

MEDIA RELEASE

Salvador Dinosaur presents
Die Roten Punkte – *Best Band In The World*

**Fans of Spinal Tap and Flight of the Conchords,
say ‘Hallo!’ to your new favourite band.**

Die Roten Punkte (The Red Dots) are the Prince and Princess of Berlin’s underground rock scene. Following sell-out shows in New York, Sydney and Edinburgh, dysfunctional siblings **Otto and Astrid Rot** have returned to Canada to present a ‘best of’ set featuring their favourite songs from their four albums.

Since their last Canadian tour they’ve toured across Europe with Amanda Palmer, had a super successful run at the Soho Theatre in London and sold out shows in Belgium, Ireland, UK, USA, Germany, Australia, New Zealand, Hungary, Poland and Italy. They also won ANOTHER coveted Melbourne Green Room Award for Best Production, Cabaret.

Orphaned as teenagers, Astrid and Otto found themselves homeless in Berlin before they dived into a rock baptism by fire (started by one of Astrid’s cigarettes). Born-again as Die Roten Punkte, the duo was catapulted into European stardom.

A lipstick-smear, tantrum-loving, sonic collision between the B52s, Kraftwerk and the early Ramones, Die Roten Punkte are truly one of a kind. Astrid’s avant-garde style and legendary antics inspire both reverence and fear, while Otto’s dynamic stage presence brings to mind a whirling dervish on meth.

Die Roten Punkte is one of the most irreverent and funny gigs you are ever likely to see.

★★★★★ ***“Orgasmic rock-und-roll experience.”*** Monday Magazine, Canada

★★★★★ ***“Pitch-perfect pop parody”*** The Scotsman, UK

★★★★★ ***“Wild cabaret rock!”*** Herald Sun, Australia

Awards:

WINNER 2014 & 2008 Melbourne Green Room Awards. Best Cabaret nominees TO&ST (Time Out & Soho Theatre) Edinburgh 2013, Winner Best Comedy Montreal and Victoria Fringe 2010, Best Production Montreal Fringe, 2008; Most Outstanding Production Ottawa Fringe, 2008; Best in Fest Winnipeg Fringe, 2008 and Best Comedy Victoria Fringe, 2008.

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LISTING INFORMATION

Venue: Venue #1 John Hirsch Mainstage

Address: 174 Market Ave, Winnipeg

Dates: 16 – 26 July

Tickets: \$10

Times:

Thu 16 Jul 10:45pm

Tue 21 Jul 4:15pm

Sat 18 Jul 2:00pm

Thu 23 Jul 5:45pm

Sun 19 Jul 9:45pm

Fri 24 Jul 11:15pm

Mon 20 Jul 7:45pm

Sun 26 Jul 2:15pm

Bookings: winniepegfringe.com

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