



OT VINTA

“OT VINTA” are inventors and founders of the original music style "Ukrabilly". Even hardened snobs and downers break into dance whenever they hear their hits: "I Shouldn't Have Eaten Onions", "Rock and Roll for Turtles", "Grandma's Cabinet", "Dryg-tyndymba", "Mare" and ""Ukraine" Between My Legs". "OT VINTA” - Ukrainian band that has faithful fans all over the world, from Japan to Holland. The secret of their success is simple: one-of-a-kind style "Ukrabilly", drive, humor and positive energy. This special mix does not leave anyone indifferent!

It all began in 1994 when Yuri Zhuravel realized his dream - assembled a band. Three young guys from city of Rivne with pompadours and double-bass decided to sing in Ukrainian, breaking rules and canons of traditional rockabilly. This made them stand out amongst other bands. Though at first this decision brought many problems, soon the band's unique approach helped to overcome existing stereotypes. Their music did not fit into the classical rockabilly framework, so they've invented “Ukrabilly”, which used Ukrainian folk music instead of American country music as an inspiration. Moreover, their appearance, behavior on stage, costumes and exclusive electro-goat-bass (based on Ukrainian folk instrument) added originality and it became impossible to confuse them with someone else.

Since the late 90s “OT VINTA” are touring nonstop. In recent years “OT VINTA” perform a lot in Europe - Ukrabilly is played at "Lowlands" (Netherlands) “Hodokvas” (Slovakia), “Zwarte Cross Fest” (Holland), “Visagino Country” (Lithuania), “Campus Fest” (Germany) and “Hinter-Tux Fest” (Austria). They are well known in Poland since the early 2000s because of their appearances at “Lemko's Vatra”, “Podlasie Autumn”, “Psychobilly night”, “Breakout” and other major festivals. In 2012, the band represented Ukraine at the international Polish festival “Sopot Top of the Top 2012” with the song ""Ukraine" Between My Legs". It's hard to imagine a major Ukrainian music festival without them: "Nivroku", "Rock Sich", "Independence Day with Makhno", "Slavske Rock", "Zahid", "Ukrabilly Explosion", "Mazepa Fest", "Tarasova Mountain" "Goblin show", "Unizh", "Fortress", "Haydamaka.UA", "Franko-Fest", "Republic", "Obnowa-Fest" and many others.

"Screws" are known not only as musicians, as they are born actors and showmen (all members of the band played in a children's theater before taking the instruments in their hands). And even now “OT VINTA” perform in theatrical shows from time to time. The play "Swineherds" in which they all took part, won an international prize “LihtArt 2010”. They can often be seen on stage with country's biggest comedy acts such as "Gagarins", "Magarych" and "Quarter 95". They are fond of unexpected duos with other showbiz stars, taking part in charity projects and other fun and useful stuff. In summer of 2010

“OT VINTA” took part in the first Ukrainian “Red Bull Flugtag”. Their crazy flight on a tortoise-like machine of their own design has become a highlight of that day and was awarded by an Australian TV channel TEN.

Now the band open new horizons in their concert life in Canada, Israel and USA.

Discography:

"Drygtyndymba" (2003),
"I Shouldn't Have Eaten Onions" (2005),
"Ahead" (2006),
"Ass-shake" (2007),
"With Sweat and Blood" (2011),
"Pilotka" (2014).

Videography: "Woman Had No Trouble..." (2002), "I Shouldn't Have Eaten Onions" (2006), "Oplya-Potato" (2006), "Ahead" (2007), "Grandma's Cabinet" (2008), "Song of May-Lilies" (2009), "Will Not Go" (2010), "I Love" (2010), "In the Dark-Dark Forest" (2011), "New Year Ding" (2011), "Come With the Crane" (2011), ""Ukraine" Between My Legs" (2012), "It's Christmas!" (2012), "Grandmother Smoked Crane" (2013)", "16 Tons" (2014), "Make Love, Dark-Browed, But Not With the Russians" (2015), "Our boys at the War" (2016), "Forward" (2016), "We Coil" (2016)

Band members:

Zhuravel Yuriy - vocals, guitar, banjo, harmonica, music, lyrics, style.

Pylypchuk Viktor - vocals, guitar, ukulele, flute.

Zahyney Volodymyr - vocals, goat-bass.

Myronchuk Serhij - drums, percussion.

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