



*for the night*

**SOUP FOR THE NIGHT**

is a cultural salon in a living room.

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is a series of presentations, in which artists and other interesting people talk about their work; about things they like doing and how they make a living.

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is a get-together for people and artists who have an obscure, wild, curious, exciting, generous, multi-disciplinary, complex, funny, serious, sincere, process-based, clever, anarchic, radical, mistake-rich, time-poor, bad, tragic, self-ironic, small, collaborative, genius, genuine, sincere, cunning, critical, thoughtful, self-organised, un-professional, marginalised, popular, thick, ephemeral, engaged, context-conscious, context-engaging, context-creating, ephemeral, confusing, manifold, communitarian life practice.

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is a substitute for the traditional, hierarchical format of the 'artist talk', during which an artist gets to talk about a small, fictitious selection of the most spectacular and attractive parts of his/her practice only.

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is interested in an individual's practice in its entirety.

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is a model for alternative ways of knowledge distribution amongst cultural producers with collaborative, generous practices.

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wants to support practices that are not easily put a finger on. Their complexity makes for them often being overlooked in a representational art world.

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is an alternative way of sharing what we do with others.

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invites one artist to give a presentation. This artist will in turn invite a friend. Which means that each evening will see two presentations.

These presentations must be delivered strictly without making use of an apple macbook, power point or any other over rated, boring and restricting 'standard' tools.

**SOUP FOR THE NIGHT**

is a public soup dinner that takes place at Margarita Osipian and Maria Guggenbichler's apartment in Amsterdam Geuzenveld.

**SOUP FOR THE NIGHT**

is free.

It welcomes everybody who signs up by emailing [maria.guggenbichler@googlemail.com](mailto:maria.guggenbichler@googlemail.com) RSVP, so we know how much soup to make!

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**SOUP FOR THE NIGHT**

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