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Subject: Whisky Kisses - A Musical in the Making - DNA Festival Inverness 18th Oct 2007
Attachments:

Dear All,

As many folk will know, Whisky Kisses was the runner up in the Highland Quest for a New Musical, an international competition backed by Eden Court Theatre, The Cameron Macintosh Foundation and the Scottish Executive which took place in 2006. Such was the enthusiastic response to the show from the judges, critics and audience alike that Right Lines has been actively pursuing ways to develop Whisky Kisses into the first full-scale Musical production from the Highlands. Eden Court is still involved with the project, as are James Brining, Director Dundee Rep and freelance Musical Director Hilary Brooks.

Thanks to funding from H2007 Moray, new material has been written and the company is now preparing for a presentation of "Whisky Kisses - A Musical in the Making" at the DNA Festival in Inverness. The date is 18th Oct at 2.30pm in the Ironworks.

We will have 4 actors - Ron Emslie, Alyth McCormack, Barrie Hunter and Pamela Byrne, plus James Brining and Hilary Brooks, all of whom were involved in the Highland Quest final in Ullapool in July 2006. The aim is to have a rehearsed reading of excerpts of the show and try out some new material. We also want to give a flavour of the history of Whisky Kisses' progress in Highland Quest and invite discussion with the audience on the future development of the project at the end of the presentation.

We would be delighted if as many people as possible could attend this event, so please come along and/or pass on this message to anyone who might be interested!

Thanks,

Euan Martin.

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For box office details and the full DNA programme, please see the website:
www.dna2007.info

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