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Festival Connect - Is performance art where it's at?

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The rumour about town is that Performance Art is where some of the most interesting and innovative things are happening in both art and performance. Seen by some as a kind of underground avant-garde movement of performers, artists and curators operating out of studios all over the city, this rapidly developing scene is attracting a pretty significant following. Places like Market Studios regularly hold exhibitions such as LiveStock that can cater to pretty significant numbers. So the arrival of the Dublin Live Arts Festival, which runs till November 4th, seems timely indeed. Here's what Dublin Live Art Festival has to say:

DLAF was founded by a number of performance artists and curators whose aim is to develop the practice of performance art in Ireland and provide a platform for artists to showcase their work in various events while giving curators an opportunity to produce live art experiences in alternative venues and spaces. By running talks and workshops for these artists and live art producers we intend to strengthen the links between performance artists, collectives and curators practicing in Ireland presently.

Providing a hothouse experience of concentrated performance art over a short period of time, The Dublin Live Arts Festival gives an inquiring mind an opportunity to engage with a broad representation of the talent currently out there. As an introduction to performance art, or for the more experienced connoisseur, this is an opportunity not to be missed.

For more information on times and events go to:

http://dublinliveartfestival.blogspot.ie/

Some may argue that the performance art scene has always been with us, and that's true. But there's a strong feeling about that something significant is happening within the scene. So check out for yourself what all the talk is about. It just might true that there are striking new possibilities in both performance and art out there to be had. You'll never know unless you go.

Be advised: The Dublin Live Arts Festival is now taking place at The Back Loft on St. Augustine St., just off Thomas Street.



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