

LOVE RESISTANCE SHIP OF FOOLS

Desire and rebellion in a ruinous world

**A collectively organized Festival
on the Farm in Berlin from
5 – 11 August 2024**

*While you are being spoilt, others are being torn apart by bombs
And when you die, many will have an orgasm
That sounds bad, but it's not quite
Because fortunately there is physical distance*

FUNNY VAN DANNEN



Finally a Festival on the farm again!

We want to open experimental spaces with you, celebrate Eros and love, try out a new, communal culture of togetherness that is frank, truthful, unbiased, radical; and at the same time refrain from beguiling ourselves with zeitgeist phrases such as *sacred, embodied, healing, holy-temple, true self*, which have now lost their deeper effect and thus cloud reality.

But is there a festival bubble without illusions?

Of course, you might say, if you go to a festival, familiarize yourself with others in multi-faceted settings and feel happiness, you are not trapped in an illusion, you *really* feel.

And yet you may decide to put your mobile away at the Farm Festival to leave the reality “out there” in its relentlessness outside, at least for a few days. You don't want to know about the wars. Of hardships and fears, exploitation and domination. Of the misfortune and indignity of your species, which is collectively failing due to the climate crisis. Of the worries in your family. You want, fair enough, to simply immerse yourself, feel free and connect with like-minded people, the campfire summer nights, beauty ... Which brings us closer to the illusion.



So, is our Summer-Get-Together nothing more than a distraction from reality? A reality that, in the form of death and suffering, is currently having a particularly strong impact on our hyper-individualized, self-optimizing everyday lives?

Rarely has this contrast been as great as it is today: on the one hand, the present and future look increasingly bleak. At the same time, we tell ourselves that all we need to do is buy the right thing, attend the next transformational workshop and get into the right “mindset” to defy the general misery.

So, do we only have the choice between illusory happiness or real pain? Is pleasure only for the deluded, the conformists, the escapists? Are those who suffer from the world ultimately more truthful because they refuse to smile at the miserable conditions?

One thing is certain: the tension between happiness and suffering is a challenge for everyone – and is essentially what makes us feel alive.

At Farm-Festival 2024, we want to enter this field of tension and explore whether happiness in a heartbreaking world is not only possible but could even be worth striving for; and even more: whether it is not even our privileged duty to strive for genuine happiness, precisely because the miserable cannot.

We want to explore what it means to be lucky, to be happy, in order to give direction to the necessary revolt.

We would like to invite you to take the risk of exploring together the anarchic potential of the Eros.

And we want to be fools, freed from seriousness and meaning; to wonder, enjoy, indulge in revelry ... simply be happy for no reason.

Let's not repress the reality of misfortune in the extatic dance in the farm barn, in encounters in the Lovespace, in the dissolving movement of an oil action, but rather embrace it as part of reality.

Let's live together on the Farm for a week, share the longing for true happiness, and at the same time, embrace the imperfection of ourselves and the world: co-creative, conscious, compassionate, in solidarity, courageous, sensual, silent ...

Let's track down a new culture of consciousness that we can all work on together!



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With a crew of Farmies and Farm Friends, we will ensure a harmonious overall structure. This includes full organic catering by professional chef Ron, daily morning circles, content-related accents, forum, experimental experience spaces, workshops, concert evenings, pool parties, oil action...

All rebels, lovers and fools are invited to help shape the spirit of the festival: in the form of workshops, sessions, lectures, films, artistic and musical submissions, love-ins ... you name it!

FARMFESTIVAL: 5 – 11 AUG 2024

Price for the whole week including accommodation & catering:

EUR 695,-

(limited number of social and helper tickets: EUR 480,-)

Prices apply to overnight stays in caravans, tents, and group dormitories. A few overnight stays in small dormitories for an extra charge are available.

Number of participants limited. Participation only after confirmed registration.

INFORMATION, QUESTIONS & REGISTRATIONS as of now with the subject »Farmfestival« via:

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*We look forward to seeing you!
Your Farm Crew*