

Jim Tavaré



Jim Tavaré is often described transcending mainstream and alternative comedy and is a modern day Tommy Cooper. He was the star of the BAFTA award winning 'The Sketch Show' and has had several of his own series on BBC and Channel 5. Best known for his double act with his double bass and her slightly smaller cousin the recorder. Jim has also appeared at three Royal Variety performances as well as becoming Prince Charles' comedian of choice, performing at his private Christmas Party. Jim narrowly missed out on being a member of Manchester band 'Joy Division' and 'New Order'. He appears in the 'Harry Potter' films as Tom, the surly inn-keeper of The Leaky Cauldron.

Credits

TV

- Clive Anderson Talks Back (Ch 4)
- Jim Tavaré Pictures Presents (BBC)
- Royal Variety Performance (BBC)
- The Jack Dee Show (ITV)
- The Jim Tavaré Show (Ch 5)
- The Sketch Show (ITV)

Stage

- Jim Tavaré Show
- The Royal Variety Performance

Festivals

- Just For Laughs Festival (Montreal)
- Auckland Comedy Festival (New Zealand)

Awards

Won

- 2003 BAFTA - Best Comedy Series

Nominated

- 2003 BANFF Rockie Award
- 2003 Golden Rose of Montreux
- 2003 British Comedy Award

Current Projects

- Last Comic Standing (NBC)
- The World Stands Up (Paramount Comedy)

"Elegant, unassuming and full of visual flair."The Mail On Sunday

"Makes you laugh out loud."The Times

"Jim Tavaré is an enormously talented individual, whose comic presence and off-the-wall material makes him one of the funniest and most original performers around."

The Independent