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IJA eNewsletter

2014 IJA Festival

Pre-Registration discounts end June 30th www.juggle.org/festival

Festival News, by Erin Stephens

There was a great response to the Early Bird Registration. We are thrilled to have so many participants on board so early. The 2014 Festival is shaping up to be the can't-miss event of the year!

Regular pre-registration is now open and will be closing on June 30th. Be sure to register early and save some cash. That money would be better spent on some new juggling props. Festival Registration is currently \$229 for adults and \$179 for youth. Registration on-site will be \$259 for adults and \$219 for youth.

Joggling

Do you love to jog? Do you love to juggle? Then, Joggling is the event for you. There will be several track events to compete in during the Joggling Championships, including 100- to 1600-meter races, 3-7 object races, and relays. Sign up early during registration and get ready to run. Joggling medals awarded to the winners of each event. See: www.juggle.org/ija/festival/joggling-2014

Footbag Championships

We are happy to announce a new event at the fest this year. There will be a Footbag Championship, headed up by lanek Regimbald. So, whether you're a hacky sacker, footbag freestyler, or soccer enthusiast. You'll want to check out this event. Give your hands a rest and try some juggling with your feet. Skilled competitors are already confirmed from Canada!

The Butterfly Man Busking Competition

Back by popular demand, the IJA will once again host the Butterfly Man Busking Competition. This year, it will be headed up by Geoff Marsh, 2013's busking champ. We've narrowed down our choices of the best location to host this event. So, start polishing up your busking skills and get ready to entertain the masses. More specific information will be coming soon.

Championships

The Stage Championships bring in some of the best jugglers in the world. See page 7 for information about Championships rules and deadlines. *Competitors must complete the entry process by May 15, 2014.*

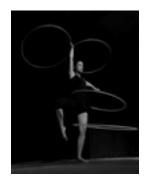
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New Addition to the Performer Lineup, by Erin Stephens

We are excited to announce the addition of a new performer to the already stellar Cascade of Stars cast. Luna Brie Blakeman is known for her fusion of modern dance, traditional circus skills, and musicality within hula-hoop dance. As a coach, she

connects with her students through accessible vocabulary, a sense of humor and a serious attitude of positive empowerment.

Luna began her career in 2006, through performing for world-renowned band "The String Cheese Incident", touring across America to high profile music festivals. In 2008 she was hired by Samsung Mobile to perform in India in promotion of the 2008 Olympic Games. In 2011 she co-



founded an esteemed circus company in Kansas City Missouri, called "MoonDrop Circus", which is still successful today. The

following year, she was awarded 2012 Hoop Instructor of the Year on Hooping.org, and was recently nominated for "Female Hooper of the Year" in 2013. Every year, in collaboration with her sister, Shakti Sunfire, she hosts the Electric Forest hoop Troupe contest and the annual advanced hula-hoop immersion, called In-Depth in Hawaii.

Over the past year Luna has been training under rhythmic gymnastics coach and Cirque du Soleil performer Rebecca Sukhanova, in Pendulum Aerial Arts' professional track circus program. In this Portland based company, she has studied hand balancing, flex, adagio, and aerial acrobatics. In addition she has been blessed with the opportunity to perform hula-hoop within the professional company. Luna sees the acrobat as a living metaphor, epitomizing true harmony of mind, body and spirit, allowing us space to connect to the inner-self that often gets buried under the tyranny of the everyday. "Circus empowered the part of me that hid silently behind the words, 'I can't', and today it is my mission to carry on this gift to any and all who cross my path." - Luna.

After the huge success of the last year's festival, we're headed back to another college campus. The festival will take place at **Purdue University** in West Lafayette, Indiana, USA, from July 28 to August 3, 2014. Join us for another phenomenal week!



The 2014 IJA fest at Purdue University brings:

Welcome Show • Teams, Individuals and Juniors Championships • Cascade of Stars Show • XJuggling Competition • Numbers Championships • Joggling Championships • 24 Hour Juggling Space • Youth Showcase • Free Wi-Fi in the Gym and Dorms • Three Special Workshops • Footbag Championship • Games of the IJA • Fire Nights • Jugglers Parade to Downtown • Butterfly Man Busking Competition • Free Workshops for Festival Attendees • Juggling History Lounge • Club Renegade

Our main juggling venue will be at the France A. Córdova CoRec Center, a brand-new, 240,000-sq.ft. facility, adjacent to modern, comfortable Purdue residence hall lodging and convenient food court-style dining halls. Evening shows and IJA Championships will be held in the beautiful Loeb Playhouse, just a few blocks away.

Purdue is conveniently located near downtown West Lafayette, with many dining and entertainment options within walking distance.

IJA Fest on Facebook: www.facebook.com/events/153501861522980

2014 World Juggling Day - June 14, by Jeremiah Johnston

The time has come to start making your plans for World Juggling Day!

The International Jugglers' Association annually declares a Saturday in June as "World Juggling Day" to encourage people to gather around the world in celebration of the juggling arts. This year the IJA invites juggling organizations, groups and individuals across the globe to celebrate on Saturday, June 14, 2014.

Last year, thousands of jugglers in over 55 countries celebrated World Juggling Day, with the largest event boasting over 700 attendees in Osaka, Japan. Even Ripley's Believe it or Not! joined in celebration across the planet to celebrate the big day. Check out the 2013 World Juggling Day Compilation Video here!

Everyone can celebrate World Juggling Day! Go on a juggling picnic, learn a new trick, teach your friends to juggle, host a juggling toga party, post a juggling video, be a part of the WJD photo contest, or attend one of countless festivals or events hosted by others! The possibilities are endless. However you

choose to celebrate, we hope you will join the IJA and global juggling community to celebrate and share the joy that juggling brings into the world.

There are several great ways to get more involved and stay up to date on the events that will be hosted around the globe. Create and register an event on the LJA website's WJD pages, so people in your local area can find out what's happening near them. Like the 2014 WJD Facebook event, and share what you will be doing for World Juggling Day. You can even participate in the WJD photo contest and have a chance at winning some great juggling prizes (details to be announced in the coming weeks).

Make your plans now to be part of the year's biggest juggling event! Join your fellow jugglers, flow artists, circus artists, and object manipulators across the globe for the 2014 celebration of World Juggling Day!

If you have any questions or would like to be a sponsor of the event, please contact wjd@juggle.org.

Find or Register a WJD event today at

www.juggle.org/ija/wjd



2012 Festival highlights video - For IJA members only!

The full set of highlights video from the 2012 IJA festival is available free to IJA members on **eJuggle**.

2012 Fest part 1 - Gym, joggling, kendama & more

2012 Fest part 2 - Youth Showcase & Juniors Championships

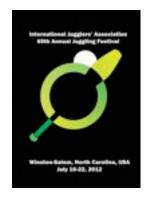
2012 Fest part 3 - Teams Championships

2012 Fest part 4 - Individual Championships

2012 Fest part 5 - Benefit Show, Numbers, Games, & Gym

2012 Fest part 6 - COS, XJuggling, Renegade, & more

You can also now buy the 2012 IJA Fest DVD 2-Pack in the <u>IJA Store</u>. For more info about the DVD set, see page 10.



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Stage Volunteers Needed for Championships, by Vivica Gardiner

The IJA 2014 Stage Championships team is looking for a few festival attendees to help out backstage on Wednesday and Thursday nights. If you have stage management experience, we especially want to hear from you! Please contact Viveca Gardiner at championships@juggle.org to volunteer or find out more.

IJA Store Back Online, by Martin Frost and David Landowne

We reported in February that we had taken the IJA Store offline after it suffered a break-in. To prevent further break-ins, we upgraded the Store's Zencart software, and the newly updated Store was up and available again early in March. You can use the IJA Store to renew memberships, buy DVDs, etc. Use of credit cards is done securely through PayPal. juggle.org/store

IJA Board Nominations Open, by Martin Frost

Want to help steer the IJA? Got some good ideas for what the IJA should (or should not!) do? Run for the IJA Board, or if you think you know someone who would be a good Board member, talk to them about running.

The current volunteer directors on the IJA Board are working hard to keep the IJA alive and vibrant. Each year the IJA needs new volunteers to join the Board and help decide the directions the IJA will go. About half the Board seats are up for election each summer for a two-year term. You help out for two years and then you can relax and let someone else step up if you want

to. Or, you could offer to run again. The best person to nominate may be staring at you in the mirror. Serving on the Board can be very rewarding. Submit a nomination to nominations@juggle.org by the May 15th deadline. Email that same address if you have any questions about serving on the Board. For more details, see: http://www.juggle.org/business/nominations.

There are lots of new things happening to prove that the IJA is still relevant. Help promote the IJA and build on a legacy of success. Get on Board!

2013 IJA Festival T-Shirts Available

The IJA Store has T-shirts from the 2013 IJA Festival.

The front of the shirt features a small design on the left saying "IJA". On the back is a large stylized cityscape showing lots of juggling.

The shirt is currently available in M, L and XL sizes.

You can find it in the Store at:

http://www.juggle.org/store/index.php?main_page=index&cPath=4



From the Ground Up, by Don Lewis

Circus Oz recently came to Tohu in Montreal.

This Australian circus company was founded in 1978 and has been producing successful shows ever since. They like to meld traditional circus skills with contemporary flair, and along the way work collectively on a comfortable scale. They clearly like to have fun since clowning is an important part of the show. And so is live music. Most of the company of about a dozen artists seemed to wind up in the band at various times.

Near the beginning of the show, an audience member was selected to take part in a card trick where he signed his name on a card. Unable to find the signed card when placed in the deck, the hapless magician kept appearing at odd moments throughout the show yelling out "hey, was this your card?".

The principal prop in the show was a wide H-beam which was raised and lowered with chain hoists. It was used as a trapeze support and inclined launch pad for acrobats.

A hanging basket lined with backlit drums swung wildly while the drummer cranked out a rhythm. Acrobats beneath tumbled and rolled to the beat while narrowly avoiding the swinging drummer.

A Chinese pole with a chair fitted to the top proved a challenge because the artist was right up in the lights at the top and had to avoid bumping into things. A grand piano with a lifting hook took to the air along with its pianist for an intense solo. Who knew you could play a piano while swaying in the air? I think it is pretty safe to guess that the keyboard was actually electronic.

There was rolla bolla with several cylinders and a fast paced flying act with a teeter board. A bicycle toured the stage with increasing numbers of people hanging off it. There was dance and acrobatics and clowning while apparatus was being set up. Aerial hoop and trapeze were set up so that

not only could they be raised and lowered, but they could also traverse the stage, giving everyone a good look at the action.

The first juggling action was foot juggling on a chair with Hazel Bock juggling up to five balls back and forth between feet and hands. She finished by manipulating a card table with her feet, turning it over and over and spinning it rapidly. She later

juggled up to seven rings and passed clubs.

A clowning segment morphed into some serious juggling. The legs of a four legged stool flew in all directions when sat on. The legs were juggling clubs which the clown who broke the chair proceeded to juggle in various patterns starting with one club and moving smoothly up to four.

The show's theme was construction so naturally there was a segment of a couple of jugglers passing hammers and other tools back and forth during a setup moment. There were a couple of other sequences of serious club passing which wowed the audience. A hat juggling number was a crowd pleaser. It seemed like most of the troupe juggled something at various times throughout the show.

Importantly, all the artists seemed to be having a lot of fun on stage. The whole atmosphere was very relaxed, which seemed to make the "WOW" moments sneak up on you.

At IJA festivals, we see some pretty amazing juggling. This show had its share of hard tricks. But it also demonstrated that really great presentation takes what jugglers think of as basic juggling and turns it into something wonderful to watch.

It was a fun show to see.

www.youtube.com/watch?v=CfDQ92vOfdc

Montreal Gazette review http://www.circusoz.com/



Hazel Bock





Hazel Bock

Photos by Rob Blackburn, courtesy of Circus OZ

Carmagnole Benefit Show, by Don Lewis

Carmagnole is a collective of circus/ carnival artists and social activists in and around Montreal. They want to bring a carnival atmosphere to the masses and expand their network through skill sharing. On the eighth of March, they held a benefit cabaret show at the Plaza Theatre in Montreal. The Plaza is a true cabaret theater with a generously sized stage and a two level area for the audience to sit or stand, and with a full bar service. For this show, the spectators were invited to come in costume. At times it was impossible to discern the performers from the audience in the milling crowd. Clearly this was an audience of enthusiastic partisans. The show was a tribute to International Women's Day earlier in the week. Nearly all of the performers were women.

We saw a full range of performances in widely varied disciplines. There was a hoop hanging from three ropes with a center portion covered by plexiglas. This left the edge of the hoop as a gripping space for some impressive acrobatic transitions from the ropes to the hoop. There was a dynamic breaking segment that proved that the b-girl dancer wasn't giving anything up in moves to her b-boy foil. Regardless of how much break you see in clubs, really good moves on stage that are perfectly executed are a treat to watch. Likewise, hula hoops in the park just don't compare to a well lit, high speed hoop manipulation act. Golden hoops flying around a black costume were changing position so quickly and accurately that I kept asking myself - did I really see that move? A reprise of an act from another recent show was a partially naked girl doing acrobatics on aerial straps in near darkness. Her photographer partner



circled below her with a flash that alternated between single flashes and strobe bursts. A free standing pole was set up right in the middle of the spectator area. The audience got a great view of pole acrobatics by a seriously fit artist dressed in strategically placed colored stickers.

Naturally there was a juggler. Natasha Paterson juggled large red balls and mixed her juggling with fluid contortion. Her five ball cascade seemed effortless even with balls that must have been eight inches in diameter.

There was clowning between the acts, and promotion of Carmagnole's three day festival in August at St-Charles-sur-Richelieu.

After the show, a pair of DJs were prepared to keep the party going. As the night wore on, the organizers were planning an iPod battle before the bar closed at 3:00 am.

http://www.carmagnole.net/

2014 IJA Festival at Purdue University

Our Special Guests will include:

Patrik Elmnert
Gena Shvartsman Christiani
Vladik Miagkostoupov
Cyrille Humen
The Hopeless Throwmantics
Anna Roudenko
Kellin Quinn and Chauncey Kroner
The Acrobatrix
Luna Brie Blakeman
... with more to come!

Festival Registration

Register online by June 30th to get discounted pricing. Mail-in registration is not available this year. Online pre-registration, which goes through ConstantContact, will end June 30th.

Regular: March 1 – June 30 Adult \$229/Youth-Senior \$179 On Site: July 28 – August 3 Adult \$259/Youth-Senior \$219

Register Now.

Purdue Dorm Room Housing

Convenient on-campus dorm room housing is available for low rates and in close proximity to all festival venues. Dorm rooms will range from \$30 – \$70 per night, depending on whether you have a private, shared or group bathroom. Registration to reserve a dorm room, as well as parking passes and campus dining hall meals, will be done through a Purdue website which is not yet available. See page 9 for dorm room pricing.

Food Options

Meal packages will be available on-campus at Earhart Dining Court. This is a convenient and affordable option, which will be available for pre-order through the Purdue University website, which we expect to be opening in the near future. See page 9 for Purdue meal pricing.

For a diverse dining experience, a variety of restaurants are also located near the campus.

Entering the IJA Stage Championships

The IJA Stage Championships consist of three events:

- 1. Individuals solo juggling routines
- 2. Teams routines involving two or more jugglers
- 3. Juniors solo juggling routines for jugglers under 18 years old

IJA competitions are open to all, regardless of race, nationality, sex, sexual orientation, or age. The only exception is that entrants in the Juniors event must be under 18 years old on the day of the competition and have neither qualified for nor competed in the Individuals event in past IJA Stage Championships. No one may enter both the Individuals and Juniors events in the same year. No one person may enter as a member of more than one team in any year. Competing in the same year both as a member of a team and as a junior or individual entrant is allowable. All entrants must be IJA members at the time of competition. No team member change (addition, deletion, substitution) is allowed between preliminary competition and final competition.

Applicants must complete three steps by May 15, 2014, in order to be considered for the 2014 IJA Stage Championships.

- 1. Post a video of the proposed routine online (see <u>Preliminaries</u> for further information).
- 2. Email championships@juggle.org with the URL of the video and, if necessary, instructions, passwords, or permission to view it. If you are applying to compete as a junior, please also send your date of birth. You must be 17 or younger on July 30, 2014 in order to compete as a junior this year.
- 3. Pay a \$25 entry fee by check or credit card using Championships Payment Form or by using the IJA Store to buy the Stage Championships Entry Fee (no payment form is required when paying through the IJA Store). The entry fee is \$25 per event. For the Teams competition, the entry fee is \$25 per team (not per person), and only one registration form is needed per team.

For full information on the IJA Stage championships, see:

http://www.juggle.org/ija/championships/stage-championship-rules-2014/

Special Workshops at the 2014 IJA Festival

There will be three Special Workshops available to fest attendees this year. Each special workshop costs \$60 (in addition to normal fest registration fees) and will meet on two days for a total of four hours. All special workshops will be scheduled during different time slots, so attendees wanting to commit a lot of time to learning and training can register for one, two or all three.

Pattern, Sequence, and Trick Creation — by Patrik Elmnert Take Your Juggling to New Heights — by Richard Kennison Poi Technique and Exploration — by Cyrille Humen

Full descriptions of these workshops and teacher bios are available on the IJA website: http://www.juggle.org/ija/festival/ija-festival-2014-festival/special-workshops

Pattern, Trick, and Sequence Creation, by Patrik Elmnert

Tuesday and Wednesday, 10am-12pm - \$60

Jugglers of any skill level, from beginner to expert, are invited to join this special workshop which examines how tricks, patterns, and sequences are created. In this workshop, Patrik will share tools on how to randomly generate juggling tricks, patterns, and sequences on paper that directly translate into juggling. It will be focused on each individual's level and interest within juggling. If you've never made a trick, pattern, or sequence before, this is a great start! The grid you will learn to create will do all the thinking for you. If you've created and composed a lot of juggling in the past, this technique is going to make combinations of throws happen that you wouldn't have imagined before.

Props: Balls, Clubs, and Rings. Supplies Needed: Pen and Paper.

Take Your Juggling to New Heights, by Richard Kennison

Thursday and Friday, 10am-12pm - \$60

Kellin Quinn, Thom Wall, Tony Pezzo, Ashley Ellis, Book Kennison, Cameron Ritter, Casey Boehmer, and Nate Sorrill — What do these incredible jugglers have in common? They have all been coached and/or trained by Richard Kennison. In this two day special workshop he will have you look at some of his practical ideas for building a better foundation for your juggling and for creating a juggling act that sets you apart from others.

This workshop is designed for jugglers who have not yet mastered five ball juggling but want to. (Please bring a 48 inch long wooden dowel –quarter sized diameter to this workshop.) Richard does not create juggling robots but helps performers get better at juggling and helps them create the kind of act that is unique to them. Richard is known for meeting jugglers where they are and helping them get going in the direction of where they want to be.

"Richard will help you train to a high level, while keeping an eye on your work's aesthetic and the growth of your theatrical character." Thom Wall

Poi Technique and Exploration, by Cyrille Humen

Wednesday and Thursday, 1pm-3pm - \$60

In this four-hour Special Workshop, Cyrille will present an exploration of various poi techniques including throwing, contact, manipulation, spinning, and more. Flowers, Body Tracing, and Contact Poi techniques will all be covered. Beginning to advanced spinners are welcome.

From clean sequences to chaotic improvisation, participants will search for spontaneous and intuitive movement, shuffle their tricks and experiment with them in order to break out of known patterns and create new ones. Let's get surprised!

2014 IJA Festival Facilities

IJA Festival Venues

The 2014 International Jugglers' Association Festival will be held in West Lafayette, Indiana, on the campus of Purdue University.

Purdue dorm rooms, dining hall meals, and parking permits will all be reserved and paid for through a Purdue University website, which is not yet available. Stay tuned.

Reservations can also be made at several nearby hotels, just a short distance from the campus.

IJA attendees can receive a special discount at the Quality Inn and Suites Hotel. Mention 'jugglers' when making your reservation and receive rooms rates at: \$65 standard / \$89 two room suite. (765) 447-9460. This hotel is 5 miles from Campus and has a shuttle service that runs to Purdue.

There will be free Wi-Fi on most of the campus for registered jugglers — pick up the access code at the IJA table in the gym.

The main festival venues are circled on the Purdue map at the bottom of the page. Here are a list of helpful phone apps you may want to download on your smartphone: Purdue CityBus Tracker, Purdue App (with map), and Purdue University Campus Tour.

The Gym & Workshops will be in the France A. Córdova Recreational Sports Center. This will be the fest's main juggling space and IJA headquarters for the week and will be the location for on-site check-in and registration. The main shows and championships will be held in the evenings at the Loeb Playhouse, located inside the Stewart Center.

Dorms

There are three on-campus housing options including dorm room singles and doubles, with private, shared, or group bathrooms.

Earhart Hall: Double rooms with shared group bathrooms on each floor. Rate: \$30.24 per person per night.

Hillenbrand Hall: Double rooms with shared bathroom between two rooms. Rate: \$35.84 per person per night.

First Street Towers: Single rooms with private bathrooms. Rate: \$69.44 per night.

Dining Hall

Our Dining Hall **at the fest** will be Earhart Dining Court, not far from our residence halls. See their <u>Menus</u> online. Meal costs and times are:

Breakfast: \$6.30

Mon-Fri ~ 6:30am-9:30am

Sat ~ Not Available

Lunch: \$9.97

Mon-Sat ~ 11am-2pm

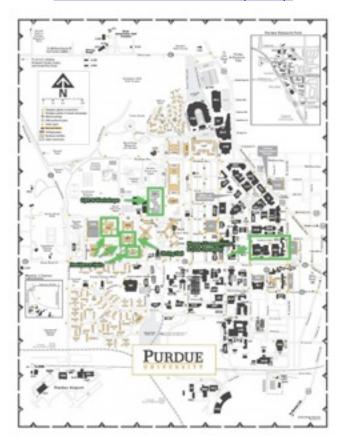
Dinner: \$9.97

Mon-Sat ~ 5pm-8:30pm

Parking

On-campus parking will be available in nearby lots for \$2 per day. You can purchase permits from the Parking Facilities office located at Purdue West Shopping Center (1400 West State St) or online here. There is also a parking garage available for \$10 per day across the street from Purdue Memorial Union.

Click here to view the full sized campus map.



2012 Winston-Salem Fest Boxed DVD Set Now Available

The 2012 IJA Festival DVD is finally out! Relive all the excitement from Winston-Salem, NC, in this comprehensive two-disc set.

See uncut routines from: David Ferman, Niels Duinker, Peter Irish, Thom Wall, Takashi Hagiwara, Jack Levy, Akira Fukugawa, Satoshi Etoh, Danny Gratzer, Ethan Robison, Kellin Quinn, Jack Denger, Yoko Ono, Ashley Ellis, the Kikyo Brothers, Kentokaito, Daniel and Dominik, the Canaval Twins, and the Institute of Jugglology. Also includes performance highlights from special guests: Pavel Evsukevich, Ryan Mellors, Freddy Kenton, and Cie Ea Eo. This release is jam-packed with footage of all the events, including XJuggling, the Renegade stage, games and more!

IJA DVDs are NTSC and region-free (will play in any region). They should play on all North American and

Japanese DVD players, all computer DVD drives, and most recent European equipment. They may not work on some older European equipment which supports only PAL or SECAM. These DVDs are DVD-R format, which means the video is burned on a DVD-R disc, which should play in all but the oldest DVD players.

The price for members is \$30. You have to log in to the store to see this price. Otherwise, you will see the non-member price of \$40.00. If you haven't shopped at the IJA Store before or don't have an account with us, then sign up as a new customer and send an email to store@juggle.org to update your account status to "member".

IJA Store 2012 dvd set

http://www.juggle.org/store/index.php?main_page=product_info&cPath=2&products_id=235





"THE THIRD", is a full length 42 minute juggling film, featuring Tony Pezzo. It exhibits over 150 of Tony's favorite new tricks and routines that he's been working on for over 2 years! The video will be released on eJuggle in three parts, along with 3 BONUS tutorials for each part that teach tricks and techniques from the film. This deal is exclusively for IJA members only!

In this section Tony explores never before seen mixed prop juggling, ring facerolls, pulldown variations, and more! Check it out.

http://ezine.juggle.org/2014/03/05/tony-pezzos-the-third-ija-special-edition-1/



Latest Articles in eJuggle

eJuggle has a lot of content — more than you would expect to find in a printed magazine. And you find new content more often. Here is a partial list of recently added content. Use the link to eJuggle to see new content, and log in to access content that is just available to IJA members. http://ezine.juggle.org

Juggler's Scoop – March 22th, 2014 Nathan Wakefield

IJA Tricks of the Month - USA - March 2014 ... IJA Tricks of the Month

2013 World Juggling Day Video Erin Stephens

Pendulum Juggling Enters its Third Decade Jay Gilligan

You're invited to EJC 2014 in Ireland EJC 2014

The Development Of The Juggling Club (Part 4) David Cain

Juggler's Scoop - March 5th, 2014 Nathan Wakefield

Tony Pezzo's "THE THIRD" - IJA special edition #1 Tony Pezzo

IJA TRICKS OF THE MONTH - FLOW - February... IJA Tricks of the Month

IJA CHALLENGE - 3 BALLS IN ONE HAND WHILE RUB... Richard Kohut

Center of Gravity Jay Gilligan

The Development Of The Juggling Club (Part 3) David Cain

Be Funnier with Scotty Meltzer: Mixing In Action Scotty Meltzer

Juggler's Scoop - February 20th, 2014 Nathan Wakefield

IJA Tricks of the Month - USA - February 2014 Nathan Wakefield

Ladies Malabaristas Erin Stephens

The Development Of The Juggling Club (Part 2) David Cain

IJA Tricks of the Month - MÉXICO - February 2014 Jorge Vilchis

IJA Tricks of the Month – Flow – January 2014 –... IJA Tricks of the Month

2014 IJA Festival Cody Fiereck

Juggler's Scoop - February 5th, 2014 Nathan Wakefield

2012 IJA Festival Video Part 6: Cascade of Stars, XJ... Nathan Wakefield

IJA CHALLENGE – 5 Sheets of Paper Cascade Endurance Richard Kohut

Joan and the Gentleman Juggler Review Guest Writer

This is a partial list, earlier articles omitted.... Get the full list at feed://ezine.juggle.org/feed/

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Montreal Juggling Festival - May 2 - 4, 2014, by Don Lewis

The Montreal Juggling Festival is back!

In recent years the Montreal group has struggled with space issues and has been unable to locate a venue that we could afford for a festival. Even a partnership with a local vendor and other groups failed to thrive after the school that had been hosting the festival became permanently unavailable.

Recently, Benoit Ranger of the group Transporteur des Réves invited us to hold the festival in the nearby town of St. Eustache. There is a huge sports facility available. Initially there was some hesitation on the part of the organizing team. Could we really get a major festival off the ground in a new location on short notice? You can't win if you don't bet, so we're going for it. Everything seems to be falling into place for a great festival with all the familiar features.

There is no shortage of talented jugglers in the area and interest is quickly building in the show. Out-of-town acts are also welcome. Check with <u>Jean Demarais</u> for more information about performing in the show.

Les Jongleurs Associés du Québec will be joined by local hacky sack enthusiasts and slackliners. There may even be some exciting highline action.

The Multisport Complex in St. Eustache is huge. Even part of it will be more space than we've ever had. It is similar in size to the giant space that the New York festival used at the Pratt Institute in Brooklyn. The ceiling is impressively high at 55 feet. On-site indoor camping will be available in a separate room, with lots of space to set up tents on a soft surface. A snack bar will be available, run by the sports center.

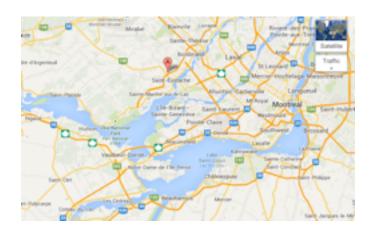
It is easy to get to St. Eustache, which is about 30 minutes by car from Montreal. There is also regular bus service from downtown Montreal, as well as from the Laval METRO terminal. There is plenty of free parking at the sports complex.

The festival is evolving on the JAQ's Facebook page. The JAQ website is currently being renovated, but it will soon have information about the festival.

Facebook page

www.jaq.qc.ca







Complexe Multisport Saint-Eustache, 85 Rue Grignon Saint-Eustache, QC J7P 0C5, Canada

More Festivals! For a list of even more festivals, check the worldwide juggling event listings on the IJA website at: http://www.juggle.org/events.

Juggling Festivals

37th RIT Spring Juggle-In April 11 - 13, 2014 Rochester, NY website

Northwest Arkansas Juggling Festival

April 11 - 13, 2014 Fayetteville, AR

<u>facebook</u>

Humboldt Juggling Festival April 11 - 13, 2014 Arcata, CA

Facebook

British Juggling Convention 2014

April 11 - 17, 2014

Barnsley, South Yorkshire, UK

www.bjc2014.co.uk

Israeli Juggling Convention

April 16 - 20, 2014

Gan Hashlosha National Park,

North Israel

www.ijc.co.il/eng_frameset.html

LyriCon - Die 9. Nürtinger Jonglierconv.

April 18 - 21, 2014 Nürtingen, Germany

<u>website</u>

Montreal Juggling Festival

May 2 - 4, 2014 St. Eustache, QC

website

38th Isla Vista Juggling Festival

May 2 - 4, 2014 Santa Barbara, CA

www.sbjuggle.org

Ann Arbor Juggling Arts Festival

May 10, 2014 Ann Arbor, MI

website

16. Freiburger Jongliertreffen

May 16 - 18, 2014 Freiburg, Germany

website

Berlin JonglierConvention

June 12 - 15, 2014 Berlin, Deutschland

website

Boulder Juggling Festival

June 13 - 15, 2014 Boulder. CO

www.bouldercircuscenter.com

World Jugging Day June 14, 2014 Everywhere

www.juggle.org/ija/wjd

Madskillz Vancouver June 26 - 30, 2014 Vancouver, BC

madskillzvancouver.com/

European Juggling Convention

July 19 - 27, 2014

Millstreet, Co. Cork, Ireland

www.ejc2014.org

IJA Juggling Festival July 28 - August 3, 2014 Purdue University West Lafayette, IN

www.juggle.org/festival

Kansas City Juggling Festival September 12 - 14, 2014

Rockhurst High School, KCMO kansascityjugglingclub.com/

Philly Fest 2014 October 4 - 5, 2014 Philadelphia, PA

www.phillyjugglers.com

Japan Juggling Festival (JJF)

October 11 - 13, 2014

Tokyo, Japan website

Having a Juggling Festival? List it here!

If you're organizing a juggling festival (or if you simply know of a juggling fest) and you want to advertise it in the IJA eNewsletter, just drop a note to eNewsletter editor Don Lewis enews@juggle.org. Such listings are free.

The eNewsletter generally comes out near the end of each month. Your festival can be listed for a few months, and you don't have to be an IJA affiliate to have a fest listed. Hey, jugglers want to know about juggling fests. Help them out and get more jugglers to your fest at the same time.