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ALL AROUND CYPRUS

SUN, 2 – FRI, 28 JULY

International Festival of Ancient Greek Drama 2017

Performances of ancient Greek drama will be presented in July, as every year, in the context of the “International Festival of Ancient Greek Drama” that is co organised by the Cultural Services of the Ministry of Education and Culture, the Cyprus Centre of the International Theatre Institute (CCOITI) and the Cyprus Tourism Organisation. Five theatre groups from Cyprus, Latvia, Greece and Israel will present performances of ancient Greek drama;

SATIRIKO THEATRE – CYPRUS

ELECTRA by Sophocles

- Sun 2 July, “Skali” Amphitheatre, Aglantzia
- Tue 4 July, Kourion Ancient Theatre
- Mon 10 July, Pafos Ancient Odeon

MIKHAIL CHEKHOV RIGA RUSSIAN THEATRE – LATVIA

MEDEA by Euripides

- Fri 7 July, Curium Ancient Theatre
- Sun 9 July, “Skali” Amphitheatre, Aglantzia

NATIONAL THEATRE OF NORTHERN GREECE

SEVEN AGAINST THEBES by Aeschylus

- Wed 12 July, Kourion Ancient Theatre
- Thu 13 July, Kourion Ancient Theatre

THEATRO DENTRO – CYPRUS

OEDIPUS THE KING by Sophocles

- Sun 16 July, “Skali” Amphitheatre, Aglantzia
- Fri 21 July, Pafos Ancient Odeon
- Sun 23 July, Kourion Ancient Theatre

YAIR SHERMAN ENSEMBLE – ISRAEL

THE BACCHAE by Euripides

- Wed 26 July, Pafos Ancient Odeon
- Fri 28 July, “Skali” Amphitheatre, Aglantzia

For further information and programme please visit the festival’s official website: greekdramafest.com

BIRDLIFE FIELD MEETINGS

BirdLife Cyprus is a registered NGO that works to conserve wild birds, their habitats and wider biodiversity in Cyprus, through research, monitoring, lobbying and conservation and awareness-raising

actions. BirdLife organises field meetings (the participation is at one’s own risk) which require light to moderate exercise. Please contact the field trip leader for more information on difficulty, distances and terrain of a particular field trip. A flask of coffee and sandwiches are a must!

WED, 23 & SAT, 26 AUG - Akrotiri Salt Lake

Birdwatching: Demoiselle Cranes and early autumn migrants. Meeting at 08:30 at Sylvana Restaurant. Leader: June Neal (T. +357 25932008 or 99918665)

For further information: birdlifecyprus.org



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LEFKOSIA (NICOSIA)

SAT, 1 JULY

Spine

Spine- A day devoted to Artist-Led publishing. 22 Artists who work with the book medium will present their publications. The guest for the day will be Eleanor Bonne Brown, an independent publisher living in London. She set up X Marks the Bökship, a bookshop and project space for small press publications by artists and designers, promoting contemporary publishing through book launches, events and production resources that brought together individual practitioners to create a local publishing community. She runs the 'Publication as Practice' talk series on concepts of artists' books. All participants must register by 10:00 at Phytorio.

Venue: To Phytorio (Nehrou 2, Lefkosia Municipal gardens, CY- 1102, T. +357 22681088)

Time: 10:00 - 16:30

Entrance: Free

TUE, 4 JULY

Giorgos Theofanous & Giorgos Hatzinasios

The famous composers Giorgos Theofanous from Cyprus & Giorgos Hatzinasios from Greece will perform together in Lefkosia and Lemesos this July. Only two performances, two pianos and many wonderful songs representing two different generations.

Venue: Skali Aglantzias (Agiou Georgiou 15, CY- 2108, T. +357 22462233)

Time: 21:30

Entrance: €18

WED, 5 JULY

Panos Katsimihas Concert

Opening of the concert by Giannis Margaritis and Kassiani Lipsaki. For further information T. +357 22766459.

Venue: Famagusta (Ammochostos) Moat

Time: 19:30

Entrance: For the 3 nights of the festival €25, Presale €20 | €15 per night

THU, 6 JULY

Machairitsas - Zouganelis - Voulgaraki in Concert

A special night with favourite songs and satire by the famous artists. For further information please call +357 22766459.

Venue: Famagusta (Ammochostos) Moat

Time: 19:30

Entrance: For the 3 nights of the festival €25, Presale €20 | €15 per night

THU, 6 JULY

Yiannis Parios Concert

The very famous and beloved Greek singer Yiannis Parios, "the singer of love" as they call him, is coming to Cyprus for a performance on the 6th of July in Lefkosia.

Venue: Lakatamia Municipal Amphitheatre (Corner of Charalambous Mouskou & Gregori Afxentiou Streets, CY-2310)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €30

FRI, 7 JULY

Dalaras - Papakonstantinou - Paschalidis

A very special concert, a tribute to the great composer Manos Loizos, on the occasion of the 80th anniversary of his birth. Participation of Aspasia Stratigou. For further information T. +357 22766459.

Venue: Famagusta (Ammochostos) Moat

Time: 19:30

Entrance: For the 3 nights of the festival €25, Presale €20 | €15 per night

AgJanJazz 2017

The 11th AgJanJazz Festival offers two days full of jazz! This year's event includes bands from Cyprus, Greece, Belgium, Luxemburg, Portugal, Holland, Poland and USA.

MON, 10 JULY

Cyprus, Greece - Michael Messios Symmetry Band
Feat. Dimitris Tsakas

Belgium, Luxemburg - Dock In Absolute

Portugal - Carmen Souza Trio

TUE, 11 JULY

Cyprus - LP3 Trio



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Cyprus, Holland, Poland - Ermis Michail Quintet
Greece, USA - The Next Step Quintet Feat. Tivon Pennicott

Food and drinks available, for more information:

aglantzia.org.cy

Venue: Square of Old Aglantzia

Time: 20:45

Entrance: Free

WED, 12 JULY – SUN, 10 SEPT

Summer Movie Marathon

Organization: Cultural Services, Ministry of Education & Culture, teatro ena, in collaboration with The Friends of Cinema Society.

12. 7 & 13. 8 - I, Daniel Blake

13. 7 & 16. 8 - Florence Foster Jenkins

14. 7 & 17. 8 - Maggie's plan

15. 7 & 18. 8 - La vache, One man and his cow

16. 7 & 19. 8 - Le petit prince

19. 7 & 20. 8 - L'attesa, The wait

21. 7 & 23. 8 - La Pazza Gioia, Like crazy

22.7 & 24.8 - Fuocoammare / Fire at sea

23. 7 & 25. 8 - L' Odyssée

26. 7 & 26. 8 - I still hide to smoke

27. 7 & 27. 8 - Indivisible

28. 7 & 9. 8 - Beluga

29. 7 & 31. 8 - Neruda

30. 7 & 2. 9 - The Magic beans

2. 8 & 9. 9 - Beloved days

3. 8 & 6. 9 - Mavi bisiklet / Blue bicycle

4. 8 & 3. 9 - Infancia clandestina

5. 8 & 7. 9 - Mon pire cauchemar

6. 8 & 1. 9 - Hoje Eu Quero, Voltar Sozinho

10. 8 & 30. 8 - Lion

11. 8 & 8. 9 - NO

12. 8 & 10. 9 - La La Land

Venue: Konstantia Open Air Cinema (15, Solonos Michaelides str., T. +357 22349085)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €5 | Free for -10yrs & people with

MON, 17 JULY

Piaf! THE SHOW

A worldwide sensation! A musical celebration of the life and music of the legendary French chanteuse Edith Piaf. The distinguished life of the top French singer progresses throughout the show in an audio and visual spectacle that has been proclaimed

as one of the biggest international hits of the last years: Piaf THE SHOW that has completed more than 2000 shows in the 5 continents and has been applauded by over 1,000,000 spectators, the show that has been honored by over 10,000 people a two sold out shows at Herodio Atticus, Athens, last summer, tells the story of the life of the legendary "little sparrow" the one and only Edith Piaf, through the songs of which history has been written.

Venue: Skali Aglantzias (Agiou Georgiou 15, CY-2108, T. +257 22462233)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €30

WED, 19 JULY

Stavros Xarchakos & Alkistis Protopsalti

This summer, the charismatic performer Alkistis Protopsalti will meet for the first time the great composer Stavros Xarhakos! A high-level artistic collaboration that will give us unique moments, with some of the best songs composed by Xarchakos performed by the splendid voice of Alkistis Protopsalti.

Venue: Makarios III Amphitheatre

(Amphitheater of School for Blind, 28th October Street, CY-2012, T. +357 22 314 507)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €35 | €30 | €25

SAT, 22 JULY

Into the Limbo Festival 2017

Undersound proudly presents for the 6th year in a row, the psychedelic stoner rock festival Into The Limbo. LINE UP: Samsara Blues Experiment (DE), The Great Machine (IS), Naxatras (GR), Abettor (CY) The Low Spark (CY). Facebook page:

facebook.com/events/187137245095368

Venue: Agios Sozomenos village

Time: 18:00

Entrance: €18 | €15 presale

MON, 24 & TUE, 25 JULY

Marinella - Zacharatos

The totally sold out performance in Athens, "Marinella-Zaharatos", is coming to Cyprus this Summer...A great musical show, where the great lady of the song, Marinella, meets the showman Takis Zaharatos. Marinella is one of the most famous



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Greek singers with a big career and Zaharatos is a famous mime artist, singer and actor.

Venue: Makarios III Amphitheatre (Amphitheater of School for Blind, 28th October Street, CY-2012, T. +357 22314507)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €40|€35

SAT, 12 & SUN, 13 AUG

WindCraft Music Fest 3

This August, Katydata wakes up to the sounds of winds and embarks on new music explorations. The alto saxophones of Thodoris Rellos (Mode Plagal) and Zakari Frantz (of the Souljazz Orchestra) take us to Balkan and African routes, trumpets and clarinets twist through jazz, soul and classical music paths, drums mingle with the winds of a band, a zurna and a davul call for dancing...Windcraft Music Fest returns for the 3rd time to Katydata for two days of concerts, workshops and other activities. Bands and new collaborations from Cyprus, Greece and Canada with winds as their main ingredient will present their personal music interpretation, blending different traditions and creating new fusion sounds. The worlds of ethnic, jazz, soul, African, classical and traditional music will unite, just to prove once more that different cultures can co-exist. For further information (programme and tickets): windcraftmusicfest.com

Venue: To Chani tou Stavrinou, Katydata village, CY-2835

Entrance: Tickets for the concerts cost €15 for a single night and €20 for both nights. Free entrance for -12yrs. Workshops free.

ONGOING till MON, 4 SEPTEMBER

Solomos Frangoulides: The Artist – The Art Critic

This exhibition presents Solomos Frangoulides, one of the pioneering painters of the first generation of Modern Cypriot Art, not only as a painter but also as a critic of art. The curators of the exhibition managed to gather this wealth of articles by Frangoulidis, published regularly in the newspaper Haravgi and New Age magazine, and to find in his writings a unique source of information on art in Cyprus at that time. The museographic approach and

the selection of Frangoulides' works and texts help the visitor to reach the goals of this pioneering exhibition, while at the same time it contributes to the formation of new ways of understanding the work of Frangoulidis from the point of view of his time.

Venue: A. G. Leventis Gallery (5 Leonidou Str., CY-1097, T. +357 22668838, leventisgallery.org)

Visiting hours: Every day except Tuesday 10.00-17.00, Wednesdays until 22.00

Entrance: €6|€3 Seniors & Students|Free for -18yrs and visitors with disabilities

ONGOING till THU, 28 SEPTEMBER

Faneromeni 17 Arts Festival

With the slogan "Culture Roofed by the sky" the festival returns to Old Nicosia, organised and hosted by the Bank of Cyprus Cultural Foundation with a multifaceted programme featuring local and international participations. The nights of the events, the Foundation's museums and exhibitions will remain open until midnight. For further information on the events please visit boccf.org

Venue: Courtyard of Bank of Cyprus Cultural Foundation (86-90 Phaneromenis str., CY-1515, T. +357 22128157)

ONGOING till SUN, 31 DECEMBER

Rooms to Contemplate: Content and Perspective of a Collection

The exhibition aspires to display and bring out works from the most significant and richest private collection in Cyprus, that of the Cultural Foundation. Systematizing our efforts for the free access of citizens to the Collection but also their education in topics of contemporary art, the Cultural Foundation attests, once more, to the range of its contribution in the field of the Arts, and Culture in general. A host of seventy-five paintings, sculptures, constructions, photographs and video make up an exhibitory condition that traces the evolution of the history of art in Cyprus from the beginning of the previous century to the present day.

Venue: Bank of Cyprus Cultural Foundation (86-90, Faneromeni Str., Old Nicosia, T. +357 22128157)

Visiting hours: Mon-Sun 10:00-19:00



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EVERY SATURDAY & SUNDAY

Flea Market of Lefkosia

An indoor flea market in Lefkosia where one can find new and used books, toys, art crafts, furniture, electronics, appliances, clothes, household items, collectibles and antiques, as well as a coffee shop.

Venue: Flea Market (2, Ioanni Koromia Str., CY-1028 Kaimakli, T. +357 22432478)

EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY

Free Guided Tours at the Cyprus Museum

The tours are conducted with licensed tourist guides and are **free of charge!**

Starting Point: Cyprus Museum entrance

Starting time: 11:00 – 12:30

Information | Reservations: +357 22889600

Note: Museum Fees apply (€4,50). No tours are held on public holidays.

EVERY MONDAY & THURSDAY

LEFKOSIA (NICOSIA) WALKS

Get to know the capital by walking

The Lefkosia Municipality established a series of thematic walking tours to present various aspects of the old city as well as the city outside the walls. Lefkosia, a city with 5,000 yearlong history, has much to offer. By walking, one gets a better feel for a place and its yearlong atmosphere, past and present, and a better understanding of its continual cultural development.

EVERY MONDAY

Pallouriotissa & Kaimakli: The Past Restored

Guided walking & bus tour.

The Walking Tour leads you to the most noteworthy sights in 'Pallouriotisa' and 'Kaimakli', two old villages at the outskirts of the Venetian Walls. As Lefkosia grew and expanded these villages gradually became historic districts of the city.

EVERY WEDNESDAY

Lefkosia Outside the Venetian Walls; It's Past and Present

Get to know the capital of the island! Its history, architecture, everyday living. It is a city built within walls, but also one that spreads out as far as one can see. It is a city with long history, but yet again it is a modern one. Neo-classical mansions and

colonial buildings blend in with modern residential areas. Explore the cultural standing and its spiritual freedom of this city that has it all!

EVERY THURSDAY

Discover the old Nicosia and its walls

Guided walking tour.

Lefkosia, the only divided capital in the world, dates back to the Bronze Age. In antiquity and in early Christian times it was known as *Ledra*. It has been the capital of Cyprus since the Late Byzantine period (11th century). The Lusignans transformed it into a splendid city, with royal palaces and churches. The city centre, the old "Chora", surrounded by 16th century Venetian Walls, with museums, old churches and medieval buildings, maintains the leisurely atmosphere of yesteryear.

Language: *English*

Starting point: CTO Information Office in Laiki Geitonia, within the Venetian walls of old Nicosia city (11, Aristokyprou str., CY-1011)

Time: 10:00

Cost: *Gratis.* Offered by the Lefkosia (Nicosia) Municipality and organised in collaboration with the Cyprus Tourism Organisation and the Cyprus Tourist Guides Association.

For further information and bookings please contact T. +357 22674264. NO Walks held on public holidays.



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LEMESOS (LIMASSOL)

SAT, 1 JULY

Take me home

Natasa's Georgiou School of dance moving arts center. A dance journey, which has the theme of separation and love. Separation that comes violently after a war, a terrorist attack, like it often happens in today's world and love that seeks a way to find its way, forgive and prevail. The net proceeds of the show will be offered for the financial support of the Volunteer Distribution Center at the Reception Center for Asylum Seekers and Refugees in Kofinou.

Venue: Rialto Theatre (19, Andrea Drousioti str., CY-3603, T. 77777745, rialto.com.cy)

Time: 19:30

Entrance: €10|€7

SUN, 2 JULY

"Carmen" - Moscow State Ballet

The Moscow State Ballet is coming to Cyprus this July, to present "Carmen", Bizet's famous opera, by the well-known choreographer Andrey Mercuriev. In the second part of the performance, the ballet will present the second part of the Swan Lake.

Venue: Lemesos Municipal Gardens Theater (Lord Byron Str., CY-3105, T. 357 25343341)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €25-15|€10 for children

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Venue: Kourion Ancient Theater

Time: 21:30

Entrance: €18

FRI, 7 JULY

Yiannis Parios Concert

The very famous and beloved Greek singer Yiannis Parios, "the singer of love" as they call him, is coming to Cyprus for a unique performance.

Venue: Lemesos Municipal Gardens Theater (Lord Byron Str., CY-3105, T. 357 25343341)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €40|€30

MON, 10 JULY

Kostis Maraveyas in Concert

The summer comes and along with it, comes also the beloved Greek singer Kostis Maraveyas. Always armed with his smile, courtesy and charm, he will bring us together again, singing favorite songs, old and new, on a wonderful summer night.

Venue: Lemesos Municipal Gardens Theater (Lord Byron Str., CY-3105, T. 357 25343341)

Time: 20:30

Entrance: €20

THU, 13 JULY

Evanthia Reboutsika & George Perris

She has linked her name to some of the finest melodies of the Greek song. He, is the youngest international singer, performing in the biggest theaters in the world. Together, Evanthia Reboutsika and Giorgos Perris prove to be the ideal guides for a summer getaway in Greece entitled "Sunshine".

Venue: Lemesos Municipal Gardens Theater (Lord Byron Str., CY-3105, T. 357 25343341)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €20|€15|€10

FRI, 14 JULY

InnocentGuilt

An innovative performance which will keep you on your seats. Sixty professional actors, dancers and musicians will take you on a journey. The scenario direction and choreographies are guaranteed by Harris Hristodoulou.

Venue: Pattichio Municipal Theatre (6, Agias Zonis, CY-3027, T. +357 25377277, pattihio.com.cy)

Time: 20:30

Entrance: €15|€10

SAT, 15 JULY

Tribute to Nikos Xilouris with Miltiadis Paschalides

The 41st Festival of Kostakis Evagorou at Louvaras village hosts a unique tribute to the legendary Nikos Xilouris, with the popular Greek singer Miltiadis Paschalides. For more information T. +357 99451996.



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Venue: Louvaras village
Time: 20:30
Entrance: €15 | €12 presale

SUN, 16 JULY

“Galatea’s Myths”

A project by the European Capital of Culture – Pafos 2017. Dancecyprus presents the ballet production 'Galatea’s Myths' by Italian choreographer Davide Bombana, Conductor Alkis Baltas with the bicomunal Cyprus Chamber Orchestra. Participation of over 20 dancers and 27 musicians from Cyprus, Germany and Italy with the support of the Embassy of Italy. Music is by the award-winning Estonian composer Arvo Pärt. Cyprus Chamber Orchestra Artistic Directors: Natalie Neophytou and Nihat Agdac. Lead percussionist Staatsoper Hannover: Philip Kohnke.

For more information T. +357 99549478, dancecyprus.org

Venue: Rialto Theatre (19, Andrea Drousioti str., CY-3603, T. 77777745, rialto.com.cy)

Time: 20:30

Entrance: €15 | €10

12th Cyprus Rialto World Music Festival 2017

MON, 17 JULY - BandAdriatica. Carried by the whirling winds blowing along the shores of the Adriatic sea, BandAdriatica rows on the rough sea of traditional Salento music using Balkan and north African elements.

WED, 19 JULY - Abhisek Lahiri. Notwithstanding the traditional essence which is one of the predominant feature of Indian Classical Music, Abhisek Lahiri, one of the youngest President Award Winning "A" grade sarod artist of Prasar Bharati and Doordarshan has blended his baaj by the norms of the venerable raagdari with the neoteric idiosyncrasy of chalan, taan, chords and by introducing unanticipated instantaneous notes and startling phrases.

MON, 24 JULY - Trio Tekke. The acclaimed Neo-Rebetiko group Trio Tekke makes a comeback with a strong new release. 'Zivo'* is the title of the band's third album, which initiates their collaboration with London-based Anglo-Italian drummer Dave De Rose.

WED, 26 JULY - Amalgamation Project. The band was established by Vasiliki Anastasiou, interpreting his own compositions. It also borrows and re-arranges

traditional melodies from countries around the shores of the Mediterranean Sea but also from the whole of the Balkan Peninsula. Project’s musicians make new music by sharing experiences from the jazz scene, classical and traditional music.

Venue: Heroes' Square

Time: 20.30

Entrance: Free

SAT, 29 JULY - Rialto Residency: Traditional Eastern Mediterranean Music. Improvisation and composition in the eastern Mediterranean music traditions Rialto Residency, conducted by Mihalis Holevas, will focus on techniques, forms and stylistic elements of the eastern Mediterranean traditions. Classical and popular compositions will constitute the starting point for different approaches towards improvisation.

Venue: Platres Village (Glafcos Clerides Square)

Time: 20:30.

SUN, 30 JULY – Residency. A programme of original compositions by Mihalis Holevas with the participants of the Rialto Residency.

Venue: Gefyri Miliias near Platres Village

Time: 11:30

MON, 31 JULY - Soneros De Verdad. Authentic, soulful and rhythmically: Soneros de Verdad take their audience on a journey through the musical diversity of Cuba. They call themselves the second generation of the Buena Vista Social Club – and they do that for good reason. Legendary Pio Leyva was one of the founding members of the now six-piece band fronted by Luis Frank Arias.

Venue: Heroes' Square

Time: 20.30

Entrance: Free

TUE, 18 JULY

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Time: 21:00

Entrance: €35 | €30 | €25



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FRI, 28 JULY

Marinella - Zacharatos

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Venue: Lemesos Municipal Gardens Theater (Lord Byron Str., CY-3105, T. 357 25343341)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €35|€30

THU, 3 & FRI, 4 AUG

Amore by Svetlana Zakharova

Multi award-winning prima ballerina of the Bolshoi Theatre, Svetlana Zakharova, will present "Amore" ballet, where she experiments with both classic and contemporary styles; three ballets by three world-renowned choreographers: Yuri Possokhov (San Francisco Ballet's choreographer), alongside Patrick De Bana (Vienna State Ballet's regular choreographer and honorary member of the National Board of German Ballet and Dance Theatre Directors), and Marguerite Donlon (Irish choreographer and artistic director currently based

in Berlin). Svetlana Zakharova will be accompanied with principal dancers of the Russian Ballet.

Venue: Lemesos Municipal Gardens Theater (Lord Byron Str., CY-3105, T. 357 25343341)

Time: 20:30

Entrance: €35|€15

2nd LimasSoul Festival

Mouzourakis, Balafas, Gymna Kalodia

Ravens Music Hall presents the 2nd LimasSoul Festival featuring singers and bands from Greece and Cyprus. The doors open at 18:45. 19:00-20:00 Alternative and Progressive sounds by POE Bar. Food and drinks available for sale. Children under 12 years old accompanied by their guardian can enter for free (ID required). For more information call +357 99 614 100

MON, 7 AUG - Panos Mouzourakis and the MOuZiCiANs, accompanied by Myrto Naoum (Voice of Greece) and Dimitra Mpoulouzou (violin)& Lopodites

TUE, 8 AUG - Leonidas Balafas, Gymna Kalodia & Vyronas Potsos

Venue: Potamos Germasogeias (parking lot)

Entrance: €25|€20|€15

THU, 31 AUG - SUN, 10 SEP

Wine Festival

The Wine Festival was organised for the first time in 1961 and since then it has become an established annual event of merrymaking and fun, offering a joyful atmosphere to visitors from all over Cyprus and abroad. Wine from the barrels is on offer free of charge every evening. Organiser: Lemesos (Limassol) Municipality. Venue: Lemesos Municipal Gardens. For further information: T. 25745919 or 25342153, limassolmunicipal.com.cy

ONGOING till SAT, 30 SEPTEMBER

"Symposium 1363 – Votive 1356"

The exhibition of Nikos Kouroussis and Lia Lapithi entitled "Symposium 1363-Votive 1356" at the Kolossi Castle is organised by the Department of Antiquities in collaboration with the artists, ICOMOS Cyprus and with the support of the Community Council of Kolossi.

Venue: Kolossi Castle

Opening Hours: 08:15 - 19:45



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EVERY MONDAY

LEMESOS (LIMASSOL) WALK

A stroll in Neapolis, Nemesos, Limassol....Lemesos

See the best of Lemesos city; get to know the historical centre of Lemesos by walking through its narrow streets which visually “narrate” its long history. Monuments of the past, traditional workshops, unique architectural features, the bustling life of the old market and traditional shops all reflect the city’s atmosphere, the main element of this tour.

Language: English

Starting point: CTO Information Office (Old Port Entrance, Syntagmatos square)

Time: 10:00

Cost: Gratis. Offered by the Lemesos (Limassol) Municipality and organised in collaboration with the Cyprus Tourism Organisation and the Cyprus Tourist Guides Association.

Booking in advance is necessary.

For further information and bookings please call T. +357 25362756. NO Walks held on public holidays.



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LARNAKA

SAT, 1 JULY

"Carmen" - Moscow State Ballet

The Moscow State Ballet is coming to Cyprus this July, to present "Carmen", Bizet's famous opera, by the well-known choreographer Andrey Mercuriev. In the second part of the performance, the ballet will present the second part of the Swan Lake.

Venue: Pattichion Municipal Amphitheatre (Nikolaou G. Dimitriou Street, CY-6031)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €25-15 | €10 for children

SAT, 1 – THU, 20 JULY

CULTURAL NIGHTS

A unique cultural journey traced through a series of selected events. The events will take place in Aradippou village and include theatre festivals, music performances, and traditional shadow theatre as well as cinema screenings. Through this set of events, the unique cultural identity and history of the village's community is being displayed. For further information T. +357 24 811017.

WED, 5 JULY

100 Guitars - Larnaka Festival 2017

The Cyprus Guitar Orchestra presents the biggest guitar event ever held in Cyprus. 100 Guitars! Vangelis Boudounis, after the concerts at the Athens Concert Hall and Herodion, will bring the Cyprus Guitar Orchestra with 100 Guitars in Cyprus, for a unique concert at the Larnaka Festival 2017. For more information: T. +357 99430654.

Conductor: Vangelis Boudounis, Artistic Director: Antonis Koiza.

Venue: Pattichion Municipal Amphitheatre (Nikolaou G. Dimitriou Street, CY-6031)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €15 | €10 for -12yrs

FRI, 7 – SUN, 9 JULY

The Afrobanana Republic Festival 2017: Deep into the Magic and Beyond!

The event will see top class award winning international acts jetting in to the island to perform with leading local musicians, in what's set to be one

of the most impressive festival extravaganzas; four music stages, featuring over 40 musicians including 15 live bands. Kids can also take part in a special area set up specifically for fun, education and creative workshops. The festival camp grounds provide the perfect spot to set up a tent or park a caravan in the shade of the pine clad forest! For further information visit: afrobanana.com

Venue: Kornos Forest

Doors Open: Friday 14:00

Entrance: Presale 1 Day €20 / 3 day €35. Doorsale 1 Day €25 / 3 Day €45. Camping Per Tent €2. Free entrance for -12yrs.

SAT, 8 JULY

Life Line

The Cyprus Association of Cancer Patients and Friends, PASYKAF invites you to their annual fundraising event Life Line! A rich cultural programme will be presented and various activities for children. Face painting, fishing, market, crafts, donuts, homemade sweets and many surprises.

Presented by: Elias Adamou & Anna Katsantoni

Music by: HOVIG - Enca & The Nico Bros

Dances: By the traditional Dance Group 'RYMVOS'

Cartoon Network Grew - Breaking - Larnaka

Venue: Finikoudes Promenade, Athinon Avenue

Time: 20:30

Entrance: Free

FRI, 14 JULY

Evanthia Reboutsika – George Perris "Iliofaneia"

A unique live concert in unique surroundings!

Venue: Kition Archaeological Site

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €15

TUE, 18 JULY

Piaf! THE SHOW

A musical celebration of the life and music of the legendary French chanteuse Edith Piaf. The distinguished life of the top French singer progresses throughout the show in an audio and visual spectacle that has been proclaimed as one of the biggest international hits of the last years: Piaf THE SHOW that has completed more



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than 2000 shows in the 5 continents and has been applauded by over 1,000,000 spectators. The story of the life of the legendary “little sparrow” the one and only Edith Piaf, through the songs of which history has been written.

Venue: Larnaka Municipal Theater (Municipal Gardens, Leonida Kioupi, T. +357 24665795)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €30

WED, 19 JULY

“Electra” by Sophocles

A performance by Satiriko Theatre with Marianna Kafkaridou in the role of Electra. Stage director: Neoklis Neokleous.

Venue: Pattichion Municipal Amphitheatre (Nikolaou G. Dimitriou Street, CY-6031)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: Free

TUE, 25 JULY

Concert dedicated to the 35th anniversary of the death of Manos Loizos

With Pantelis Thalassinou, Iro Sala, Kostas Chatzichristodoulou and the Vocal Ensemble of the

Venue: Old Aqueduct “Kamareas”

Time: 21:00

Entrance: Free

WED, 26 JULY

Marinella - Zacharatos

The totally sold out performance in Athens, “Marinella-Zacharatos”, is coming to Cyprus this Summer...A great musical show, where the great lady of the song, Marinella, meets the showman Takis Zacharatos. Marinella is one of the most famous Greek singers with a big career and Zacharatos is a famous mime artist, singer and actor.

Venue: Pattichion Municipal Amphitheatre (Nikolaou G. Dimitriou Street, CY-6031)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €35 | €30

FRI, 28 JULY

“The Persians” by Aeschylus

A performance of the Cyprus Theater Organisation starring Karyofyllia Karabeti, Nikos Psarras, Antonis Miriagos, Charis Charalambous. Stage direction: Aris

Biniaris.

Venue: Pattichion Municipal Amphitheatre (Nikolaou G. Dimitriou Street, CY-6031)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €17 | €8 for -25yrs, unemployed and pensioners)

SUN 30 JULY

**Irish Ensemble “Murphy’s Legacy”
“Irish Dance Reborn”**

An exhilarating new dance production.

Venue: Pattichion Municipal Amphitheatre (Nikolaou G. Dimitriou Street, CY-6031)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €25 | €20 | €10 for -12yrs

THU, 3 – SAT, 5 AUG

Fengaros Festival

Fengaros Festival returns for its seventh consecutive year, dedicated to its everlasting goal of presenting fresh and original live music from around the world! The festival will once again take place in the scenic village of Kato Drys, where three different stages will entertain for three days from the 3rd to the 5th of August. The Field Stage, Village Stage and Church Stage, will host more than 35 acts from Cyprus, Greece, Italy, Kuwait, Niger, Israel, Australia, England and the USA, in a line-up that showcases the multi-dimensional, uncompromising and selective aesthetic of the organization. Fantastic Negrito (USA - Grammy-Award Winner 2017), Xylouris White (GR/AUS), Bombino (Niger), Marina Satti & Fones (GR), are just a few of the big names featured this year! For further information please visit louvanarecords.com, feggaros.com

Venue: Kato Drys village, CY- 7714

FRI, 4 – SUN, 6 AUG

Cev Beach Volleyball Championships

Larnaka is proud to once again host (and co-organise) European Beach Volleyball championships: 1. CEV Beach Volleyball Satellite Larnaka - Women, 2. CEV Youth Beach Volleyball Continental Cup. The CEV (The European Volleyball Confederation) is the FIVB supporting institution responsible for governing 56 national federations throughout Europe, and is recognised as such by the Fédération Internationale



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de Volleyball (FIVB). Athletes from across Europe will come to Larnaka for the tournaments.

Venue: Beach volleyball court, Foinikoudes beach

Entrance: Free

TUE, 8 – TUE, 15 AUG

Kiti Cultural Summer

A programme of traditional dance performances, theatre, children's entertainment, music and song. Free watermelon served. For further information please contact the Kiti Community Council T. +357 24422233.

Venue: Angeloktisti Church yard, Kiti village

Time: 21:00

Entrance: Free

SAT, 12 – FRI, 18 AUG

37th Lefkara Festival of Art and Culture 2017

The 37th Lefkara Festival of Art and Culture 2017, aims to promote the beautiful village of Lefkara. Many cultural events will be organised, in order to promote the local embroidery and silverware, the local arts and the lovely traditional architecture. For further information call on the following telephone numbers: +357 24342422 or 24342822.

Venue: Primary School Square, Church of Timios Stavros and Agios Andronikos, Lefkara village

ONGOING till SUN, 10 SEPTEMBER

Earth mixed with Fire

The Cyprus Pottery and Ceramics Association in collaboration with Larnaca Municipality organise a collective a contemporary ceramic art exhibition,

Venue: Larnaca Municipal Art Gallery (Athinon Ave., Europe square, CY-6022, T. +357 24658848)

EVERY WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY

LARNAKA WALKS

Larnaka; birthplace of the philosopher Zeno, founder of the Stoic School, and second home of Saint Lazarus who was ordained as the first Bishop of Kition after his resurrection. For the lovers of long walks this is a fascinating insight into the history, culture, traditions, and architecture of this sea-front city.

EVERY WEDNESDAY

Larnaka – Past and Present

This walk covers the history of Larnaka and its development by focusing on the role that the sea had throughout the centuries.

Language: English

Starting point: CTO Information Office (Vasileos Pavlou Square, T. +357 24654322)

Time: 10:00

EVERY FRIDAY

Scala – Its Craftsmen

Scala is the area that surrounds Larnaka Fort and Agios Lazaros Church. The aim of this walk is to explore the area and visit the Handicraft Workshops created by young ceramic artists most of who are inspired by ancient Cypriot art. The Walk goes through picturesque streets of the Turkish sector of Larnaka, where visitors have the chance to see traditional white washed houses, houses with kiosks and the present use of this residential area.

Starting point: Larnaka Fort (in front of the entrance of the Medieval Museum).

Time: 10:00

Cost: Gratis. Offered by the Larnaka Municipality and organised in collaboration with the Cyprus Tourism Organisation and the Cyprus Tourist Guides Association.

Booking in advance is necessary.

For further information and bookings please contact T. +357 24654322. Walks are held on public holidays.



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PAFOS



The programme of Pafos2017 European Capital of Culture is pointing to a quest to find the hidden treasure of Pafos, a quest in which all its people and visitors are called to participate. To view all events visit: pafos2017.eu

Highlights of this month:

SAT, 1 JULY

Eternal Voyages

The Summer Highlight of the European Capital of Culture Pafos2017 is a spectacular outdoor event that takes place on and around Pafos Castle and harbour, and explores one of the prevailing themes of the Pafos 2017 cultural programme 'World Travellers'. Eternal Voyages uses the natural elements as its dramatic backdrop to tell the stories of these three travellers descending on Pafos by land, sea and air. Expect a truly multi-sensory experience as a dramatic narrative is told through projection, high quality digital animation and mapping accompanied by heightened dramatic moments of live performance including poetical text and song; both in English and Greek.

Venue: Municipal Baths – Pafos Castle Square

Time: 20:30 **Entrance:** Free

FRI, 7 & SAT, 8 JULY

Trojan Women

One of the most important events of the European Capital of Culture – Pafos2017 program. From the Trojan War to today's conflicts, the suffering endured during a war and the plight of war refugees never ceased to exist. The Trojan women is a protest against the absurdity, violence and atrocities imposed upon people as a consequence of war and a demand for peace, solidarity and humanity. The actors of the performance come from divided cities (Nicosia, Mostar and Jerusalem) as well as from Syria and Greece. The play attempts to showcase the drama of division and the deeply rooted human need for reconciliation. The performance is dedicated to the memory of Yannis

Kounellis, who was to create the visual installation of the show.

Venue: Pafos Ancient Odeon

Time: 20:30 – 23:30 **Entrance:** €20 | €15

FRI, 14 & SAT, 15 JULY

"Galatea's Myths"

Dancecyprus presents the ballet production 'Galatea's Myths' by Italian choreographer Davide Bombana, Conductor Alkis Baltas with the bicomunal Cyprus Chamber Orchestra. Participation of over 20 dancers and 27 musicians from Cyprus, Germany and Italy with the support of the Embassy of Italy. Music is by the award-winning Estonian composer Arvo Pärt. Cyprus Chamber Orchestra Artistic Directors: Natalie Neophytou and Nihat Agdac. Lead percussionist Staatsoper Hannover: Philip Kohnke.

For more information T. +357 99549478, dancecyprus.org

Venue: Pafos Castle Square

Time: 20:30 **Entrance:** €15 | €10

WED, 19 JULY

International countryside Animafest

This international animation festival takes place at a site which brings together myth, history and visual arts featuring cutting-edge animation artists. The Animafest comprises screenings of animation films as well as exhibitions, workshops and activities for children. Under the curatorship of Giorgos Tsaggaris, there will be an event focusing on Japanese animation, with screenings and workshops as well as an exhibition of engravings from Japan with the collaboration of the Hambis Printmaking Museum.

Venue: Medieval Manor House, Kouklia

Time: 08:00 – 17:00 **Entrance:** Free

SAT, 29 JULY

Luz Casal

Luz Casal, one of the most famous stars of the Spanish music scene, who has released dozens of albums and has sold millions of records, is a true star of the music world transferring her own musical tradition throughout the world successfully and winning awards and prizes such as the famous Goya Award. The "Diva of the Iberian" as Luz Casal is called, will present a unique musical journey into the world of the senses, along with her band



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consisting of 5 great soloists, she will sing songs that celebrate life and love, like *Piensa en Mi* and *Un Año de Amor*. Thousands of fans will enjoy unique melodies of bolero, tango and flamenco.

Venue: Pafos Castle Square

Time: 20:30 – 23:30

Entrance: €30|€20

FRI, 4 AUG

Second life Music without Borders

Eleftheria Arvanitaki will offer a music performance based on poetry in a location of beauty and love, while her artistic excellence proves once more how each verse can actually come to life. Orchestration: Alexandros Drakos Ktistakis, Musicians: Giorgos Georgiades (bass), Alexandros Drakou Ktistakis (drums), Yiannis Kyrimkyrides (piano), Nikos Mermigkas (lafta, bouzouki, laouto, mandolin), Dimitris Tsakas (saxophone).

Venue: Petra tou Romiou

Time: 22:00

Entrance: €25|€20

SAT, 5 AUG

Weddings and Funerals – Goran Bregovic

At a place where cultures converge and where Aphrodite rules as the goddess of love and of the dead, world-famous musician and composer Goran Bregovic builds a world of unique sounds and exciting music with his ability to bring contrasting elements together. The sounds of his Orchestra for Weddings and Funerals, highly influenced by the Balkan tradition, are famous for the brass instruments, the traditional Bulgarian polyphonies, the electric guitar, the traditional percussion instruments, the string instruments as well as the influences from Orthodox and Roman Catholic hymns and Muslim prayers.

Venue: Petra tou Romiou

Time: 22:00

Entrance: €30|€20

SAT, 12 AUG

From Odyssey to C. P. Cavafy

The poetry of Cavafy, which carries a sense of nostalgia for a human voice lost, allows Thodoris Economou to approach it musically, shedding light on man's passions and faults. Drawing on Robert Wilson's *Odyssey*, and the home coming journey the music takes us to the myth of Ulysses. Passion and bravery, and the home coming journey are some of the motives which come to life through

Economou's musical language. The terms "Destination" and "Ulysses" function as keywords for Cavafy's "Ithaca" with which director Giorgos Kimoulis opens his performance, before the music takes over.

Venue: Pafos Ancient Odeon

Time: 20:30

Entrance: €20|€15

SAT, 19 AUG

Misia – The Soul of Fado

Misia is one of the best performers of fado music, a distinct music genre of Portugal. She was born in Porto in Portugal and belongs to a musical family that goes three generations back. She borrowed her name from Misia Cert, Stéphane Mallarmé's muse, a friend of Proust and Picasso and model of Toulouse Lautrec and Pierre Bonnard. Taking traditional poems as a starting point and basis of her musical creation, Misia combines these with new material always in the style and form of fado, but removed from the folklore element and fused with the fado of today. Her last album refers to Amalia Rodrigues, the eternal soul of fado.

Venue: Pafos Ancient Odeon

Time: 20:30 – 23:30

Entrance: €25|€15

FRI, 25 AUG

Traditional lullabies from Cyprus, Greece and Asia Minor

Trio NeRo is a music group that focuses on the re-definition of lullabies from Cyprus, Greece and Asia Minor through a blend of traditional elements and those of contemporary classical music, funk, rock, jazz, as well as samples of recorded lullabies. Trio NeRo will also present an original song written by composer George Rodosthenous and poet Aphroditi Zacharia-Rodosthenous.

Venue: Ibrahim's Khan

Time: 20:30 – 23:30

Entrance: €10

SAT, 26 AUG

Lingua Franca Ensemble

Musicians from Cyprus, Greece and Germany form the ensemble Lingua Franca that will appear on the Travelling Stage; the fresh sound of the tarhu – a fiddle developed only ten years ago – mixes with the intense and brilliant sound of the violin creating a unique blend. The oud with its emotional and yet



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dynamic character connects perfectly to the strong character of the percussion instruments lead and supported by amazing vocals. The Lingua Franca Ensemble composes and performs music with respect to the character of local tradition and music. Michalis Cholevas (Greece): tarhu, yayli tambur, ney / Michael Kouloumis (Cyprus): violin / Yannis Koutis (Cyprus): oud, fretless guitar, vocals / Ruven Ruppik (Germany): percussion.

Venue: Ibrahim's Khan

Time: 20:30 – 23:30

Entrance: Free

SAT, 1 – WED, 12 JULY

**"Belief" Outdoor Photographic Exhibition
by Natan Dvir**

The Embassy of Israel in Cyprus, in collaboration with BPRarts Art & Cultural Management, presents the photographic exhibition 'Belief' by the renowned Israeli photographer Natan Dvir. The photographer depicts Israel in the light of the long and complex history of its social and ethnic pluralities. Fascinated by the extreme situations people reach, in the pursuit and in defense of their beliefs, Dvir explores the various ways of how cultural communities practice their beliefs, the places their beliefs take them to and the scenes in which they take part.

Venue: Pafos Town Hall square

WED, 5 JULY

Donne's & the Crew

Jazz – Swing covers from 40s until today

One year after their creation, the female polyphonic trio "Donnes", meets the jazz-swing band "The Crew" again, this time in Technopolis 20 garden. Enjoy covers of Greek and foreign repertoire, known and unknown melodies from the 40's until today, with a special jazz-swing style. "Donnes" consists of Antigoni Kyriakou, Rafaella Philipou and Chrystalla Themistocleous, while the members of "The Crew" are Alexandros Tsangarides (piano-voice), Alex Sofokleous (percussion) and Christodoulos Dimitriou (double bass).

Venue: Technopolis 20 Cultural Centre (18, Nikolaou Nikolaidi Ave., CY-8010, T. +357 70002420, technopolis20.com)

Time: 20:30

Entrance: €10

Reservations necessary at T. 70002420.

FRI, 7 – FRI, 21 JULY

ART EXHIBITION

Stavros Panagiotakis - Silent Narratives

Solo exhibition of Greek artist Stavros Panagiotakis which focuses on his recent series of works on paper.

Venue: Chiaki Kamikawa Contemporary Art Gallery (10, Solonos str., c-kamikawa.com/studio)

Opening reception: Friday 7 July, 19:30

Opening hours: Wed-Sat 10:00-13:00, Wed & Fri 15:30-18:00

Entrance: Free

FRI, 14 JULY

Dimos Moutsis - Loukianos Kilaidonis

A music tribute with Sotiris Karageorgis, Evagoras Karageorgis and Stelios Cacoyannis to the two beloved Greek singers and composers.

Venue: Technopolis 20 Cultural Centre (18, Nikolaou Nikolaidi Ave., CY-8010, T. +357 70002420, technopolis20.com)

Time: 20:30

Entrance: €10

Reservations necessary at T. 70002420.

SAT, 15 JULY

KEO OPEN

Golf Tournament taking place at Minthis Hills. Format: Individual Stableford.

For further information please visit minthishills.com.

SUN, 16 JULY

'Music Over The Vines'

Tina Chester (Soprano) & Polis Charalambous (Classical Guitar) with Guest dancers Libby & Natasia from Thompson School of Dance, Kissonerga. Further information|reservations: T. +357 99248182

Venue: Vasilikon Winery Terrace, Kathikas village

Time: Doors open at 18:00, performance at 19:00

Entrance: €18 (inclusive of Nibbles of Cheese & A Glass of Wine) Other food will be available to order.



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Masterclass Workshops Summer Drama Camp

This July the sleepy mountain village of Kritou Terra will be rudely awoken with the arrival of Masterclass Workshop UK's first ever drama camp in Cyprus! The Masterclass Workshops UK programmes are dedicated to using leading UK industry professionals to teach workshops both home and abroad. We host empowering workshops for all ages wishing to experience the arts or for students dedicated to starting a career. We are using our programmes to bring arts, confidence, strengthen self-esteem and for equipping students with the tools to develop skills and nurture their creativity that will guide them through a competitive industry.

Venue: Kritou Terra village

Cost: €550 including food and accommodation
For further information T. +357 99908434 or 99069074, masterclassexperts.wordpress.com

FRI, 21 JULY

Trio Tekke & Dave De Rose

The popular group "Trio Tekke", after a long break, returns with a series of performances that take place alongside with the release of their new album, a collaboration with the English-Italian drummer Dave De Rose (Moloko, Rokia Traore, Mulatu Astatke, Electric Jalaba), titled "Zivo". The album consists exclusively of original compositions and suggests a fresh, more electric sound, dragging the rembetiko into new paths, by enhancing it with musical elements from Latin America, Africa, psychedelia, rock and more. Trio Tekke has already made two internationally successful albums and has appeared in many European countries and major festivals such as Jazz A Vienne (France) and Latitude Festival (England), and has played live on BBC 3.

Antonis Antoniou: vocals, tzouras

Lefteris Moumtzis: guitar, vocals

Colin Somervell: double bass, electric bass

Dave De Rose: percussion

Venue: Technopolis 20 Cultural Centre
(18, Nikolaou Nikolaidi Ave., CY-8010, T. +357 70002420, technopolis20.com)

Time: 20:30

Entrance: €10

Reservations necessary at T. 70002420.

SAT, 22 JULY

Castle Gladiators III

The association of MUAY THAI KICKBOXING MMA PAPHOS and CYBEX GYM in collaboration with the CYPRUS TRADITIONAL MUAY THAI FEDERATION (C.Y.T.M.F.) and the WORLD KICKBOXING FEDERATION (W.K.F.) are organizing and hosting for the third successful time, an event of martial arts 'CASTLE GLADIATORS III'. The event includes the participation of the best Cypriot athletes of Muay Thai boxing and M.M.A. fighting with each other, while it also includes international fights with the participation of foreign athletes from countries such as Greece, Russia, Belgium, Italy, UK and others. Last news brings Muay Thai to the first line as from 6.12.2016 became an Olympic sport and it is now recognized by the Olympic committee. The event will host and welcome over 1500 guests while there will be a designed VIP area. For further information call at +357 99461343.

Venue: Atlantida Beach, Geroskipou

Time: Doors open at 19:30

Entrance: VIP tables €20 | €10 Euro

FRI, 28 JULY

Droushia Dixie Seven Jazz Band

The Droushia Dixie Seven Jazz Band invites you to enjoy the goodtime jazz of the 30s and 40's made popular by the likes of Louis Armstrong, Kid Ory, Sidney Bechet and revived in the '1960's by Chris Barber, Acker Bilk, Kenny Ball and many more. David Locke on soprano sax leads the band in the style of Sidney Bechet, with Professor Bennie Rumo on clarinet. Belfast trombone star Jim Adair completes the front line. The rhythm section is led by Lord Worth on banjo. Now, added to the veterans, are two talented young Cypriot musicians, Chris Demetriou on string bass and Alex Sophocleous on drums. Multi-talented pianist Maciej Kielak completes the line-up.

Venue: Technopolis 20 Cultural Centre
(18, Nikolaou Nikolaidi Ave., CY-8010, T. +357 70002420, technopolis20.com)

Time: 20:30

Entrance: €10

Reservations necessary at T. 70002420.



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SAT, 29 JULY

Swinging Souls: A music evening with jazz and swing songs

Enjoy a music evening with jazz and swing music in Technopolis 20's garden, with a programme of well-known songs, performed by the "Swinging Souls", a music group of young university students. The "Swinging Souls" is a jazz band; three female voices (Stefani Neofytou, Anastasia Natalie Flouri, Kristin Michaelidou) and three music instruments, double bass (Spyros Socratous), piano (Phoebe Jordanous), drums (Stathis Alexandrou).

(18, Nikolaou Nikolaidi Ave., CY-8010, T. +357 70002420, technopolis20.com)

Time: 20:30

Entrance: €8

Reservations necessary at T. 70002420.

TUE, 1 AUG

Pithos

Geroskipou Municipality culture heritage campaign activities this summer include a traditional ceramic workshop! The main goals of these activities is to revive and demonstrate the traditional technique of making big ceramic jars for wine and a distiller for zivania, as well as to raise awareness for the value of having and preserving Cyprus ceramic wine jars as important cultural heritage for the present and future generations of this country. Organised under the auspices of Geroskipou Municipality and the Cyprus Ceramic Association with the collaboration of Augoustinos Kontos and Andreas Fasoulides.

Venue: Geroskipou village

Time: 09:00 - 13:00 & 16:00 - 19:00

MON, 14 AUG – FRI, 15 SEPT

3rd Experimental Archaeological Workshop on Ancient Ceramics in Cyprus 2017

In an experimental stage of history, define the ancient technique and remaking of Bronze Age pottery found in Cyprus. Coordination by Andreas Fasoulides, professional ceramist and teacher with the assistance of the ERASMUSINTERN interns.

Activities: Ceramic experimental laboratories, studying and sketching Bronze age pottery in Cyprus visit archaeological sites and museums, remaking of Bronze Age pottery, traditional workshop.

For information: cyprusceramicassociation.com

TUE, 15 – THU, 17 AUG

Tillyria Festival

The Tillyria Festival aims at promoting the traditional dairy dish "chaliki" which is unique to the Tylliria area and "sykopitta", a fig pie made of traditional white figs. The second part features music and dance groups, from both Cyprus and Greece. For further information please call T. +357 26522106, 99628183 or 99907474.

Venue: Square in Kato Pyrgos village, Tillyria

ONGOING till SUN 31 DEC

ARCHAEOLOGICAL EXHIBITION

Aphrodite of Pafos in Antiquity

The site of Aphrodite's worship in Palaipafos and the surrounding area reflect an ancient tradition of worship of the great goddess of fertility dating back to the Chalcolithic period (3900 – 2500 BC). The Department of Antiquities presents Aphrodite of Pafos at her place of worship in the restored site of the Medieval Manor House, which is a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Old and new findings will be presented in an exhibition opening in January 2017.

Venue: Medieval Manor House / Kouklia

EVERY 3RD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

Farmers and Handicrafts Market

Fresh fruits and vegetables, homemade sweets and freshly baked bread, arts and crafts made by local artisans are just some of the many local products on offer. For further information please contact Mrs. Catherine, T. +357 99104622.

Venue: Steni village square

Time: 10:00 – 14:00

EVERY 4TH FRIDAY OF THE MONTH

Farmers and Handicrafts Market

Exclusively handmade and handcrafted local products, food, sweets, herbs, essential oils, arts and crafts made by local artisans. For further details please contact Mrs. Simona, T.+357 97836005.

Venue: Polis Herb Garden, Polis Chrysochous (next to the Archaeological Museum)

Time: 17:00 – 21:00

AMMOCHOSTOS

SAT, 1 - SAT, 22 JULY

Paralimnia Cultural Festival

A festival with traditional music and dance performances in Paralimni and Protaras. For further information please call T. +357 23819217.

FRI, 14 JULY

11th Cultural Watermelon Festival

The festival includes music, dances, activities for children and as well as food, drinks and sweets such as watermelon delights and ice-cream.

Venue: Frenaros village Community Stadium

Time: 20:15

SAT, 22 JULY

5th Pancyprian Festival of Potato

The 5th Pancyprian Festival dedicated to potato is organised this year by the Avgorou Community and invites all to try alternative and traditional recipes based on potatoes and enjoy a traditional artistic program. Kiosks with agricultural products will operate. Information: festivalpatatas@gmail.com, +357 99577757, 99349856 or 99236935.

Venue: 1st Primary School courtyard, Avgorou village

Entrance: Free

EVERY FRIDAY

"Flashbacks"

Recalling Themes and Traditions in Agia Napa Neighbourhoods. The Agia Napa traditional pulse comes alive; A revival of Cypriot customs, an encounter of flashbacks from the past with today. Like flash mobs, music and dance performances take place all around Agia Napa! No performance on the 18th of August.

Time: 20:00 – 22:00

EVERY SUNDAY – SUN, 6 AUG

Traditional Music and Dances presented by cultural associations, dancing groups and schools. For the event's programme please visit aianapa.org.cy.

TROODOS

SAT, 8 JULY

Traditional fiesta in Linou Soleas village

Come and join us in singing and dancing with traditional music and songs of the Aegean islands, Minor Asia, Constantinople, Thrace and Cyprus.

Petros Kouloumis (lute/vocals)

Pavlos Michaelides (violin)

Christodoros Mnasonos (oud/ Politiko Laouto, lute)

Yiannis Lempos (percussions)

For reservation and tickets please call T. +357 96005083

Venue: "Oi Myloi", (3, Panagias Skouriotissas, Linou Soleas village)

Time: 21:00

Entrance: €7

SAT, 29 – SUN, 30 JULY

Hazel Tree Festival

At the annual Hazel Festival in the beautiful village of Platanistasa, you get to try the year's freshly cut hazelnuts with some 'Zivania' for free. You can also walk through the hazel forest and visit the village's important Byzantine church and other monuments. There will be kiosks where visitors can buy food, drinks, traditional sweets and more local products. Enjoy live traditional music and dancing. For further information please call T. +357 99218713.

Venue: Platanistasa village

SAT, 1 – SUN, 2 AUG

2nd National Lavender Festival

The event includes seminars on the healing properties of Lavender, entrepreneurship and tourism, workshops for Lavender distillation and bouquets, culinary delicacies, arts and crafts based on Lavender, organic cosmetics and guided walks with herbalists in Lavender plantations around Platres. For more information please contact T. +357 99427980

Venue: Platres Cultural Centre, Pano Platres village

SAT, 12 AUG

Lofou August Festival

Lofou Association organizes the annual four-day "Lofou August Festival", which includes a series of



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events at Lofou Primary School. A highly qualitative program is offered with different musical evenings, theatrical performances and competitions in order to attract different kind of visitors to Lofou village. For further information please call T. +357 25470020.

SUN, 13 AUG

Children's Festival 'Andreas Nearchou'

Kyperounda's Youth Centre organizes this annual charity Children's Festival in memory of the young Andreas Nearchou. A large team of volunteers transforms the village's square into a Fairytale Land spreading joy and happiness to the little kids. The event offers arts and crafts for children, inflatable castles, a clown, face painting, donkey rides, and many more surprises. For further information please call T. +357 99352547.

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