

M Boat - Play at Birr Theatre

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The story of a boat delivering Guinness from Dublin to Shannon Harbour in the 1950s

Written & Directed by Eddie Alford

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Friday 2 and Saturday 3 December - 8 pm - Birr Theatre

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Earlier this year, The M Boat won the top award for Artistic Excellence at The Brighton Fringe Festival (the 3rd biggest in the world after Edinburgh and Adelaide).

Awarding a 5 Star Review, FringeGuru.com said the following: This wonderful show is a panoply of entertainment: it takes in storytelling round a campfire, popular folk songs accompanied by five-stringed banjo (not to mention some of the audience), a comedic troupe of likeable rustic characters and a naïve love storyâ€ all told in a quintessentially Irish lilt. And, to this rich mix of ingredients, add Guinness as a big player!

It was an overwhelming night for writer and director Eddie Alford: first, ticket sales exceeded expectation and more chairs had to be brought in; then, at the end, the play brought the house down with an applause beyond his dreams. Itâ€™s surely not for the last time though. Go on, join in the fun. Itâ€™s highly recommended.

Bookings here: www.birrtheatre.com/programme.shtml

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