

**DICK THE HORSE PRESENTS
PEDRO TOCHAS (PORTUGAL)
*THE SCULPTOR CLOWN***

What is comedy without words? A visual treat for the whole family that will entertain and amaze. Pedro Tochas, the award winning street and stage performer from Lisbon, Portugal, creates a real-life silent movie before your eyes, with a tale of immortal love, heroes, villains, and of course, balloon sculpting. A one-man equivalent of “Wallace and Gromit”, Pedro is renowned as one of the world’s best and most original street clowns.



As the first Portuguese comedian ever to perform at the Melbourne International Comedy Festival, Pedro is certain to bring a unique flavour to the Festival. As a past cast member on a popular TV comedy series ‘O Programa da Maria’ Pedro Tochas is a household name in Portugal. He is now ready to branch out and be the first person in Portugal to inspire and delight the rest of the world with his hilarious and extraordinary stage performances.

As a past student of physical theatre and comedy academies in the US and the UK, Pedro has taken all that he has learnt and is carving a niche in the comedy industry. Having spent nearly 20 years performing for crowds on the street, Pedro is now thriving from the challenge of creating and performing shows for indoors. Pedro will bring to the Melbourne International Comedy Festival’s Bosco tent a unique blend of humour, spontaneity and plenty of innocuous audience interaction, all without a single word spoken. The Sculptor Clown is a show to get lost in, no matter what your age.

“you laugh so much you cry” Público

“Hilarious. That’s the minimum you can say about the actor, juggler, comedian Pedro Tochas”
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LISTING INFORMATION:

Date: 25 Mar – 17 April (no Mondays)

Venue: Bosco Tent, Melbourne Town Hall Precinct (Tues – Sat); Lower Town Hall (Sun)

Time: 6.00pm (Tues – Sat); 3.30pm (Sun)

Price: \$23.50/\$18.00; Tues \$16.00; preview \$16.00; groups \$18.00

Bookings: www.ticketmaster.com.au

Running time: 55 mins