

The Big Underwear Social Tour

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Webites to check out:

(Habla español?)

www.festivaldecirco.blogspot.com

www.Rodara.com

www.big-underwear-social-tour.com



Hello Everyone!!

We have been very busy these last few weeks and have a lot of exciting news for you.

The first bit of news is that Irma Spiegel and Brady Bradshaw are now "one" in the eyes of the Internal Revenue Service. On November 20th, the two were married in Las Vegas while being serenaded by an Elvis impersonator. From there, the newlyweds continued by van to Puebla, Mexico for the Rodara Festival.

James arrived a few days before Brady and Irmi and set up some interviews in local newspapers and a radio show. There were two articles written about the Tour and two articles and a radio interview about the Documentary.

If you can read Spanish check out some of the articles here:

<http://www.lajornadadeoriente.com.mx/2009/12/02/puebla/cul124.php>

<http://www.lajornadadeoriente.com.mx/2009/11/27/puebla/cul224.php>

We had a great time with the folks from Rodara, and look forward to getting back there to work on The Big Underwear Social Tour. We still have a lot of work to do, but things seem to be rolling along nicely. We had some good conversations with Roberto, the director of Rodara, about what our needs will be and how they can help. One way Rodara is helping right now is that they are providing us with a stage- a wooden sectional stage that fits with the original idea of a small stage 1/4 meter high.

We are also still looking for more transportation as the cast and crew of the tour is up to around 15-20 including the cook, security, filmmakers, performers, and other support crew.

Be sure to keep up to date with what Rodara is up to by visiting their site:

WWW.RODARA.COM





Brady getting everyone's attention by picking his nose



One of the many dance/musical improv sessions



Jeraldo, one of the many hard working folks at Rodara

This years festival was a little different from years past, but it was still a great time and a fantastic experience leading up to next years big Tour. We've updated the website so that now you can donate online right form the "Donate" section. Its very easy now, just click on the "Donate" button and it will bring you to a link that allows you to decided how much you want to donate. You can use your PayPal account, credit card, debit card, or check.

Check it out:

<http://www.big-underwear-social-tour.com/pages/donate.php>

James starts back at school in January at PCC, who has awarded him a small grant towards the project. He is talking with them about working under their non-profit umbrella to better our chances of getting more grants and support. We are still looking for any good fundraising ideas, so if you have any please email us so we can discuss it.

The Bus is coming along well, and hopefully by this weekend the water tank will FINALLY be installed.

We'd like to thank you all for all your support so far and want to invite you all to continue to read, and write to us! Get involved! You are all part of this social experiment as well, even if you don't write! We look forward to hearing from you and are excited at the progress we've made these past couple weeks- we hope you are too. Talk to you soon!!

Irmi
Brady
James



Brady, Irmi, and Roberto being interviewed by "La Jornada" and filming for the documentary



Sergio Garcia



Raton watching Sebastian of Circo Arakne warm up the day before the festival begins



Help keep James out of jail, donate today!!!