

Tape Riot

Asphalt Piloten infiltrate the city with gaffer tape, improvised movement and electronic pulse. The tape artist, the dancers and the DJ pop up out of the blue and leave a trail of their fleeting art across Center City Philadelphia. The city is their canvas and working material. They create urban collages accompanied by music mixed live with the sounds of the city, all while the dancers choreograph and disrupt the everyday rhythm.

Unpredictable and always in motion, but leaving behind a trail of tape.

Architects and city planners have choreographed our usual routes through the city, but with Asphalt Piloten as leading guide, new routes and new options are discovered. They change your direction, your attention and your perception of the city. Subtly but inevitably.

About Asphalt Piloten

Created in 2010 in Europe's anarchic art environment, Asphalt Piloten are the closest you get to rambling action art. The Swiss dancer Anna Anderegg has gathered a multidisciplinary group of artists in a community which has the city as its playground and laboratory.

Through dance, visual art and sound design, they experiment with creating new utopias for life in the big city. The city is a meeting place, and the art creates the meetings which may be able to transform our cities.

Know Before You Go!

- **What is *Tape Riot*?** *Tape Riot* is a live art theatrical experience presented through dance, visual art, and sound design. The performance explores public space, leading the audience through Center City Philadelphia. While each performance is unique from any other, please be prepared to travel with the dancers through the city. The route may involve traversing stairs and/or across unpaved or uneven ground conditions. Please wear appropriate clothing and footwear. Also, be aware that there will not be access to restroom facilities after the experience begins, please plan accordingly.
- **Where will *Tape Riot* take place?** The performance's mystery Center City location will only be revealed to ticket holders in the days leading up to the performance via email.
- **How long is the performance?** *Tape Riot* will last approximately 45 minutes.
- **How far should I expect to travel?** Anticipate walking and standing for the full performance. As the performance route is highly variable, the exact length of travel is subject to change.

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- **Will *Tape Riot* take place rain or shine?** The performance will occur rain or shine. Please anticipate weather conditions and dress appropriately. Inclement weather is not a cause for refund unless the decision is made to cancel or postpone a performance.
- **For what ages is *Tape Riot* appropriate?** *Tape Riot* is appropriate for all ages. Due to the traveling nature of the performance, it is not recommended for young children or parents pushing strollers.
- **Is *Tape Riot* wheelchair accessible?** If you or someone in your party requires accessibility accommodations, please contact us prior to purchasing your tickets. We will do our best to accommodate you.
- **Can my children attend *Tape Riot* without me?** While we love having young guests join us, we do require that children ages 15 or younger attend the performance with an adult.
- **Can I bring my Pet?** While you will be navigating public spaces, you will not always be in “pet friendly” or permissible spaces. We request that you please leave your pets at home. Registered service animals are allowed.