

Royal Knights Tournament

Time: 6 PM, Place: Tyrš waterfront
Come and enjoy history, horses and immerse yourself in the atmosphere of ancient times.

Coronation concert

Time: 7 PM, Place: St. Martin's Cathedral
Georg Friedrich Händel: Coronation Anthems, HWV 258 for choir and organ
Joseph Haydn: Te Deum - Hob. XXIII no. 2 for choir and organ dedicated to the Empress Maria Theresa
Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart: Coronation Mass KV 317 for soloists, choir and organ
Cast: The Bratislava City Choir and soloists
Ladislav Holásek - conductor
Peter Mikula - organ

The Opera Aeterna I.

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Organizer: MUSICA AETERNA o.z.
Main partner: Slovak Art Council
The event was sponsored by the Slovak Art Council, the City of Bratislava and Ars Bratislavis.

25. 6. 2018, MONDAY:

Bratislava Coronation in the European Context - Those Crowned and Almost Crowned

Conference on the occasion of the Bratislava Coronation Days
Time: 10 AM till 1:30 PM, Place: Mirror Room of the Primate's Palace
Programme:
10 AM: Address by the Deputy of Bratislava's Mayor, MUDr. Iveta Pišeková
10:10 AM: Elijana costume studio: Maria Theresa's clothes showing
10:20 AM: PhDr. Iva Kvetanová, PhD.: Fresco of Maximilian II's Coronation in Palazzo Vecchio, Florence
10:40 AM: PhDr. Štefan Holčík: Pressburg during Coronations
11:00 AM: PhDr. Michal Bada, PhD.: Sacral Dimension of Bratislava Coronations
11:20 AM – 11:30 AM: Break
11:30 AM: PhDr. Miroslav Musil, PhD.: Crowned Heads
11:50 AM: PhDr. István Soós: "Who Has Not Seen It Can Barely Imagine It"
The Coronation Celebration of 1830 in Bratislava.
12:30 PM: PhDr. Mátyás Gödölle: Images of the Last Royal Coronation in Bratislava
1:05 PM: Discussion and the end of the conference

Walks through the streets of old town with the representatives of the guild of old martial arts and crafts

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Freedom – Gospel from Petržalka

Time: 7 PM, Place: Main Square - large stage

26. 6. 2018, TUESDAY:

An Unusual Historical Fashion Show from the Renaissance Period

Costume studio Elijana
Time: 5 PM, Place: Main Square - large stage
An unusual historical fashion show full of costumes with comments on fashion and clothes during the reign of Maximilian II. and other European kings.

Bratislava City Library

Bratislava's cemeteries
Time: 6 PM, Place: Summer Reading Room at the Red Crayfish (U červeného raka), Michalská 26
Host: Dado Nagy, guitar: Martin Nováček
Historians, authors (Viera Obuchová - Ondrej Cemetery, Stories from the History of Bratislava, Cemetery Cintorín pri Kozej Bráne, The Story of the Nedbalka Gallery, etc., Štefan Holčík - Bratislava a Hundred Years Ago and Today, Primate's Palace, Bratislava Castle, etc.) and experts on Bratislava will talk about the history of funeral ceremonies and cemeteries of Bratislava. The main partner of the project "Let's Read Slovak Literature" is the Slovak Art Council.

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Urban Conservation Institute

Guided tour of the city walls
Time: 10 AM and 2 PM, Meeting point: Old Town Hall Courtyard
Topic: the development of the city walls with a focus on the western section
Guide: PhDr. Zuzana Zvarová – Author of the research
Cooperation: Bratislava City Museum (pre - sale of tickets) – max. no. of participants is 35.

27. 6. 2018, WEDNESDAY:

Juraj Hrkča and Danubius Octet Singers

Time: 7 PM, Place: The Courtyard of St. John of Nepomuk – Primate's Palace
Coronation Evening with Mozart
Readings from Mozart's correspondence, W.A.Mozart's arias, cantatas and men's choirs (Freemasons theme).
Cast: Juraj Hrkča – spoken word
Hans - Jörg Gaugelhofer – tenor (Austria)
Jaroslav Pehal – bas
Danubius Octet Singers – men's octet
Oksana Zvineková – piano
Daniel Simandl – conductor

Bratislava City Gallery

Time: 2 PM, Place: Mirbach Palace, Bratislava City Gallery, Františkánske Square 11
Programme for seniors
SECRETS OF THE ART: FERDINAND II.
Ferdinand II. was the sixth monarch crowned in Bratislava. The crowning ceremony took place on July 1, 1618. The curator of the BCG Jana Luková will talk about typical features and characteristics of this monarch and how the Thirty Years War changed his rule. The lecture together with a screening is part of the programme of Bratislava Coronation Days 2018. Entry: 1,50 € (only for seniors), without advanced booking

28. 6. 2018, THURSDAY:

Bratislava City Library

Petronela Križanová: The Story of a Forgotten Bookstore. Anton Löwe
Time: 6 PM, Place: Summer Reading Room at the Red Crayfish (U červeného raka), Michalská 26

Cast: the author, Petronela Križanová, of the publishing house Detail, the art historian Henrieta Gábrišová, the host Dado Nagy
Music guests: Vlado Križan – guitar, Pavol Matej – violin, Henrich Novák – dobro, Adam Gábriš – guitar

The presentation of a new professional monograph dedicated to book culture and the history of publishing and bookshop practice focuses on a burgess Anton Löwe (* 1744 - † after 1814) who was a bookseller, publisher and printer in Bratislava active during the period of Hungarian enlightenment. After many years of research into the history of book trade, cultural history of Slovakia and the history of communication, the author analyzes marketing strategies of publishing houses and bookshops, their involvement in European book trade networks, and also addresses sale and distribution of banned literature.
The main partner of the project Let's Read Slovak Literature is the Slovak Art Council. Entry free.

29. 6. 2018, FRIDAY:

In the Footsteps of the Coronation

Thematic tours in Slovak, English and German, free of charge.
The tour will take you to the most important places of coronation ceremonies of the Hungarian monarchs and their wives.
Tours in Slovak
Time: 5 PM, Meeting point: at the Vienna Gate, the Bratislava Castle
Tours in English and German
Time: 3 PM, Meeting point: at the well on the primate's Square
Organizer: Tourist Information Centre, BTB, Klobučnícka 2

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MUCHA QUARTET – musica_litera – Hummel in Bratislava

Time: 7 PM, Place: Main square - large stage
Music by Mucha Quartet, spoken word by Matúš Krátky.
Mucha Quartet will present the works of the native of Bratislava, Johann Nepomuk Hummel (1778 - 1837), whose 240th anniversary of the birth will be celebrated this year, as well as the music of Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756 - 1791), one of Hummel's teachers in Vienna. The actor Matúš Krátky will present texts illustrating Hummel's life and his visits to Bratislava.

The program is subject to change.

ORGANIZER:



PARTNERS:



CO-ORGANIZER:



22. - 29. JUNE 2018



Dear citizens of Bratislava,

the year 2018 is a very special year. Apart from the 100th anniversary of the establishment of the Czechoslovak Republic we also celebrate the 25th anniversary of the independent Slovak Republic as well as Bratislava becoming the capital city. Bratislava has been in the center of historical events since its founding centuries ago. That is why we want to celebrate its rich coronation past with a series of week-long events during Bratislava Coronation Days. This year we would like to remember the coronation of Maximilian II, Holy Roman Emperor, who was, like Maria Theresa, crowned in Bratislava. In cooperation with local organizations we have prepared a rich cultural program in the royal spirit that will surely catch attention of locals and tourists alike. We did not forget about children either – they can look forward to a special Children's coronation parade.

Bratislava Coronation Days are an inseparable part of our culture and I look forward to seeing streets and squares full of dance, theater and musical performances.

Ivo Nesrovnal



21. 6. 2018, THURSDAY: Preparation for the Coronation Week
Walks through the streets of old town with the representatives of the guild of old martial arts and crafts
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22. 6. 2018, FRIDAY:
The Bratislava City Archive – Markova 1, Bratislava - Petržalka
The Open Day in the Bratislava City Archive will celebrate the festive moments of the city's past. On Friday afternoon, June 22, 2018 a thematic programme for invited schools is to be held in the Archive; from 1 PM onward the Archive will be accessible to the public as well. The Archive staff will present and comment on the selected documents from Archive's collections (municipal privileges, town books, rare prints). The youngest visitors can enjoy a variety of creative workshops. Moreover, the group of historical archery Dvor Anjou will entertain guests with demonstrations of bow shooting and medieval casting, visitors can enter a variety of interesting competitions.

Programme:
9 AM – 1 PM - programme for invited schools
1 PM – 3 PM - exhibition of selected documents from Archive's collection
Demonstrations of bow shooting and medieval casting by the group of historical archery Dvor Anjou and a variety of interesting competitions for visitors during the whole day at the Archive.
Middle Ages in the Archive - creative workshops for the youngest visitors

Walks through the streets of old town with the representatives of the guild of old martial arts and crafts
Start: 4:30 PM, Route: Primate's Square- Main Square - Kostolná Street - Primate's Square - Uršulínska Street - Laurinská Street - Panská Street - Rybárska Gate - Hviezdoslav Square - Ventúrska Street - Sedlárska Street - Main Square

The Opening Ceremony of the Coronation Photo - Video Point
Ceremonial opening: 4:30 PM, Place: St. Michael's Tower
Performance of the Guild of Old Martial Arts and Crafts
The Coronation Photo - Video Point in the St. Michael's Tower is accessible FREE of charge during the Bratislava Coronation Days on June 22 – 29, 2018 except Mondays:
Saturday - Sunday: 11 AM – 6 PM
Tuesday - Friday: 10 AM – 5 PM

Blaufränkisch Festival
Start: 5 PM, Primate's Square 1, Bratislava
Opening ceremony hosted by the Mayor of Bratislava, Ivo Nesrovnal.
Opening of the barrel of Blaufränkisch, wine loved by Maria Theresa, free wine tasting of Blaufränkisch, vendor stands and booths, wine tasting (winegrowers from Bratislava).

Bratislava City Museum
“Last minute” making of aristocratic clothes. Only for individual visitors!
Time: 1 PM – 2:30 PM, Place: Old Town Hall Courtyard
Making of aristocratic clothes for individuals from semi - fabrics and insignias for the coronation ceremony.

Children's coronation parade – seeing is more than reading
Enrolment (parade and competition), competition number assignment: 3:15 PM at St. Martin's Chapel (at Bernolák's memorial). Meeting of all participants in costumes: 4 PM at St. Martin's Chapel. Arrival to the parade, getting into the line: 4:15 PM
Start of the parade: 4:30 PM, Route: St. Martin's Chapel, Vydrická Gate, Panská Street, Ventúrska Street, Michalská Street, Zelená Street, Franciscan Church, Old Town Hall - Old Town Hall Courtyard. The final stage of the event at the Old Town Hall Courtyard with the demonstration of the coronation, evaluation of the competition, award ceremony.

Juraj Hrká and Danubius Octet Singers
Time: 3 PM, Place: Main Square - large stage
Coronation Afternoon with Mozart
Readings from Mozart's correspondence, W.A.Mozart's arias, cantatas and men's choirs (Freemasons theme).

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The Bratislava City Library, Literature Quiz with Dado Nagy, a special edition of the quiz dedicated to Bratislava and books on its history
Time: 6 PM, Place: Summer Reading Room at the Red Crayfish (U červeného raka), Michalská 26. You can test your knowledge of books and Bratislava with Dado Nagy, a promoter of good literature. Short extracts from books, lots of fun and prizes for winners!
Music guest: flute quartet Dvesto3kvartet
The main partner of the project “Litera-túrou k zážitkom” (Litera-tour as an Experience) is the Slovak Art Council. Free entry.

23. 6. 2018, SATURDAY:
The Bratislava City Archive – Markova 1, Bratislava - Petržalka
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Programme:
9 AM – 3 PM exhibition of the selected documents from Archive's collection
10 AM – 1 PM lectures on “Eating and Drinking Habits as Captured in Historical Documents”
Programme by the group of historical archery Dvor Anjou, bow shooting competition, demonstrations of period clothes and casting throughout the day.
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24. 6. 2018, SUNDAY:
Blaufränkisch Festival
Start: 10 AM till 8 PM, Primate's Square 1, Bratislava
Vendor stands, wine tasting (winegrowers from Bratislava)

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Tours in English and German
Time: 3 PM
Meeting point: at the well on the Primate's Square
Organizer: Tourist Information Center, BTB, Klobučnícka 2

Coronation tour of Maximilian II. Habsburg - Remembering the First Coronation in Bratislava
Time: 3 PM, Route: the Bratislava Castle, Palisády, Zámocká Street, Kapucínska Street, Hurban Square, St. Michael's Gate, Rybárska Street, Main Square, Radničná Street, Laurinska Street, Rybárska Street, Main Square.
Cast: Tostabur, Žoldnieri, Saltarello, Fringia, Gathilion, Banderium, Adorea, Ursus, Elijana, Havrani, Equites Corone Spineae, Thurzovi drabanti