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Derren Brown makes public appeal to people of Plymouth

Ahead of the world premiere of his new stage show **SHOWMAN** at Plymouth's Theatre Royal, which begins on Saturday August 28, Derren Brown is making a personal appeal to all those planning on coming along.

The world renowned performer told us today: "I would love you to bring with you, from home, an object that has personal significance for you. Something with sentimental value, and ideally maybe has a bit of a story behind it. It just needs to be small enough that you can hide it in your hand and keep it hidden".

Derren will be performing at the Theatre Royal from 28th August to the 4th of September, with what will be his first new live show for six years.

Derren added: "We were all ready to open *Showman* when the tour had to be postponed. Now, after sitting around in my pants for months I am so, so eager to get this show on the road, and thrilled we're kicking off in Plymouth".

There are still a few tickets left, but hurry! <u>https://theatreroyal.com/whats-on/derren-brown-showman/</u>

DERREN BROWN: SHOWMAN is presented by Michael Vine, Andrew O'Connor, Derren Brown and Paul Sandler for Vaudeville Productions Ltd. It is directed by Andrew O'Connor & Andy Nyman and written by Andy Nyman, Andrew O'Connor & Derren Brown. General Manager is John Dalston and marketing is by Helen Snell Ltd.

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