



# WELCOME AND COME IN!



No fancy restaurants, dress codes and constraints. It's like a cozy party at home, only for you and your closest friends.

## DETAILED DESCRIPTION:

### INVITATION

A few weeks in advance each guest receives a simple postcard with a handwritten invitation to come and see the friends. The place and the time are included, but there is no dress code: in a party like this, no one really cares about fancy clothes – just be yourself!

### WELCOMING OF THE GUESTS

Event assistants meet the guests at the entrance and give each of them a pair of slippers. Above the door, there's a huge poster saying "Welcome and come in!"

Inside, it's nice and cozy, just like at home: table and floor lamps, houseplants, a huge carpet, many comfortable bean bags and a huge screen where the guests can watch a video projection (a compilation of extracts from different movies, ranging from romantic comedies and cartoons to classical masterpieces for movie gourmets).

The guests are offered fresh juice cocktails served on real sweet smelling grass.

DJ is playing records and dancing so that everyone notices that he's wearing slippers as well. He's playing good old (and new) pieces that are perfect for lifting everyone's spirits. Watching the DJ working with records is really fun, and the guests who are interested can try playing themselves.

### OPENING OF THE EVENT

To attract everyone's attention, DJ plays a mix from a well-known piece a bit louder.

The Hosts of the Event – professional actors, masters of improvisation – enter the stage. They're wearing slippers as well! The Hosts greet the guests staging a short improvisation.

Next, it's the CEO's turn to welcome his employees. His mini speech is serious but his arms show something completely different – they move energetically, go up and down and just can't keep still. Most probably, they betray what the CEO is really thinking, which is "Let's get that party started ASAP!" (The effect is achieved this way: one of the actors stands behind the CEO's back and puts his arms forward; his arms are now the CEO's arms, and he makes moves and gestures that don't match the speech at all.) For the staff, it's really fun to watch; when the boss is so relaxed, it's also easier for them to do the same.

Just to make sure everyone understands the party has started, there is an impressive performance by professional bartenders. They juggle bottles, breath fire and make the exclusive cocktail of the evening for 100 people at the same time.

### **Theatre of Improvisations**

Once the bartenders have shown their tricks, it's time for the theatre of improvisations. The professional actors begin their playful performance and do their best to involve the guests. And that's not all: DJ, the bartenders and the musicians also take part in this absorbing game of improvisation. For example, an extract from a movie is being shown but soundless. The actors are making the sound recording on the spot, and the DJ is playing some music (quietly) that he thinks should match the movie. And later they ask the guests to make the sound recording of their own. Maybe there's a guest who dreamt of becoming a DJ but it never came true? Why doesn't he try picking the music for the movie? Sounds intriguing, doesn't it?

Between improvisations, there are breaks for other performances and activities, which are just as absorbing and exciting.

### **Other Performances and Activities:**

- More performances by the team of bartenders.
- Entertainment at the huge ice sculpture that is organized based on the principle of "The Happy Hour". There are twenty grooves cut in the sculpture, which means that twenty guests can drink from it simultaneously. Thus the bartenders can organize the rituals of champagne or tequila drinking for groups consisting of twenty guests.
- If the guests are interested, there are many board games to choose from: the crowd pleaser "Alias", chess, checkers, "The Monopoly", etc. At some point in the evening, the board games may become the focal point of attention or a tournament may be organized.
- A playful photo studio called "The Lady of the House". It's equipped with all kinds of suitable props, such as wigs, aprons, different household utensils, etc. A professional photographer is at work there. The guests are welcome to dress up and pose for a photo, which they can take home as a souvenir. In addition, they can participate in the making of the cake for dessert (or at least think that they're participating 😊).

### **A Concert**

Once the improvisations are over, it's time to listen to a popular band and do some dancing. The musicians are very relaxed as they sing, kid around and even play with the guests. And why not – they're wearing slippers, too!

### **A Party Cake**

As the concert is about to finish, a huge cake is brought in. It is decorated with the logo of the company and smileys. The guests are offered some fresh tea or coffee and a piece of cake.

### **A Disco**

The Hosts of the evening have said good-bye and left, but this doesn't mean everyone else has to do the same. The guests can enjoy the food, the drink and each other's company; and there is also a disco going on for those who still have plenty of energy.

### **P.S.**

As the guests are leaving, each of them is given some sweet treats to take home; it's a good old tradition, which has been a bit forgotten recently. They are also given a "Thank You" card with some heart-warming text inside – the more often we tell our friends how much we appreciate them, the happier they (and we) feel.



**We wish you a stunning party!**