WHAT TO EXPECT

The Performance

- The Performance is 45 Minutes long

- The story is told through multiple forms of puppetry, music, and sound effects, creating a live movie for the audience.

- The stage is set up with multiple camera and puppet stations that all project onto a movie screen.

  o One station is used for 2D paper puppets

  o A second station is used for hand and rod puppets, as well as live actors.

  o At the third station, an actor narrates the story, plays instruments, and creates sound effects.

- Some monsters will try to scare the audience using suspenseful music, evil laughter, and close up camera shots.

- At times audience members may be invited to call out responses to specific prompts or questions.

The Sound

- Songs, instrumental music, and sound effects (like television static, monster growls, and screams) help tell the story.

- Some of the music is produced live.

The Lights

- At moments on stage, there will be bright, colorful lights and shadows.

- At times the theater will go fully dark.

Resources

- Plan your visit to Westbrook Performing Arts Center: https://portlandovations.org/about/accessibility-westbrook-performing-arts-center/

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