Theatre Glendon Presents...

Le dîner de cons

Written by: Francis Veber

Directed by: Geneviève Lip

Preview: January 31st at 8pm

Shows: February 1st at 5:30pm / February 2nd & 3rd at 8pm

Tickets: PAY-WHAT-YOU-CAN

Reservations: 416-487-6822

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2275 Bayview Avenue (at Lawrence)

Every Wednesday, Pierre Brochant and his friends entertain idiots. Big, small, young, old... The idea consists in finding the rare pearl, the most spectacular of specimens. And precisely this evening, Brochant believes he has found the champion, a world-class idiot! François Pignon: accountant for the Ministry of Finances, whose life passion is to construct scale models out of wooden matchsticks. But, what Brochant is unaware of, is that Pignon is also master in the art of catastrophes!

The key dynamic in this kind of comic pairing isn't the attraction of the idiot to the important business type, which is common enough, but the reverse: the fatal delusion on the part of the “logical individual”, who is, in this case, launched into the same well-ordered system. Rather than recognizing Pignon as a walking disaster area, which he should get rid of of as fast as possible, Brochant treats him as a challenge to be overcome - a dire miscalculation.

“On va se régaler!”

Starring: Jonathan Desrosiers, Alexandre St-Denis Yowfoo, Pier-Bernard Tremblay, Elsa Costanzo, Andréa Grant, Teoman Pontais and Paulo Bittencourt.

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