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### **DJ BoBo's Fantasy goes Halloween**

After last year's stunning world premiere of his „Fantasy-Show“ at Europa-Park in Rust near Freiburg/Germany as well as his successful tour throughout Germany and Switzerland, DJ BoBo will be celebrating the finale of his concert tour at the Halloween-Festival which takes place at Europa-Park from 29 October until 7 November. With this year's motto “DJ BoBo's Fantasy goes Halloween” the popular Swiss singer will be presenting his 40-minute show. During the show the audience will be enjoying new songs from his album “Fantasy” as well as other well-known hit songs. In terms of fun and enthusiasm the show promises excitement for all ages.

Since 1997 Europa-Park and DJ BoBo have been working together successfully. Three years ago the Swiss superstar celebrated the completion of his astonishing “Vampires Alive” tour at Germany's biggest theme park, which fascinated thousands of guests. “Fantasy” promises a breathtaking live show which includes beautiful costumes and many party songs.

The construction of the stage is especially impressive. The centre of the stage is a six-arm giant statue with heights compared to that of a multi-storey house. The lovely colour shades make the stage shine and offer the spectators very unique light and special effects.

DJ BoBo draws the audience in his spell and invites them to join in on his adventurous journey to the land of “Fantasy”. It can be rest assured that the performances of the dancers and musicians will entertain the audience to their full satisfaction. The perfectly staged combination of spirited dance as well as inspiring rhythms creates a spark which will be transferred onto the spectators.

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Among the highlights of “DJ BoBo’s Fantasy goes Halloween” are a pompous drum firestorm by the “Surfdrummers” from Steffisburg/Thun in Switzerland and an exciting bow and arrow shooting scene performed by DJ BoBo.

DJ BoBo explains to his audience: “Fantasy” will be my most complex and detailed, but at the same time entertaining, stage performance. My aim is to show the guests that you can not only listen to music, but also see it.”

“DJ BoBo’s Fantasy goes Halloween” takes place on 29 and 30 October at 7 pm as well as during the SWR3 Halloween-Party on 31 October at 6 pm and 7.15 pm. From 1 until 7 November fans and spectators can enjoy DJ BoBo and his show performance at 6.30 pm. For visitors of Europa-Park, the spectacular 40-minute show is included in the regular admission price.

### Stage Facts

- Height: approximately 14 m (highest musician position 10 m), width: 18 m, depth: 15 m.

- The duration, from the idea and creation up to the set up of the stage, took 14 months.

- Material: roughly 18,5 tons of steel, 400 m<sup>3</sup> polystyrene

- Setup and dismantling: the setup takes 6 – 8 hours, dismantling approximately 3 – 5 hours.

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- Staff: 20 technicians and roughly 20 additional helpers
- Pyrotechnics: height funk lightning, fire lines, fire bowls
- Which technical tricks / refinements does the giant consist of? The giant can open and close its eyes; its rings shine.
- How many elements does the stage consist of? More than 20,000 pieces, distributed on 8 trucks.
- How many meters of cable were laid within the stage? More than 5,000 m.

Apart from "DJ BoBo's Fantasy goes Halloween", Europa-Park presents many more creepy highlights during the Halloween-Festival, which takes place from 29 October until 7 November 2010. A goose bump feeling can be rest assured as the guests of Europa-Park can expect remarkable decorations and Germany's biggest Halloween-Party with SWR3 on 31 October 2010. The Evening Parade of Ghosts and Goblins, which makes its way through the park every evening, will certainly mesmerize the visitors.

A special evening ticket, which is valid from 4 pm on, is available for the Halloween-Festival at 17,50 Euro.

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In 2010, Europa-Park will be open until 7 November, daily from 9 am to 6 pm (longer opening hours during peak season). Further information can be found on [www.europapark.de](http://www.europapark.de) / Info-Line: +49(0) 1805 / 77 66 88 (14

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