Radio Vacation Slide Show of America
At Our Lady of Pompeii, Demo Hall, Two Mexicans try to cross the border to America in search of a better life. August 6-22.

Citizen Walken
At the Fat Chance Productions' Ground Floor Theatre, First Moscow, Now Walken. This play journeys into the mind of actor Christopher Walken. August 6-24.

Deep Stories: From the Notebooks of Richard Foreman
Under St. Mark's Church, Explores Richard Foreman's work. August 13-22.

Diagnosis: Jew Path (Slideshow of a Life in Progress)
At the Westbeth Community Center, Michael Feidman's coming-of-age story as a Jew growing up in American suburbia. August 9-24.

From Phaedra to Phaedra
At the Wings Theatre Company, Musical homage to Jules Verne and H.G. Wells. August 10-23.



John Schumacher and April Yule can be seen in *Lost the Musical*, a play about Hansel, Gretel and some ex-wielding ghosts.

How to Act Around Cops
At the Cherry Lane Studio, A dark comedy depicting three unusual street scenarios. August 1, 2003, at 15-24.

Lady Macbeth Rewrites the Rulebook
At the Bank Street Theater, Eight fighting women, 12 lethal weapons, one wild computer game and Shakespeare. August 9-23.

Lost the Musical
At the Linnet Theatre, A modern-day

who never loved one until now. August 9-22.

The Boy Who Would Be Asian
At Walkway Auditorium, Boy travels to a far-off land to learn how to cook an authentic Asian dish. August 11-20.

Tri-Sol-Fi: A Chillyogy
At Fat Chance Productions' Ground Floor Theatre, Avant-garde musico about aliens and space adventures. August 12-24.