

"A wonderful, captivating performance using a wide range of techniques. The message came across really well and was beautifully presented. Puppets and visuals stunning!"

Michael Brett

"This was an imaginative and informative show. A fantastic blend of different media and beautifully done. Thank you!"

Avril Hales

"Another amazing show which engaged our children aged 4 to 10 years old. Beautiful puppets, lovely music and a thought provoking theme."

Mrs Boocock, High Bentham Primary

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The Cool Seas Puppet Roadshow

a collaboration between:
The Marine Conservation Society
&
Lempen Puppet Theatre Company

The sea is all around us but we know so little about her life.

The Fisherman & The Pearl

A captivating story, to connect the imagination of children to the importance of protecting life in the oceans and seas that cover 70% of our planet.

The Fisherman and The Pearl

A show made in partnership between Lempen Puppet Theatre
and The Marine Conservation Society

Directed by Alison Duddle
Music by Los Kaye

McManus, an old fisherman from Fisherman's Cove has seen it all. When he was young the fishing was good and the sea teeming with life. Now he's old, sad and grumpy and spends his days sitting on the rocks lamenting the good old days.

But his granddaughter Jo has found something at the beach - a special pearl - and all may not be lost ...

This is the story of a fisherman's love, and a precious gift that gives him knowledge of the creatures below the waves. A comic, tragic, yet hopeful play on something that affects us all.

With puppetry, mask, storytelling and animation for everyone over the age of 5.

"I really enjoyed the show and the way it was fun to watch but also I learned things. I had never heard of that island of floating plastic before so I'm glad I know now. I hope other people enjoy it as much as I did".

Charis, KS2 child

Suitability: KS1 + KS2
Duration: 50 minutes
plus a 20 min interpretive
talk after the show.
Audience size: max. 200 children
Set up time: 2.5 hours



What you will get:

- a professional performance from one of Britain's great touring theatre companies. Lempen Puppet Theatre, now in their 25th year have performed for schools, theatres and festivals all over the UK and Europe. For details see www.lempen.co.uk
- a 34 page action pack for every child to take away. Produced by the Marine Conservation Society, this booklet is full of interesting facts and fun puzzles about our seas.
- other material for the school from MCS. Sometimes we have books for your library or other interesting information to hand out, as and when they become available. Websites such as MCS www.mcsuk.org and Save our Seas Foundation www.saveourseas.com provide a wealth of material to support future classroom work.

