

## “COMEDY COWBOYS SADDLED WITH BRITAIN”



AUSTRALIAN PETE JONAS  
AMERICAN ERICH MCELROY  
**BROKEBACK  
BRITAIN**  
THEY MOVED TO A SHITHOLE

**Brokeback Britain** is a comedy show about **two men coming to terms with living in Britain as foreigners.**

**Australian Pete Jonas** and **American Erich McElroy** moved to the UK six years ago with high expectations. Both were looking for a better life than what they had back home. But they didn't realise that the once mighty empire of Great Britain, which spawned both of their countries, would be so, well, broken.

And they don't mean to sound ungrateful. The British complain about their own country so much, that Jonas and McElroy are just trying to fit in. Their show sees them expressing their 'feelings' about the country's food, its transport, the weather, and especially the lack of service. **Brokeback Britain is a tribute to their new home.**

There are things they do love about Britain however, such as its **binge drinking and casual sex culture.** "It's relatively easy to pull here", says Jonas. "Particularly if quality isn't an issue."

Jonas and McElroy both started doing comedy in the UK four years ago and consider themselves British comedians. The two also write weekly spoof news for the 2,500 plus members of their comedy club in London, The Comedy Tree. **Brokeback Britain combines stand up comedy, spoof news and some comedy songs to produce an original hour of comedy about life in the UK.**

*"A rock-solid act guaranteed to entertain"* **CHORTLE**

*"An engaging comic who is easy to warm to... a genuine talent"* **AUSTRALIAN TIMES**

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### **Edinburgh Listings Information**

3 – 27 August (except 14) at 8:20pm, **Smirnoff Underbelly**, Baby Belly 3

Tickets: Previews £5, Weekdays £8 (£7), Weekends £9 (£8)

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