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Pinchbottom Burlesque



PINCHBOTTOM TO HOST ACADEMY AWARDS

Not the real ones... Ellen's doing that. But ours will have more nudity.

Four days before the scheduled announcement of the 79th annual Oscar nominees, get into the red carpet fever with Pinchbottom's **FILM STRIP: burlesque goes to the Academy Awards**.

NASTY CANASTA and JONNY PORKPIE take the podium to host an award-winning night of big screen burlesque paying homage to the best movies ever made... and some of the worst. As the night goes on, and tensions rise, only one question remains: Who will take home the coveted Pinchy™? And where will she put it? Okay, that's two questions. And the nominees are... ALBERT CADABRA, ANITA COOKIE, CREAMY STEVENS, DIRTY DADDY, GIGI LaFEMME, JO BOOBS, LITTLE BROOKLYN, NAUGHTIA NICE, PRECIOUS LITTLE, RUBY VALHALLA, SCARLET SINCLAIR, SCOTT RAYOW, and VERONIKA SWEET.

These burlesque stars will twirl tassels in tribute to films from the Academy's 79 years of award-issuing, from 1950's best-picture-winning *All About Eve* to the uncontested favorite for best picture in 2007, *Miami Vice*. The movies, actors, directors, and costume-makers honored represent over 69 Oscar nods, and thirty winners of the phallic statuettes, not to mention a few high-profile losers. (Jonny Depp and *Harry Potter*, anyone?) From great movies that just won't stop spawning laughable sequels (*Rocky*, *Silence of the Lambs*) to laughable directors (Quentin Tarantino) that spawn winning biopics (*Ed Wood*), to losing films that launched Oscar-winning careers (*Taxi Driver*), plus the most nominated and winning-est films ever (*Titanic*), and more, **FILM STRIP** takes on Hollywood as only Pinchbottom can: by taking it off.

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

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Friday January 19 @ 10pm | Admission: \$15

Collective:Unconscious, 279 Church Street, TriBeCa

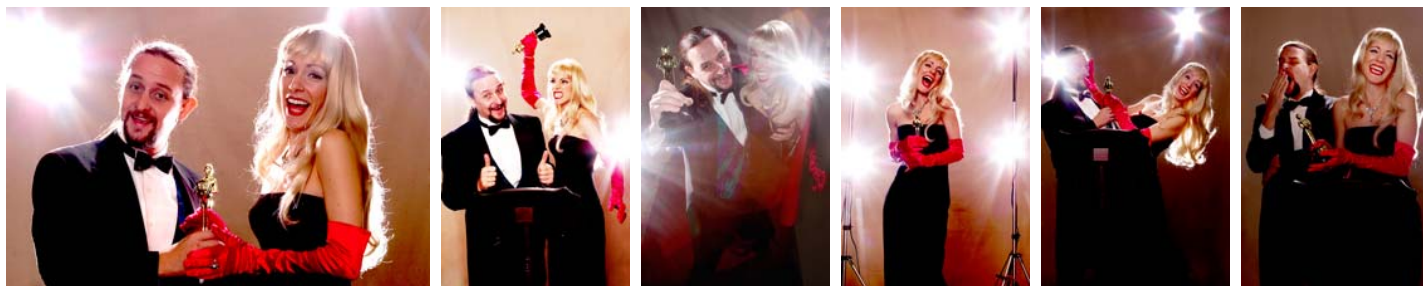
Tickets at www.pinchbottom.com/tickets/ or by calling TheaterMania.com (866) 811-4111 | Beer & Wine Bar

Hosted by Nasty Canasta and Jonny Porkpie, Starring Albert Cadabra, Anita Cookie, Creamy Stevens, Dirty Daddy, Gigi LaFemme, Jo Boobs, Little Brooklyn, Naughtia Nice, Precious Little, Ruby Valhalla, Scarlet Sinclair, Scott Rayow, Veronika Sweet | *Made possible, in part, by Lower Manhattan Cultural Council with generous support of The September 11th Fund*

ABOUT PINCHBOTTOM BURLESQUE

Explore the inner mind of burlesque with 'Pinchbottom's Sub:Conscious.' Each monthly journey centers around a different theme, linking together striptease and variety acts from top performers with a topical narrative... and, believe it or not, a plot. 'Pinchbottom's Sub:Conscious' is where burlesque meets downtown theater, buys it a drink and takes it to bed. Hosted by NASTY CANASTA & JONNY PORKPIE, who should probably not be described at the Lunt-Fontannes of the New York Burlesque scene, although they do perform together with alarming frequency. "Wicked senses of humor" -*The Village Voice (A Voice Choice)*; "Comedy and partial nudity go remarkably well together. Where else can you hoot, whistle, and bust a gut laughing?" -*NY Theatre.com*; "Hilarious burlesque" -*Next Magazine*; "Your perverted genre fantasies have come shimmying to life" -*Time Out New York*

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