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**Off The Kerb Productions In Association With
Universal Pictures (UK) Presents:**

LEE EVANS

'MONSTERS'

UK AND IRELAND TOUR 2014



70 DATE ARENA TOUR

****NEW DATES ADDED****

*"The must see comedy event of the autumn" ***** - Daily Telegraph
"Stand-up doesn't get much bigger" - Evening Standard*

'**WIRED AND WONDERFUL**' was huge... '**XL**' was big... '**BIG**' was even bigger... '**ROADRUNNER**' was record breaking... and now the legendary Lee Evans embarks on his most ambitious tour to date. '**MONSTERS**' is Lee's amazing new show, now with **70 nights** in the biggest arenas in the country, including 6 nights at London's infamous O2. Lee will be playing to more fans than ever on this hotly anticipated tour of the UK and Ireland.

Due to overwhelming popular demand, Lee's tour has been extended from its original 51 dates, to a whopping 70, the newest of which is a second night at the Dublin O2 on 11th November. **All booking information can be found at www.offthekerb.co.uk. Please see below for a full list of dates, venue's and ticket information.**

Lee's manic energy, uncanny observations, hilarious delivery and side-splitting material have made his live performances a must-see for comedy fans worldwide. His tours and DVD releases year-on-year continue to smash sales and box office records. From 2002 to 2011 alone he has performed to over 1,605,000 people through his four live arena shows ('**Wired & Wonderful**' - 2002, '**XL**' - 2005, '**Big**' 2008, '**Roadrunner**' 2011).

In 2011 Lee embarked on a 67 arena date tour, which included a staggering six nights at both the O2 and Wembley Arenas, played to a sell-out 600,000 people across 16 arena stages throughout the UK and Ireland. First day sales saw an amazing 227,424 tickets sold and firmly established **Roadrunner** as the fastest and biggest day one selling UK comedy tour of all time.

The release of **Roadrunner** in 2011 was groundbreaking as the first ever 3D stand-up comedy DVD. His previous DVD release in 2008 '**Big – Live At the O2**' broke all previous stand-up DVD sales records when it sold a staggering 259,399 during its first week and became the biggest week one release for a non film DVD of all time – a record it still holds today!

In September 2011 Lee's autobiography **The Life Of Lee** was released becoming a number one bestseller and making the top 30 bestselling books of 2011.

Lee Evans has won many accolades in the comedy world including 'Special Contribution To Comedy' Award at The British Comedy Awards 2011, the highly coveted 'Perrier Award' and the *Time Out* Award for Comedy. He has experienced huge success as an international film star in *The Martins* (2001), *There's Something About Mary* (1998), *The Fifth Element* (1997), *Mouse Hunt* (1998) and *Funny Bones* (1995). In addition to his film work, Lee has also appeared on BBC ONE in his own sitcom series *Lee Evans- So What Now?* and appeared in the 2009 *Doctor Who* Easter special (BBC ONE), where he played an evil Welsh scientist, again to much critical acclaim.

During the past six years Lee has received rave reviews for his West-End theatre roles. These include; Samuel Beckett's *Endgame* alongside the legendary Michael Gambon, Mel Brooks' musical *The Producers* with Nathan Lane plus the Harold Pinter play *The Dumb Waiter*, with Jason Isaacs, where he received the London Theatregoers' Choice Award.

In September of this year, Lee will return to treading the boards of the West End, starring alongside Sheila Hancock and Keeley Hawes in Clive Exton's new play *Barking In Essex* at The Wyndham's Theatre in London.

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LEE EVANS - 'MONSTERS' - UK TOUR 2014

"A master of large-scale comedy" - The Guardian

"If comedy is the new rock 'n' roll, then behold the new Elvis Presley" - The Sun

Thurs 7 th Aug	Plymouth Pavilions – WIP	0845 146 1460	www.plymouthpavilions.com
Fri 8 th Aug	Plymouth Pavilions – WIP	0845 146 1460	www.plymouthpavilions.com
Sat 9 th Aug	Plymouth Pavilions – WIP	0845 146 1460	www.plymouthpavilions.com
Sun 10 th Aug	Plymouth Pavilions – WIP	0845 146 1460	www.plymouthpavilions.com NEW DATE
Mon 11 th Aug	Plymouth Pavilions – WIP	0845 146 1460	www.plymouthpavilions.com NEW DATE
Mon 18 th Aug	Bournemouth International Centre	0844 576 3000	www.bhlivetickets.co.uk
Tues 19 th Aug	Bournemouth International Centre	0844 576 3000	www.bhlivetickets.co.uk
Wed 20 th Aug	Bournemouth International Centre	0844 576 3000	www.bhlivetickets.co.uk
Thur 21 st Aug	Bournemouth International Centre	0844 576 3000	www.bhlivetickets.co.uk
Fri 22 nd Aug	Bournemouth International Centre	0844 576 3000	www.bhlivetickets.co.uk
Sat 23 rd Aug	Bournemouth International Centre	0844 576 3000	www.bhlivetickets.co.uk
Sun 24 th Aug	Bournemouth International Centre	0844 576 3000	www.bhlivetickets.co.uk
Tues 26 th Aug	Brighton Centre	0844 847 1515	www.brightoncentre.co.uk NEW DATE
Wed 27 th Aug	Brighton Centre	0844 847 1515	www.brightoncentre.co.uk
Thur 28 th Aug	Brighton Centre	0844 847 1515	www.brightoncentre.co.uk
Fri 29 th Aug	Brighton Centre	0844 847 1515	www.brightoncentre.co.uk
Sat 30 th Aug	Brighton Centre	0844 847 1515	www.brightoncentre.co.uk
Sun 31 st Aug	Brighton Centre	0844 847 1515	www.brightoncentre.co.uk
Mon 1 st Sept	Brighton Centre	0844 847 1515	www.brightoncentre.co.uk NEW DATE
Thurs 4 th Sept	Nottingham Capital FM Arena	0843 373 3000	www.capitalfmarena.com
Fri 5 th Sept	Nottingham Capital FM Arena	0843 373 3000	www.capitalfmarena.com
Sat 6 th Sept	Nottingham Capital FM Arena	0843 373 3000	www.capitalfmarena.com
Sun 7 th Sept	Nottingham Capital FM Arena	0843 373 3000	www.capitalfmarena.com
Mon 8 th Sept	Nottingham Capital FM Arena	0843 373 3000	www.capitalfmarena.com NEW DATE
Thurs 11 th Sept	Sheffield Motorpoint Arena	0114 256 5656	www.motorpointarenasheffield.co.uk
Fri 12 th Sept	Sheffield Motorpoint Arena	0114 256 5656	www.motorpointarenasheffield.co.uk
Sat 13 th Sept	Sheffield Motorpoint Arena	0114 256 5656	www.motorpointarenasheffield.co.uk
Wed 17 th Sept	Birmingham NIA	0844 338 8000	www.theticketfactory.com NEW DATE
Thur 18 th Sept	Birmingham NIA	0844 338 8000	www.theticketfactory.com
Fri 19 th Sept	Birmingham NIA	0844 338 8000	www.theticketfactory.com
Sat 20 th Sept	Birmingham NIA	0844 338 8000	www.theticketfactory.com
Sun 21 st Sept	Birmingham NIA	0844 338 8000	www.theticketfactory.com
Thurs 25 th Sept	London The O2	08448 24 48 24	www.AXS.com NEW DATE
Fri 26 th Sept	London The O2	08448 24 48 24	www.AXS.com
Sat 27 th Sept	London The O2 *To be recorded for DVD*	08448 24 48 24	www.AXS.com
Thurs 2 nd Oct	London The O2	08448 24 48 24	www.AXS.com NEW DATE
Fri 3 rd Oct	London The O2	08448 24 48 24	www.AXS.com
Sat 4 th Oct	London The O2	08448 24 48 24	www.AXS.com
Thur 9 th Oct	Manchester Arena	0844 847 8000	www.mcr-arena.com
Fri 10 th Oct	Manchester Arena	0844 847 8000	www.mcr-arena.com
Sat 11 th Oct	Manchester Arena	0844 847 8000	www.mcr-arena.com

Sun 12th Oct	Manchester Arena	0844 847 8000	www.mcr-arena.com
Thurs 16th Oct	Glasgow The Hydro	0844 395 4000	www.thehydro.com
Fri 17th Oct	Glasgow The Hydro	0844 395 4000	www.thehydro.com
Sat 18th Oct	Glasgow The Hydro	0844 395 4000	www.thehydro.com
Fri 24th Oct	Leeds First Direct Arena	0844 248 1585	www.firstdirectarena.com
Sat 25th Oct	Leeds First Direct Arena	0844 248 1585	www.firstdirectarena.com
Sun 27th Oct	Aberdeen AECC	08444 77 9000	www.aecc.co.uk
Mon 28th Oct	Aberdeen AECC	08444 77 9000	www.aecc.co.uk
Thurs 30 th Oct	Liverpool Echo Arena	0844 8000 400	www.echoarena.com NEW DATE
Fri 31st Oct	Liverpool Echo Arena	0844 8000 400	www.echoarena.com
Sat 1st Nov	Liverpool Echo Arena	0844 8000 400	www.echoarena.com
Thur 6th Nov	Newcastle Metro Arena	0844 493 6666	www.metroradioarena.co.uk
Fri 7th Nov	Newcastle Metro Arena	0844 493 6666	www.metroradioarena.co.uk
Sat 8th Nov	Newcastle Metro Arena	0844 493 6666	www.metroradioarena.co.uk
Tues 11 th Nov	Dublin O2	0818 719 300	www.ticketmaster.ie NEW DATE
Wed 12th Nov	Dublin O2	0818 719 300	www.ticketmaster.ie
Fri 14th Nov	Belfast Odyssey Arena	02890 739 074	www.odysseyarena.com
Sat 15 th Nov	Belfast Odyssey Arena	02890 739 074	www.odysseyarena.com NEW DATE
Wed 19th Nov	London Wembley	0844 815 0815	www.wembleyarena.co.uk
Thur 20th Nov	London Wembley	0844 815 0815	www.wembleyarena.co.uk
Fri 21st Nov	London Wembley	0844 815 0815	www.wembleyarena.co.uk
Sat 22nd Nov	London Wembley	0844 815 0815	www.wembleyarena.co.uk
Mon 24 th Nov	Cardiff Motorpoint Arena	02920 22 44 88	www.motorpointarenacardiff.co.uk
Tues 25 th Nov	Cardiff Motorpoint Arena	02920 22 44 88	www.motorpointarenacardiff.co.uk
Wed 26th Nov	Cardiff Motorpoint Arena	02920 22 44 88	www.motorpointarenacardiff.co.uk
Thur 27th Nov	Cardiff Motorpoint Arena	02920 22 44 88	www.motorpointarenacardiff.co.uk
Fri 28th Nov	Cardiff Motorpoint Arena	02920 22 44 88	www.motorpointarenacardiff.co.uk
Sat 29th Nov	Cardiff Motorpoint Arena	02920 22 44 88	www.motorpointarenacardiff.co.uk
Sun 30th Nov	Cardiff Motorpoint Arena	02920 22 44 88	www.motorpointarenacardiff.co.uk

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