



AUSTRALIAN TOUR 2015

"The most intelligent political stand up you'll see this year"
The Times

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One of **Time Magazine's 100 Most Influential People**, **John Oliver**, is an **Emmy** and **Writer's Guild Award** winning writer. His HBO show, **Last Week Tonight with John Oliver**, which won a Peabody Award in April this year, presents a satirical look at the week in news, politics and current events and is enjoying a second series. On his occasional breaks from television, John returns to his first love of stand-up and plays to sold out venues across the US. And now for the first time he comes to Australia for a stand up tour.

"Wildly funny"
The Telegraph

From 2006 to 2013 John was a correspondent and guest host on the multi-award winning **The Daily Show with Jon Stewart**. He first came to prominence as a cutting-edge political stand up in the UK, with a string of television appearances and sold-out solo shows at the **Edinburgh Festival**.

With long-time collaborator **Andy Zaltzman**, John co-writes and co-presents the hugely popular weekly satirical podcast **The Bugle**. Its success has grown significantly since its inception in 2007 and now pulls in over 500,000 downloads a week.

"A wonderfully intelligent comic"
Evening Standard

Having made the move to America in 2006 to work on **The Daily Show**, John won the **Breakout Award** at the **Aspen Comedy Festival** in 2007 and went on to write and star in his first hour long **Comedy Central** stand up special **John Oliver: Terrifying Times** in 2008 which was then released on DVD. Such was its success that John went on to host four seasons of his own stand up series for **Comedy Central**, **John Oliver's New York Stand Up Show**, featuring a hand-picked selection of his favourite comedians.

"Comedy for smart people"

The Sunday Times

He has a regular guest role on NBC's sitcom **Community**, is the voice of **Vanity Smurf** in **The Smurfs** movie and its sequel **The Smurfs 2**, and has appeared in **The Simpsons** as Marge and Homer's next-door neighbour, **Booth Wilkes-John**.

Further credits include starring in the Mike Myers' movie **The Love Guru**, the Ardal O'Hanlon sitcom **My Hero**, and **Important Things** with **Demetri Martin**.

"Oliver is a master storyteller, stringing jokes together so tightly that not a syllable falls out of place"

The Onion

These are his highly anticipated first live shows in Australia. Book now to avoid disappointment.

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