

# PENGUINS BY CHOICE



## Band Description

### Penguins by Choice (Alternativ)

The internationally manned band Penguins by Choice is an artist collective around Brendan Walsh (alias Josephine Steady), which engages the audiences with a mix of dance styles and entertaining performance. Most band members have obtained degrees in music and play multiple instruments. Penguins by Choice intertwines elements of Folk, Rock, Classical, Punk and Electro into its typical Phobobic genre.

The song texts are never limited to stereotype topics and just when one thinks they are listening to a normal pop band the musical surprises occur. In addition to the conventional band instruments, they play on Banjo, Bouzouki, Sax, Bass Clarinet and Plastic sheet. The band also enjoys having guest performers of strings and horns in different formations. A Penguins by Choice performance is designed to make one dance and keep peoples ears on their toes.

### Milestones

- Finalists in Red Bull Tourbus contest 2013 (Open Air Lumnezia, CH)
- Airplay on Swiss radio stations Industrie, 3fach, SRF Virus and MTV Switzerland
- Press releases in different Swiss newspapers
- EP and a debut album (released end of November 2013 | TimeZone Records)
- 5 professional music videos

### Media

[www.penguinsbychoice.com](http://www.penguinsbychoice.com)  
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