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Burlesque



PINCHBOTTOM RETURNS TO OUTER SPACE **FOR AN ENCORE PRESENTATION of NAKED PLANET *sci-fi burlesque*** *Summer re-runs never looked so good*

On July 1st, return to the sexiest planet in the universe... **NAKED PLANET**. Can Space Queen **NASTY CANASTA** and starship captain **JONNY PORKPIE** forge a futuristic truce with the help of scintillating performances by burlesque stars **WORLD FAMOUS *BOB***, **ANITA COOKIE**, **CREAMY STEVENS**, **DELIRIUM TREMENS**, **GIGI LaFEMME**, **HOWLIN' VIC**, **MISS FIRECRACKER**, and variety acts by **SCHAFFER THE DARKLORD**, **SCOTT RAYOW**, and **NAUGHTIA NICE?** If we know anything about classic sci-fi plots, the answer is "yes"... but (if we know anything about burlesque) not before everyone gets undressed.

"One might be surprised," says Pinchbottom, "given the clichéd image of less-than-attractive gentlemen clad as Klingons, to find that quite a few beautiful women are closeted Science Fiction fans. But one would be nothing short of delighted — as I was — to discover that several of these beautiful women also have a strong interest in taking off their clothes on stage. Learning this (as a geek myself), I had no option but to encourage these ladies to combine the two passions."

"When we debuted **NAKED PLANET** in May, so many people came, we had to turn some away," continues Pinchbottom, "and that saddened me. In an alternate universe, I might be the one standing outside, crying like a baby because I was missing the tassel-twirling tributes to *Star Wars*, *Star Trek*, *Doctor Who*, *2001: A Space Odyssey*, *Deep Space Nine*, living dolls, robots, clones, and alien abductions! Eminent scientists were concerned that people who missed the show might actually attempt to travel through time to see it. So, to preserve the fabric of the universe, we decided to do **NAKED PLANET** again."

The rocket to **NAKED PLANET** re-launches from the Collective:Unconscious spaceport at a special night and time: 7:30pm on July 1st, 2006.

Collective:Unconscious presents **Pinchbottom's Sub:Conscious**

NAKED PLANET *Sci-Fi Burlesque*

Saturday, July 1st @ 7:30pm | Collective:Unconscious, 279 Church Street, TriBeCa | Admission: \$15

Tickets available at Theatermania.com

Hosted by Nasty Canasta and Jonny Porkpie | Starring World Famous *BOB*, Anita Cookie, Creamy Stevens, Delirium Tremens, Gigi LaFemme, Howlin' Vic, Miss Firecracker, Naughtia Nice, Schaffer The Darklord, Scott Rayow. Beer & wine bar. *Made possible, in part, by Lower Manhattan Cultural Council with generous support of The September 11th Fund*

ABOUT THE HOSTS

Hosts **NASTY CANASTA** & **JONNY PORKPIE** should probably not be described at the Lunt-Fontannes of the New York Burlesque scene, although they do perform together with alarming frequency. Their ecdysiastical duets and acclaimed puppet burlesque acts have appeared at The Slipper Room, RiFiFi, Galapagos Artspace, Le Scandal, Show, Southpaw, HERE, Coney Island Burlesque at the Beach, and The New York Burlesque Festival, as well as with Punch! Puppetry Cabaret, Drama of Works, Slutty Puppets, and more. Nasty Canasta is the winner of a 2005 NY Burlesque Fest award for "Hottest Freshman", and a producer of the weekly Sweet & Nasty Burlesque, Sunday nights at RiFiFi.

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