## PROSCENIUM



## Waiting for Godot

By Samuel Beckett

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> - Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2008

Compass Theatre, Ickenham 7.45pm

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Tickets: £10

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## About this production...

Two dilapidated bums fill their days as painlessly as they can. They wait for Godot, a personage who will explain their interminable insignificance, or put an end to it. They pass the time 'which would have passed anyway.' A brutal man of means comes by, leading a weakling slave who does his bidding like a mechanical doll. Later on he comes back, blind, and his slave is mute, but the relationship is unchanged. Every day a child comes from the unknown Godot, and evasively puts the big arrival off until tomorrow...It is a tragic view. Yet, in performance, most of it is brilliant, bitter comedy...It is a portrait of the dogged resilience of a man's spirit in the face of little hope.

## About Proscenium...

Proscenium was founded in 1924. Since then, the aim of this experienced amateur group has been to present classic and contemporary plays to as wide an audience as possible. We perform 4 times per year, at Harrow Arts Centre and Compass Theatre in Ickenham.

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