

PETE HOLMES

Pete Holmes is the star of “Crashing”, which is based on his character having to crash on everyone’s couch as he tries to make it as a NY standup. After the usual introductory small-talk next to Conan O’Brien, Holmes is brought to the center of the stage where there are a dozen couches of all shapes and sizes lined up. Conan wheels his chair and a portable desk over next to each couch and asks Holmes one question at each couch as Holmes lies down on all of them. Other than the constant location change, it is a “normal” interview. Conan occasionally says that he has a followup to an earlier question, so they have to go back to that couch. At the end, Holmes chooses which couch is the best, and he gets to keep it. He says that he really doesn’t want to, but some burly stagehands make him drag it away. When the show ends, they cut to a shot of Holmes out on the street with the couch, asking random passersby if he can bring it to their apartment to crash for the night.