

The Wrong Brothers
Photo: Stuart Boulton/SBC

Feasible Ferret Theatre Walkabout Acts Programmer Information



The Dustbusters
Photo: Adam Rowett

About Feasible Ferret Theatre

Feasible Ferret Theatre make comic and interactive walkabout acts that bring festivals, high streets and public spaces to life. With over a decade of experience, we make acts that are playful and eye catching, designed to engage intergenerational audiences with joyous, unforgettable encounters. Our acts have featured at SO Festival, Stockton International Riverside Festival, Arts Fresco, and the Armed Forces Day National Event in Aldershot.

Our Walkabout Acts

From arts festivals and heritage days to town centre events, community fun days and celebrations, we have acts to animate almost any programme. Our acts make a walk down the high street or a wait in a queue into something audiences remember, sparking conversation and laughter along the way. We are also happy to discuss commissions and adaptations to suit a particular theme or event.

"Feasible Ferret Theatre have a real gift for creating fun and accessible work for communities from all walks of life."

Sally Lampitt
Programme Lead
Applause Rural Touring


The Prickly Pair
Photo: Thomas Daniel Byrne

The Prickly Pair

Being a cactus isn't all sunshine, something Spike and Prickolas know all too well. After catching a mild cactus mite infestation and an unfortunate mishap burst their favourite beach ball, these comically glum cacti are on the hunt for reasons to be cheerful.

Refusing to let life wilt them, the Prickly Pair are convinced today is the day things start looking up, though they may need a little help believing it. Armed with arid humour, spiky silliness and a supply of positive cacti affirmations, they put down roots wherever they go, letting friendly conversations flourish and gathering up every seed of cheer they can find. With every sprouted smile and joyous joke, Spike and Prickolas find that even the driest of days can bloom into moments of joy.

"Who would have thought that gloomy cacti could elicit so much joy out of people! The Prickly Pair brought a sense of unity to the event, where market stall holders, audience and shop owners all came together around the piece."

Thomas Byrne
Freelance Project Manager for Tameside MBC
Super Saturday, Ashton-under-Lyne

Watch the trailer and find out more



Never A GULL Moment
Photo: SO Festival

Never A GULL Moment

What an unbelieva-gull problem! You'd better hold on to your snacks. The Prawn To Be Wild Fish Co. is in a real flap. Cliff and Nestor are being followed by a mischievous flock of savvy seagulls and are having to sell their fishy produce on the fly. Can the greedy gulls be got rid of for good, or can humans learn how to better coexist with their seemingly feathery foes? Explore a world where fins flounder, feathers fly, and the sea collides with the streets.

Join playful fishmongers Cliff and Nestor as they search for an impossible solution to the question: what to do about all the gulls? They are not spratting about. With a kriller business plan to reel in the customers and boost their financial oppor-tuna-ties, they are not letting a few gulls get in the way. Expect flying feathers, fishy bargains and a flock of giddy gulls with minds of their own.

"A brilliant act. Visitors laughed as soon as they saw you. You even made my boss laugh, and they never laugh!"

Lauren Baker

Fort Burgoyne Sunday Funday

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Also available to book through Fool's Paradise



The Dustbusters
Photo: Woolwich Family Pride

The Dustbusters

Are dust bunnies running wild? Have spiderwebs taken over? Then you need The Dustbusters! These sassy, silver-topped domestic goddesses from yesteryear are sure to get everyone and everything looking prim and proper.

No corner goes uninspected and no smudge goes unmentioned. Should a passer by find a duster pressed into their hand, well, many hands make light work. Expect housekeeping wisdom nobody asked for and etiquette tips delivered with absolute authority. But it's not all work and no play for these slapstick scrubbers. The Dustbusters look for any excuse to set down their dusters for a chinwag, and with hearty tunes never far away, you won't be able to stop yourself joining in for a boogie. Brimming with comical cleaning expertise, they will have the world looking pristine, as long as you keep off their freshly mopped floors!

"The Dustbusters is a fun and family friendly act that captures the spirit of audience interaction in a comedic and accessible way. They brought warmth and humour to audiences all across Lincoln High Street, and the company are extremely professional and an absolute pleasure to work with."

Kieran Spiers
The MashUP, Lincoln

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The Wrong Brothers

Is it a bird? Is it a plane? No, it's definitely not a plane!

As the age of aviation dawns, The Wrong Brothers are busy testing their not so successful contraptions of flight. Bear witness as Orville and Wilbur Wrong attempt to make aviation history. Be prepared to be dazzled by their breathtaking aerial stunts, left in awe by their pioneering machines of flight, and overcome with admiration for their gloriously groomed moustaches.

The chicken. The ostrich. The penguin. For millennia, man has watched on in envy as the birds rule the ever elusive skies. But not for much longer. Expect flight demonstrations, formation flying and aeronautical wisdom dispensed to anyone within earshot, as The Wrong Brothers leave those down on the ground in bemused astonishment. Just how high will they fly? 10, 20, maybe even 30 centimetres. The sky really is the limit.

"Today was great! I even almost learnt to fly but my moustache isn't strong enough yet."

Visitor aged 9
Discorvery Festival, Xplore Science Discovery Centre

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Never A GULL Moment
Photo: SO Festival

Performing at your event

Performance format

- Usual walkabout booking is 3 x 30 minutes, or equivalent
- 2 to 3 performers, depending on the act and needs of the event
- Acts roam freely across a site, with no staging or power required
- Acts can also work indoors, with some adaptation required for The Wrong Brothers

What we need on site

- A parking space near the performance area
- A secure changing area near the performance area
- Access to water and toilet facilities
- A minimum of 60 minutes on site before the first performance for a site check and preparation
- A minimum of 30 minutes break between performances
- Act specific requirements available on request
- PLI and risk assessments available on request

Getting the best from your booking

- A wide, unobstructed, pedestrianised area with high footfall works best
- Squares and areas where people naturally gather give the most opportunity to interact
- Ideally positioned away from live music and staged performance



The Prickly Pair
Photo: Kate Fenwick

Get in touch

Booking enquiries

Interested in booking one of Feasible Ferret Theatre's acts for your upcoming event? Get in touch to find out more at:

- **info@feasibleferret.co.uk**
- **feasibleferret.co.uk**

We also welcome conversations about commissioning a bespoke walkabout act, adapting an existing act to suit a theme, or working with us on a wider project.

Representation

We're proud to have The Wrong Brothers and Never A GULL Moment represented by Fool's Paradise. If you already work with them, you can book these acts through their team at:

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