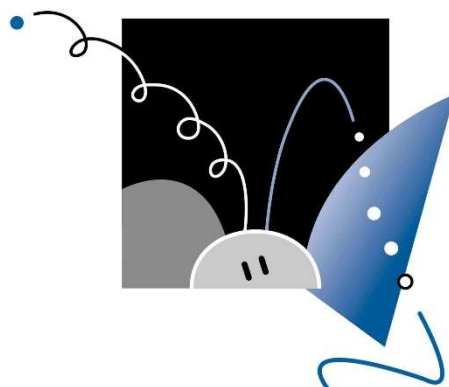


CHEF

Figurentheater Vlinders & C°



*Puppets, objects, acting theatre
For everyone ages 2.5 and up*



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Our Main Characters



Performances

Chef was created to celebrate the theatre's 40th anniversary. The production is still relatively recent, but has already performed at f.e.:

- Pardoes Festival Moorslede (Belgium)
- 24th International Children's Theater Festival Banja Luka (Bosnia-Herzegovina)
- World Culture Festival Karachi (Pakistan)
- International Festival JAMC Tunis (Journées des arts de la Marionette Carthage) (Tunisia)

Format

"Chef" is a collage show, a kind of variety show. It features various puppets: an actor, objects, table puppets, knee puppets, hand puppets, Muppets, toy puppets...

There's also a story... A chef has to cook all sorts of dishes, but he keeps getting lost in a fantasy world. The result: nothing gets finished, and the chef becomes overworked. He resigns, but the restaurant stays open. New chefs have to be found. Hilarious, funny situations abound.

"Chef" is a nearly wordless performance for families and children aged 2.5 and up.

"Chef" is performed solo by puppeteer and actor Ronny Aelbrecht: "the Chef." The performance takes the audience on a journey through the imagination of "the Chef" (Ronny) and shows how he handles the pressure in the kitchen, through a variety of manipulations and interactions with his surroundings. A unique theatrical experience that focuses on the use of figures, puppets, objects, and materials to bring the story to life. All this makes 'Chef' an unforgettable and inspiring performance for all ages, where wonder and humour take center stage.

'Chef' is a performance you can experience anywhere. It is designed to be flexible and can be adapted to the specific needs of the venue and audience.

'Chef' can be performed with live music (Wannes Aelbrecht) upon request.

'Chef' is the culmination of the celebration of 40 years of puppet theatre Vlinders en C° and demonstrates once again that the company can still be innovative and original.

Trailer

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M2WODP4Hpyg>

<https://vimeo.com/manage/videos/1135027949>

Practical Information

Age	+ 2,5
Duration	40'
Maximum number of spectators	150
Maximum number of performances per day	3
Language	Jabbertalk + 4 dishes: soup/pizza/popcorn/hot dog.
Cast	1 Actor / if requested: + 1 live musician who also serves as a technician.
Location	Indoors. Darkened is best (not necessary).
Ideal playing area	W : 4,5 m D: 4 m H: 2.5 m (+ musician besides)
Minimum playing area	W : 3,5 m D: 4 m H: 2.5 m (+musician besides)
Set-up	90'
Tear-down	45'
Sound	Own laptop/own wireless microphone (to plug into the venues amplification system: laptop on stage) For the musician extra: A microphone and its stand
Lighting	- The light is very simple and easy. See the light plan. With musician: our musician can do it when the controller can be put with him on stage. If this is impossible a technician from the venue can easily do it (also when there is no musician this is necessary).
Musician extra's	if we need to fly: - an electronic piano or piano/ if not available keyboard. - a bass guitar. If we drive and the organization cannot provide this, so we need to bring it. We need to talk about the extra transport cost (rent).
Other requirements	- 2 normal tables or desks (like in dinner rooms or office...height around 80 cm) must be placed behind the décor set.

Staff

Ronny Aelbrecht	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Idea, concept - Actor - Puppeteer/ Object player - Puppet drunken Chef
Wannes Aelbrecht	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Directing assistance - Coaching - Music composition - Soundtrack, sound effects - Live music (if desired) - Video clip
Koen Crul	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Script part 1 Chef - Director - Coaching - Object puppet scene
Milly Jennes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pizza dog Chef puppet - Popcorn Chef puppet - Painting drunken Chef puppet
Annemie De Maeyer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Sewing puppets + costumes
Dimitar Dimitrov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 2 hand puppets Chef - Coaching hand puppet scene
Merlin Theater (Berlin)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - https://merlinpuppetry.com/ - Workshop : assisting + manipulating a drunk chef
Veronica Gonzalez (Ponte a Egola)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - https://www.veronicagonzalez.it/treatro-dei-piedi-ing.html - Script + directing: knee puppet Chef
Tania Jooris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Photographer
Gerry Smet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Film shots
Liesbeth De Vos	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - https://www.liesbethdevos.com/ - Soprano Song “dough” Chef
Luna Aelbrecht	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Logo “Chef” - Logo robot Chef
Rudy Van Driessche	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Technical assistance set + props
Geert Rossaert	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Play table
Carina Braem	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Props - Support rehearsals in OC De Boerenpoort
Municipal government Beveren	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Financial support

Identification, contact, reservations

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