
Fwd: Circus troupe from Québec

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The circus might be coming to town :)

Our proposal is that Victoria Playhouse take on marketing and ticket sales for one show on the evening of SATURDAY JULY 29th.

The cost of putting on this show for us will probably go beyond our budgetary constraints.

In order to break even, we would have to sell 150 tickets at \$25 each.

If we did succeed, any profits could be split with the municipality should we agree to use one of the public spaces.

We'd like to gauge interest from the community for this event.

Cheers,
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Dear Johanna,

I would like to introduce you to Vague de Cirque, a circus troupe originally from Magdalen Island.

We are a small troupe with the mission of bringing contemporary circus art out of big towns in the way that it is affordable to families.

Our new show "Ephemeral" is an outside show that was created in order to perform everywhere with very little technical need.

We will be performing in Magdalen Island until the 28 of July and then we will tour in Gaspésie. We will be crossing PEI on our way back... and I thought that it would be very nice to take that trip.

Do you think that there could be a possibility to perform in Victoria on Sunday July 30 or even Monday July 31?

We have many forms of collaboration possible!

Here is a little more about the show:

Title of the show: Ephemeral

Target audience: The whole family.

Duration: 50 mins.

Description: Outdoor acrobatic show harmonizing with the natural and urban spaces. We aim for natural sites or public squares that can accommodate an audience of 200 to 400 (depending on the space). Our facilities (aerial pod, wire, balance sticks, Chinese pole and bleachers) will be installed directly on the ground.

The show :

Six reckless acrobats take advantage of a summer twilight by offering themselves a moment of pure aerobatics and frank laughter. Nature is their playground, they have fun defying the laws of gravity, they help each other to explore ever higher the infinity of possibilities. Their joy of living is contagious, their sensitivity is disarming, their acrobatics become more and more unusual...

Ephemeral, like an enveloping summer evening, like a fleeting moment of happiness caught at random, like a burst of laughter or captivating music, like the passage of this troupe of acrobats who arrived from nowhere and yet already left...

Vidéo promo: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zYRUNL-GXEc>

Costs and technical needs:

- Cost of a performance: \$2800 (decreasing fee if several performances)
- Authorization required to plant 8 clamps 4 feet deep (wire anchor and Chinese pole) if planting is not possible, we could use jerseys.
- Electricity required: 2 x 15 amp outlets
- Stage space required: fairly flat terrain (asphalt, grass, etc.) of 50' by 70' min
- Assembly time: 2 hours

And that's it!

Do you think that this could be interesting for the team of Victoria Playhouse?

Thank you so much,

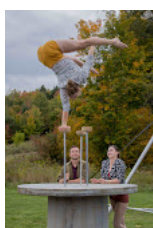
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