



## FOURTH MONKEY'S GRIMM TALES: LITTLE RED CAP

‘All the better to see you with, my dear...’

Following the success of **Fourth Monkey**'s sell-out dark and disturbing production of *Alice* at last year's Edinburgh Festival Fringe, the adult fairy tale **Little Red Cap** is presented as part of its **Fourth Monkey's Grimm Tales** themed season for **theSpaceUK (7-29<sup>th</sup> August)**. A physical ensemble story of adolescence, rebirth and parenthood, retold for a modern audience by Ami Sayers, a graduate of Fourth Monkey's Two Year Rep course, and directed by **Stephen Sobal**, who is the Artistic Director of clown devising theatre company All In Theatre and who directed Fourth Monkey's 2014 Fringe production of **Treasure Island**.

The other productions in the season are **Rapunzel, Hansel & Gretel** (like **Little Red Cap**, at **theSpace on Niddry Street**) and **The Bloody Countess** (a late-night performance at **SpaceTriplex**). Guaranteed to tingle the spine, freeze the marrow and chill the blood, these are definitely not fairy tales for children!

Since it launched with a sell-out production of *A Clockwork Orange* at the Edinburgh Fringe in 2010, **Fourth Monkey** has established a reputation for work that is as entertaining as it is challenging, and many of its Fringe premieres have gone on to have a life beyond Edinburgh. *A Clockwork Orange*, *Elephant Man* (2012) and *The Peculiar Tale of Pablo Picasso and the Mona Lisa* (2013) all transferred to London and the newly-formed **Fourth Monkey Ensemble** toured *Elephant Man* successfully in autumn 2014/spring 2015, securing **4-star reviews** from both *The Independent* and *The Stage*. Fourth Monkey productions have been nominated for a total of **six Off-West End Awards** and its much-emulated training programmes led to it being shortlisted for **The Stage's 2015 School of the Year award**.

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**What the press said about Fourth Monkey at the 2014 Edinburgh Festival Fringe:**  
‘An enjoyable piece of inventive theatre’ – **Broadway Baby** (Treasure Island)  
‘A wonderful piece of theatre’ **Highly Recommended Show - Fringe Review** (Alice)

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**7-29 August, 18.00 (70 mins). Suitability: 14+. theSpace on Niddry Street (venue 9), EH1 1TH. £11(£9), family ticket £7, group discounts available; previews 7-9 August £8 (£6), family £5; 2-for-1 10-11 August. Box Office: 0131 510 2383, [www.thespaceuk.com](http://www.thespaceuk.com)**