National Theatre

VANYA with Andrew Scott set to stream on National Theatre at Home from 12 September 2024



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From **12 September**, audiences worldwide can stream the critically acclaimed production of *VANYA* starring **Andrew Scott** (*All of us Strangers, Fleabag*) on **National Theatre at Home**, the pioneering theatre streaming platform by the National Theatre. The production won the Olivier award for Best Revival, with Scott winning the Critics' Circle Award for his performance.

Scott brings to life multiple characters in this 'deeply emotional' ($\star\star\star\star\star$ Time Out) and radical new version of Chekhov's masterpiece Uncle Vanya, adapted by **Simon Stephens** (The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time) and directed by **Sam Yates**.

Following a sold-out 5-week run in the West End, Scott's 'brilliantly subtle, witty and precise' $(\star\star\star\star$ *Financial* Times) has since been screened through **National Theatre Live** over 5,000 times in cinemas worldwide. The 'astonishing' $(\star\star\star\star\star$ *WhatsOnStage*) production was filmed

during its sold-out critically acclaimed run in London's West End, presented by Wessex Grove, Gavin Kalin Productions and Kater Gordon.

From September, audiences can watch the 'mesmerising' ($\star\star\star\star$ *Telegraph*) play from the comfort of home on National Theatre at Home, available at ntathome.com. The platform launched in 2020 after the National Theatre hosted weekly free streams of archive productions during the summer lockdown when theatres around the world were closed, garnering over 15 million views in 173 countries. Audiences can exclusively access over 80 productions with new titles added every month with a monthly subscription for £9.99 or an annual subscription for £99.99.

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Recent productions include: Ivo van Hove & Rufus Wainwright's new musical *Opening Night* with Sheridan Smith (Gielgud Theatre); A site-specific, touring production of *Macbeth* with Ralph Fiennes and Indira Varma (Liverpool, Edinburgh, London & Washington D.C.); Thomas Ostermeier's *An Enemy of the People* with Matt Smith (Duke of York's Theatre); Simon Stephen's *Vanya* starring Andrew Scott (The Duke of York's Theatre, winner of the 2024 Olivier Award for Best Revival); *Quiz* UK Tour; *The Old Man & The Pool* (Wyndham's Theatre); Hanya Yanagihara's *A*

Little Life directed by Ivo van Hove (Harold Pinter Theatre & Savoy Theatre); One Woman Show (Greenwich House Theater, New York & Ambassadors Theatre, West End); Lemons Lemons Lemons Lemons (Harold Pinter Theatre & UK Tour); Best of Enemies (Noël Coward Theatre); Constellations (Vaudeville Theatre, winner of the 2022 Olivier Award for Best Revival); Sunset Boulevard (Savoy Theatre); Kathy and Stella Solve a Murder! (Edinburgh Fringe, Bristol Old Vic & HOME, Manchester); A Strange Loop (Barbican Theatre); A Doll's House (Hudson Theatre, New York); A Streetcar Named Desire (Phoenix Theatre); Mother Goose (Duke of York's Theatre & UK Tour); The Doctor (Duke of York's Theatre); Mad House (Ambassadors Theatre); The Seagull (Harold Pinter Theatre); Cyrano de Bergerac (Harold Pinter Theatre, Glasgow Theatre Royal & Brooklyn Academy of Music); and The New Tomorrow Festival (Young Vic).

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