

CarmenCo present "A Pocket Opera"

Live at Curry Mallet and Beercrocombe Village Hall

Friday November 20th at 8.00 pm

In association with TakeArt



If you think you don't like opera try this...

CarmenCo's "A Pocket Opera" is more than a concert: It is a performance of Spanish music presented as a play, which roughly follows the story of Bizet's opera Carmen but is told from her point of view. Dare you consult the cards with her? What does she think of the men in her story? Did she foresee her gruesome ending? And does she like the opera Bizet wrote about her?

The three musicians perform entirely from memory, enabling them to act with each other, and to engage the audience members in the show, frequently walking amongst them and involving audience members in the dialogue. They even dance while playing, in a fully choreographed party scene which wows audiences.

CarmenCo will have you in turn laughing out loud, and listening with absolute silence to the immersive and evocative music. Look forward to a fun-filled evening of fantasy, comedy, drama and tremendous music.

"An unusual, highly entertaining evening... The three first-rate musicians rose to the challenge of acting and dancing as well as musical performance... Superb range of musical colour and artistry throughout the programme" - Ayrshire Post

"The feedback from the concert has been huge, universally everybody loved it. The number of times I have been stopped in the street this week to compliment the performance is countless." - concert organiser, Portesham for ArtsReach Dorset

To get a flavour of this performance search on-line for "CarmenCo Pocket Opera Trailer"

Tickets cost £12 and are available from:

- By phone: 077 888 17619 or email patsyjwallace@gmail.com
- On-line: <https://takeart.org/whats-on>

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