

## **FRENETIC ENGINEERING TECH SPEC - LES FEMMES FATAL**

Name of performer/group:	Frenetic Engineering
Name of show:	'Les Femmes Fatal'
Min performance area:	6m x 6m (negotiable)
Details of performance:	Comedy knife throwing and bad magic with audience participation & fire.
Length of show:	Street version – 30mins, Stage/Cabaret version – 15mins (negotiable).

### **Audio/Power:**

We have our own battery-powered PA and radio mics so can be self contained for a street show. If abroad, it will be more cost effective if the event provides the PA due to excess baggage costs.

If stage/cabaret version, a PA will be needed for our music (CD or Ipod) and 2 x radio mics

We require a sound check and time to work with a sound person to rehearse/talk through cues.

### **Minimum lighting requirements (for indoor venues):**

- General wash onstage and follow spot for performers moving amongst audience
- Lights dimmed for fire section
- No lights directly placed behind knife board (stage right) if on floor must be moved in case of potential "stray" knives and no lights illuminated just behind knife board in case of distraction/loss of visibility

- For outdoor venues we will require simple lighting when the show is performed after dark

**Special requirements:**

- Backdrop or ample clearance behind knifeboard (no lights or breakable objects/people) to allow for possible 'stray' knives
- Need a safe area close to performance area to set props and store props table, PA and knife board between shows
- Stewarding on street shows to secure equipment in between shows
- Somewhere backstage to soak and shake fire eating sticks prior to performance
- A clean dry changing room

**Get-in/out times (stage version only, street show includes get-in within show):**

- 5 mins to get knifeboard (on wheels, but a 2 person lift) and table onto stage and into position
- 5 mins to get knifeboard and table off stage and sweep up any bits of cucumber sandwich

**Weather:**

The show cannot be performed in rain, snow or high winds