

Theaterschiff Maria-Helena / TheaterCompagnie Lion

It has been around 9 years since the barge Maria-Helena has been transformed into a theatre and the owner and director of the Lion Company, Frank Lion has fulfilled his dream and launched a unique project in Germany.

During one year, the ship is transformed into a theatre steamboat in the dockyard. Since May 2007, in the hold which used to be full of steel, peas, cereals and beer, a lot of different cultural activities are proposed from theatre and concerts to cinema and exhibitions.

A moving stage and a concert room on a river, that is really something unique in Germany!

We often navigate with the boat on the Sarre, the Moselle or canals. In the towns we visit, we show our plays and sometimes music groups who perform on the boat in collaboration with local administrations, cultural institutions and schools. Being a theatre which works in French as well as in German, we also perform in France and in Luxembourg.

As soon as in 2008, the president from the German federal Republic has selected the Theaterschiff to be « exceptional place of 2008 ».

The Maria Helena has a total area of 39*5 meters and can welcome 120 guests comfortably.

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