International Jugglers' Association Historic Special 60th Anniversa Juggling Festival July 16-22, 2007 Jugglard Festival July 16-22, 2007

Benton Convention Center, Winston-Salem, NC USA

Register online at: www.juggle.org/festival

2007 Guest Artists

Special Guest: Viktor Kee

The IJA is proud to welcome Viktor Kee as the Special Guest for our 60th anniversary celebration. Universally recognized as one of the world's most creative and talented jugglers, Viktor is an international circus star who has inspired countless fans with his unique and powerful performance.

Victor began his training at the age of six, when his older brother "smuggled" him into circus school. Juggling became Victor's favorite circus art, and he was profoundly moved when he happened to view a video of Francis Brunn – his career path suddenly became clear. After years of intense, specialized training, he developed a truly world-class performance, combining juggling with elements of dance, drama, contortion and acrobatics to create a beautiful and stunning presentation.



Viktor has performed at some of the most respected venues in the world, including long engagements at the Moulin Rouge and the Lido de Paris. He's been honored with a silver award at the Cirque de Demain festival and a prestigious Silver Clown at the International Circus Festival in Monte-Carlo. A highlight of his career was appearing as Barbra Streisand's Special Guest at her millennium concert in Las Vegas. Recently he has enjoyed an eightyear run with Cirque du Soleil's *Dralion*. Viktor will headline the big *Cascade* of *Stars* show on Friday night as well as share his knowledge of performance skills and aesthetics in the Special Workshop.

The Peapot Jugglers

Joining us from Finland are Peapot Jugglers Maksim Komaro and Ville Walo, who will perform the first half of the *Cascade of Stars*. We are very excited to bring the Peapots to their first appearance at an IJA festival. Innovative jugglers and talented educators, Maksim and Ville will offer several free workshops during the week.

Jerry Martin writes: "Peapot's commitment is to keep the electricity flowing, to shake us out of our creative laziness, and to honor our elders while doing so. With their rock-solid base of ethical integrity, their experimental energy, their lifelong experience juggling all manner of props, and their unfettered sense of humor, you can be certain the Peapot posse will be totally alive inside whatever new ideas they dream up."

Peter Davison

Peter is a multi-disciplinary performer working with juggling, dance and monologue. He began as a teenage street performer in the late '70s. In 1982, Peter won first place in the IJA Championships and became a founding member of the trio Airjazz. With Airjazz, he has toured internationally and appeared on numerous TV shows such as the *Tonight Show* with Johnny Carson. Peter has taught movement workshops at, among other places, the national circus schools of Quebec and France under the direction of Guy Caron (one of the founders of Cirque du Soleil).

Working primarily as a solo performer since 1991, he has toured his show *Up in the Air* nationally and was featured on Harry Anderson's CBS special *The Tricks of his Trade.* Peter's new one-man show, *A View from the Moon*, a dance/theater piece based on four famous insane artists, was produced at the California Performing Arts Festival.

Peter will share his artistic vision in a free workshop as well as in the *Cascade of Stars*.

Special Workshop

Yuri Pozdniakov & Viktor Kee

Legends of the past: The story goes that Nikolai Kiss was at work in the hall where the great Enrico Rastelli practiced. After carefully observing Rastelli's training techniques, Nikolai taught them to his children. Alexander Kiss and his sister Violetta later passed on this method to many others, including Sergei Ignatov, who then personally trained Yuri Pozdniakov.

Today, Yuri continues the tradition of excellence and artistry as the master circus director of the Professional Circus School of Kiev, in the heart of the Ukraine. This year's Special Guest Viktor Kee is just one of many international circus stars who have benefited from Yuri's tutelage.

Yuri was honored as the IJA's Special Guest in 2005 and is back this year by popular demand. He will select two of his most promising students to bring to the IJA festival, giving us an exclusive look at the emerging young circus stars of this century.

IJA participants are invited to explore Yuri's techniques in a three-day special workshop (1pm-4pm, Tuesday to Thursday). He will be assisted by his selected students as well as by Viktor Kee, who will join the workshop for one hour each day. Yuri will teach the practice techniques and preparations of some of the most successful and talented jugglers in the world while Viktor will teach performance aesthetics.

Explore new tricks and drills, enhance your performance skills and gain valuable feedback from one of the top professional coaches in the world.

This workshop will meet for three days, three hours per day, and cost an additional \$125. You must pre-register for participation in this workshop. Space is limited, so be sure to sign up early! For more information email festival2007@juggle.org.

Shows Ice Cream Social & Welcome Show

Join us after dinner Tuesday night for an old fashioned ice cream social! Afterwards we'll walk over to the theater together to kick off the week's entertainment schedule. Our hosts for the evening will be the native Carolinian comedy/juggling team the Fettucini Brothers. Alfredo and Alfresco, AKA Steve Langley and Mike Heidtman, will start our 60th anniversary celebration in a show featuring great acts from within the IJA family. For more information on performing, email John Satriano at festival2007@juggle.org.

Youth Showcase

This non-competitive event on Wednesday evening will feature young performers up to age 18. Beginners and experienced jugglers are welcome. This is a great chance to try the stage for the first time. For more information on performing, email producer David Groth at youthshowcase@juggle.org. Stage time will be limited so sign up early!

Planting the Juggling Seed

On Thursday morning the gym will fill with hundreds of local schoolchildren. This will be a wonderful opportunity to introduce the magic of the manipulative arts on the stage of *Planting the Juggling Seed*. After the show the kids will get a juggling lesson and an opportunity to speak with professional jugglers. Interested in performing? Contact organizers Kim Laird and Rob Barowski at jugglingseed@juggle.org.

Renegade Shows

2007 marks the 21st year since the birth of our popular late night shows, which means that Renegade itself is now of drinking age! Birthday celebrations will be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights after the evening shows let out. Produced by Renegade Juggling, these shows provide a more relaxed atmosphere for performers to try out their newest material and wildest stunts. Refreshing adult beverages and pub food will be available. Performer signups will be at the festival.

Cascade of Stars

Friday night brings the show you've been waiting for all week, a spectacular convergence of international performers and juggling superstars! To cap our week's entertainment, Viktor Kee, The Peapot Jugglers, Peter Davison, and more invited guests to come will create a world-class exhibition worthy of our 60th anniversary celebration. On this night, the Stevens Center will become the center of the juggling universe...we hope you are there! We expect this show to sell out so purchase your extra tickets early.

Competitions IJA Championships

This event attracts jugglers from around the world, presenting their very best work in hopes of capturing an IJA gold medal. An intense competition that has presented some fantastic surprises, this show will keep you on the edge of your seat! The Juniors Championships are on Wednesday, July 18, the Individuals and Teams Championships on Thursday, July 19. Almost \$4000 in cash prizes plus medals and trophies will go home with the 2007 champions! See www.juggle. org/championships for the rules. See also the two special notes below. Entry fee: \$10 per event. Contact Championships Director Craig Barnes at championships@juggle.org.

Special Note – Routines must be submitted on DVD: To enter the Championships, you must submit a DVD of your act (actual costume, music and routine) when you sign up for the competition at the festival on Monday. The video on DVD must be from a single continuous shot of your act, with no editing at all. The top acts will be selected for the stage finals in each category.

Special Note – Use of copyright music now restricted in *IJA Championships* and *Individual Prop Competition*: Competitors may use copyright, royalty free or public domain recordings. Should a competitor elect to use a copyright recording, they must provide written evidence that they have obtained performance and synchronization rights from the owner of the copyright to use that recording in IJA competitions and videos.

Individual Prop Competition

The Individual Prop Competition will be held on Thursday afternoon. Look for the best in 3 balls, 3 clubs, 1 diabolo, 1 devil stick, 3 cigar boxes and (new this year) 3 rings. Routines should be no longer than 2 minutes and choreographed to music (see note above). Cash prizes totaling \$1200 will be awarded. Entry fee: \$10 per event. For more information, contact organizer Dan Holzman at propcomp@juggle.org.

Extreme Juggling

What is Extreme Juggling? It's not stage, circus or birthday party juggling. You don't even have to have your tricks mastered. All that matters is the biggest, baddest, most extreme juggling tricks you've ever seen. If you can rock a trick every time, it's probably TOO EASY! Watch the best jugglers in the world pull off huge tricks and gnarly moves or crash and burn. This is all about radical, cutting edge tricks that push the limits of creativity and possibility...and all you gotta do is pull your trick off ONCE (within the time limit, or course). Look for this competition on Friday afternoon. For more info visit www.xjuggling.com or contact organizer Jack Kalvan at extreme@juggle.org.



Joggling Championships

Joggling is simply juggling while jogging or, in this case, sprinting! This year's event is scheduled at 9am on Tuesday. Entry Fee: \$10. For more information, contact Joggling Director Bill Giduz at joggling@juggle.org.

Numbers Championships

The IJA Numbers Championships were established to provide a forum for competitors to challenge each other, past champions and the laws of physics. The purpose of these events is to accurately record who can successfully juggle, individually and in teams, the greatest numbers of balls, clubs, rings and bounced balls. Look for the Numbers Championships on Friday at noon. Cash prizes totaling \$1000 will be available including a special prize for competitors breaking IJA Numbers records. Entry fee: \$10 per event. See www.juggle.org/championships for rules and entry information.

60th Anniversary Party & Awards Banquet

Saturday night we'll all get together and celebrate 60 years of juggling camaraderie at the IJA Anniversary Party! Sit down for a banquet style dinner with your extended family, topped off by the IJA awards ceremonies. Afterwards we'll open up the dance floor, unleash the D.J. and party the night away!

Workshops

The festival will be packed with dozens of one-hour workshops each day from Tuesday morning to Saturday afternoon. Featuring a wide range of props, skill levels and styles, all workshops are free and open to festival registrants (except the Special Workshop with Yuri Pozdniakov). Interested in sharing your skills? Contact Workshop Coordinator Chuck Hawley at workshops@juggle.org.

IJA Auction

No item is too old – or too odd – for this year's annual auction. Donate an item by contacting auction@juggle.org, or just show up and bid on juggling articles, props, memorabilia and photos. Proceeds will benefit the IJA Archives Fund.

Games of the IJA

The games are always a festival favorite. Kick back in the gym and watch or, better yet, join in the fun. Questions or ideas? Contact Games Director Scott Slesnick at games@juggle.org.



Festival Headquarters

Located in the center of downtown Winston-Salem, the Benton Convention Center offers over 80,000 square feet of well lit, climate-controlled juggling space. Two large gyms will be available, affording jugglers the choice of soft carpet or smooth concrete. The facility is connected by skywalk to the Marriott and by tunnel to the Embassy Suites and is within walking distance of plenty of restaurants. Free wireless Internet is available throughout.

Theater

Originally a 1929 silent movie theater, the Stevens Center is a magnificently restored neoclassical theater located 2 blocks from the festival facility. Re-opened since 1983, the Stevens Center is the primary performance space for the school of dance and music at the North Carolina School of the Arts. Seating 1350, this fully modernized theater is the perfect showcase for our lineup of top-notch competitions and performers.

Being There



Hotels

To get the room rates below, mention the International Jugglers' Association and reserve your rooms by the indicated deadlines. All rooms are subject to an additional 13% state and local tax.

Winston-Salem Marriott

888-236-2427. 425 North Cherry Street,
Winston-Salem, NC 27101.
www.marriott.com (Group Code: ijaijaa)
\$99 per room (up to 4 people) until June 24.
Free wireless Internet.
All non-smoking rooms.
WS Prime steakhouse and pub on site.

Embassy Suites Winston-Salem

800-560-7782. 460 North Cherry Street,
Winston-Salem, NC 27101.
www.embassysuites.com (Reservations must be made by phone.)
\$109 per room (up to 4 people) until June 24.
Refrigerator and microwave in each room.
Includes cooked-to-order breakfast and daily manager's reception.

Free wireless Internet.

Non-smoking rooms available on request. The Grille Restaurant and lounge on site. Starbucks on site.

The Hawthorne (approx 3/4 mile)

800-972-3774. 420 High Street,
Winston-Salem, NC 27101.
www.hawthorneinn.com (Reservations must be made by phone.)
\$85 per room (up to 4 people) until June 15.
Includes complimentary continental breakfast.
Free wireless Internet.

Non-smoking rooms available on request. The Bayberry Restaurant and lounge on site.

Wingate Inn Old Salem (approx 1 mile)

336-714-2800. 125 South Main Street, Winston-Salem, NC 27101.
www.wingateinns.com (Reservations must be made by phone.)
\$85 per room (up to 4 people) until June 29.
Includes complimentary continental breakfast.
Free wireless Internet.
Non-smoking rooms available on request.

Winston-Salem, North Carolina

Nestled in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains, Winston-Salem has a rich cultural heritage. Stroll the downtown arts district with dozens of galleries and museums. Visit Old Salem to see a fully recreated colonial village in operation. Top rated vineyards, boating, hiking and barbeque afford plenty of extra reasons to visit this beautiful southern city. Drop by www.visitwinstonsalem.com for more info.

Airport

Winston-Salem is served by Piedmont Triad International Airport in Greensboro, NC (airport code GSO). Airlines include American Eagle, Continental, Delta, Northwest, United and US Airways. Direct service is available from most of the major hubs in the Northeast and Midwest. The airport is about a 25-minute drive from festival headquarters.

Vendors

The main gym will be home to a wide variety of vendors selling props, clothing, jewelry, toys, books, videos and more. Vendor spaces are available on the registration form. Each person working in the gym as a vendor needs either an Event Package or Gym Admission. For more information contact vendors@juggle.org.

Volunteers

The IJA is an all-volunteer organization. This means we need YOU to help make the fest a smooth running experience for all of us. If you can share a little time at the fest, please contact festvolunteers@juggle.org.

DVD Special

Each person getting an Event Package can also buy the Championships and Highlights DVD 2-Pack (produced by Alan Plotkin) for the cost of shipping and handling...only \$10! DVDs will be shipped directly to you after production in the fall of 2007.

Annual Business Meeting

Here you'll meet candidates for the Board of Directors, discuss ideas to improve the IJA, and much more! Noon on Wednesday.

Spectator Passes

Spectator passes are \$5/day per person for the general public and non-juggling relatives or friends of registered jugglers. Spectator passes provide gym access for watching juggling and browsing the booths. They do not include admission to any shows.

Three Ways to Register

1. **Internet**: Register and pay online using our secure registration form at:

www.juggle.org/festival

2. **Mail**: If you use US Mail, your registration form must be RECEIVED by July 1, 2007. Send registration form with either credit card information or a check payable to IJA, to:

> IJA Registrar Jerry Martin 7336 Lyndale Ave South Richfield, MN 55423-3054 USA

3. **Fax**: Fax registration form with credit card information by July 1, 2007 to 612-861-6726.

You will receive confirmation of your registration by email. Your registration materials will await you in Winston-Salem.

Questions about registration? Call Registrar Jerry Martin at 612-309-1435 or email registrar@juggle.org.

Youth Group Discounts: Event Packages are available at a further discount to groups of 10 or more youths attending with a chaperone. For more information, please contact John Satriano at festival2007@juggle.org.

Fees and Deadlines

Early Bird: Register by April 25 and pay only \$149 for an Adult Event Package or \$109 for a Youth-Senior Event Package.

Advanced: Register April 26 through July 1 (July 8 for Internet registration) and pay \$185/Adult, \$145/Youth-Senior.

Last Minute: Register at the festival gym and pay \$195/Adult, \$155/Youth-Senior.

Daily gym admission and show tickets are also available separately. Full payment must accompany your registration.

2007 IJA Festival Schedule of Events

Monday July 16	Tuesday July 17	Wednesday July 18	Thursday July 19	Friday July 20	Saturday July 21	Sunday July 22
10am: Facility Open	9am-5pm: Registration	9am-5pm: Registration	9am-5pm: Registration	9am-5pm: Registration	9am-5pm: Registration	
Noon-5pm: Registration	9am-noon: Joggling	10am: Affiliates Noon: Business Meeting	11am: Planting the Juggling Seed	10am-Noon: IJA Auction		
FREE JUGGLING	1-4pm: Special Workshop	1-4pm: Special Workshop	1-4pm: Special Workshop	Noon-3pm: IJA Numbers Championships	12:30-4pm: IJA Games	FREE JUGGLING
		1-3pm: Youth Showcase Rehearsal	1-5pm: Teams & Individuals Rehearsal		4pm: Big Toss-Up photo follows games	
4-5pm: Teams, Individuals & Juniors Signups	7:30pm: Ice Cream Social	3-5pm: Juniors Champs Rehearsal	3-5pm: Individual Prop Competition	4-6pm: Extreme Juggling		3pm: Gym closes. See you next year!
	9pm: Welcome Show	7pm: Youth Showcase 9pm: Juniors	7pm: Teams & Individuals Championships	8pm: Cascade of Stars	8pm:Anniversary Party & Awards Banquet	
	Midnight: Renegade Show	Midnight: Renegade Show	Midnight: Renegade Show			

All schedules and guests are subject to change without notice.

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New guests added!

Françoise Rochais

Raspyni Brothers

Get the Shoe (from Germany)

Aurelia Cats

and an act from Cirque du Soleil !

2007 IJA FESTIVAL REGISTRATION FORM

Remember, you can register quickly and securely via the web at:

www.juggle.org/festival

You must be an IJA member to register for the festival. If you're not a member or your membership expires before July 22, 2007, fill out the Membership section below. (Check your magazine's mailing label for your membership expiration date.) Choose the **Event Package** to get access to the gym, all the shows, ice cream social and IJA awards banquet plus a T-shirt (with the Event Package, you can pay \$10 extra to have the Festival Highlights and Championships DVDs delivered to you when they are ready). Or you can choose items individually in the **A La Carte** section. Either way, *if you're interested in the special Yuri Pozdniakov workshop, you must register for that separately.* Within a few weeks after you register, you'll get a confirmation email from the IJA. Your festival registration materials will await you in Winston-Salem. If you have questions about registration, please visit www.juggle.org/festival or contact Registrar Jerry Martin, registrar@juggle.org, 612-309-1435.

Member Name	Phone	Year of birth
Address	Email	
City, State	Zipcode	Country
Member Status (please circle one): New Ren	ew Individual Family	Life Member
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Family Member 2	Year of birth
Family Member 3	Year of birth
Family Member 4	Year of birth

(Add any more family members on a separate sheet of paper.)

MEMBERSHIP

Each participant must be a current member to attend the IJA festival. You may join for multiple years.

Individual membership: 18 or older, includes 4 issues/year of JUGGLE magazine.

Youth membership: 17 or under, includes 4 issues/year of JUGGLE magazine. Youth members may not add Family Members. Additional family members: Individual Members may add additional family members living at the same address for \$5 each. All additional family members, except one, must be 22 or younger. Children 12 and under are free. Family members will not receive a separate copy of IJA publications.

	Years	Quantity	Total \$
Dues, circle membership price: Individual \$30 Youth \$23			
Additional Family Members, \$5 each			
Life Membership \$1500			
Total Membership (US\$)			Α

EVENT PACKAGE

Event package includes everything listed in A La Carte **except** Yuri Pozdniakov workshop and vendor options. A Youth is between the ages of 11 and 17. Kids 10 and under: free Gym Pass and half-price Show Tickets. Shirt sizes available are Adult S, M, L, XL, XXL, XXL — add "Ladies" if you want a Ladies style…note that these run slightly small. If you want the Highlights & Championships DVDs for \$10, indicate quantity below. Indicate number of vegetarian meals, if any, for the banquet.

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Adult Event Package, if registered by 4/25/07				\$149	
Adult Event Package, after 4/25/07 and by 7/1/07				\$185	
Adult Event Package, onsite				\$195	
Total Adult Event Packages					В
Youth/Senior Event Package, if registered by 4/25/07				\$109	
Youth/Senior Event Package, after 4/25/07 and by 7/1/07				\$145	
Youth/Senior Event Package, onsite				\$155	
Total Youth/Senior (ages 11-17, 65+) Event Packages					C
Festival DVD 2-Pack (Limit 1 per Event Package) \$10			D		
Subtotal A + B + C + D				\$	

Subtotal from previous page						\$
A LA CARTE Adult Gym Admission				Quantity	Price	Total \$
Circle days: TUE WED THU FRI SAT Circle price: 5 days: \$120 4 days: \$100 3 days: \$80 2 days: \$55	1 day:	\$30				
Youth (11-17) or Senior (65+) Gym Admission						
Circle days: TUE WED THU FRI SAT Circle price: 5 days: \$70 4 days: \$60 3 days: \$50 2 days: \$35	1 day: S	\$20				
Tickets (Kids are 10 and under)		No. adults	Adu	lts No. kids	Kids	Total \$
Ice Cream Social	Tue.		\$5	5	free	
Welcome Show	Tue.		\$1	0	\$5	
Youth Showcase and Juniors Championships	Wed.		\$1	5	\$7	
Individuals & Teams Championships	Thu.		\$1	5	\$7	
Cascade of Stars	Fri.		\$2	5	\$12	
Awards Banquet, indicate number of vegetarians:	Sat.		\$3	0	\$15	
Miscellaneous				Quantity	Price	Total \$
Festival T-Shirt, circle size: S M L XL XXL XXXL Ladies style []					\$15	
Yuri Pozdniakov Workshop					\$125	
Vendor Space (12' x 10', 2 tables) Electric Hookup \$40 extra []					\$150	
Vendor Additional Tables (\$40 extra each)					\$40	
Spectator (non-juggler, gym access only), circle days: TUE WED THU FRI SAT Circle price: 5 days: \$25 4 days: \$20 3 days: \$15 2 days: \$10 1 day: \$5						

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Grand Total (US\$) of all the above

WAIVER/CONSENT TO PHOTOGRAPH & VIDEO RECORDING

All registrants must sign the following WAIVER/CONSENT to help the IJA continue to produce its annual festival and related videos and photographs. Thank you!

IN CONSIDERATION OF MY BEING ACCEPTED as a registrant with the right to participate in the 2007 annual festival of the International Jugglers' Association ("IJA") in Winston-Salem, North Carolina, USA, I, the undersigned registrant, hereby:

(1) WAIVE any and all rights I may have against the IJA and any of its officers, directors, employees, agents or representatives, acting within the scope of their duties as such, to recover any claims, losses, damages or expenses of any kind asserted against, or suffered or incurred by me in any way arising out of or caused by an activity associated with the IJA Festival; and

(2) CONSENT to the making of filmed or digital photographs and videotape or digital image recordings of my person and my performances at the IJA Festival, as expressly authorized by IJA, and LICENSE IJA and its agents to register copyright in any such photographs and recordings in its own name and reproduce and distribute copies thereof. This consent and license shall not be construed as conveying any rights in the design or choreography of any performance of mine except for the photographs and recordings hereby authorized.

Signature of Member, or if under 18, of Parent/Guardian	Date
Signature of Family Member 1	Date
Signature of Family Member 2	Date
Signature of Family Member 3	Date
Signature of Family Member 4	Date
PAYMENT [] Check to "IJA" enclosed [] Vi	sa [] MasterCard (Fill in credit card info below.)
Card Number	Expiration Date
Name on Card	3-digit Security Code (from back of card)
Signature	