

Events in Ljubljana





19 Jan - 26 Jan 2019

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 Kongresni trg square
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Peer Gynt

 Cankarjev dom (cultural and congress centre)

Ballet and Orchestra of the SNG Maribor Opera and Ballet will present a ballet based on Henrik Ibsen's play.

20:30

Lenart Krečič & His Partners in Crime



 Jazz Club Gajo – Jazz Paradise, Slovenska cesta 58

All jazz standard lovers come join Lenart Krecic quartet and hum along well know jazz songs you love.

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Slovak Philharmonic Orchestra and Choir












 Cankarjev dom (cultural and congress centre)

Under the baton of conductor Rastislav Štúr, Slovak Philharmonic Orchestra and Choir will perform the work of Antonín Dvořák, The Spectre's Bride, cantata, Op. 69

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18:00 **G. Puccini: Turandot**

 **Cankarjev dom (cultural and congress centre)**

Soloist, Choir Orchestra of the SNG Maribor Opera and Ballet will present the last Puccini's opera, which stayed unfinished due to composers sudden death.

19:00 **Disney On Ice: Reach for the Stars**

 **Stožice Sports Park Arena**

Enter a dazzling world of adventure at The Wonderful World of Disney On Ice! Join Mickey Mouse and Minnie Mouse on an inspiring walk down memory lane in celebration of magic and family fun.

21:00 **The Ljubljana Castle Jazz Club**


 **Ljubljana Castle**

In addition to the most beautiful views of the most beautiful city, the highest tourist destination in Ljubljana has gained the unique Ljubljana Castle Jazz Club featuring renowned Slovenian and foreign musicians. With fine drinks and a relaxed club atmosphere, the concert evenings of second season will surely attract all of the music connoisseurs of different generations.

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19:30 **G. Verdi: La Traviata - opera**

 **Slovenian National Opera and Ballet Theatre of Ljubljana**

With *La Traviata* (1853) Giuseppe Verdi managed to successfully create one of his most enduring works. In the drama *The Lady of the Camellias* by Alexandre Dumas, fils, Verdi and librettist Francesco Maria Piave recognised a timeless theme, extremely attractive for setting to music in an opera. With the selection of a theme concerning a goodhearted courtier, Verdi stepped on the toes of the middle class, whose expectation of opera was a reinforcement of their false morality.

20:00 **The Little Wire Girl**

 **Slovenian National Drama Theatre of Ljubljana**

A Girl With Strings (2018) is a drama-opera written by Marjan Nečak, Maja Hrgovič and Ana Buntenska about a female violinist travelling by train across Europe. In the course of her journey and stopovers at various railway stations, the story of her life unfolds, from a little girl who wanted to become a top musician, while her father spent the money earmarked for her school fees, to an old woman, still searching to find her spot under the European sky, having spent her entire life as a busker.

20:30 **Tulio Furlanič & ITAcustica**


 **Jazz Club Gajo – Jazz Paradise, Slovenska cesta 58**

Tulio Furlanič is a well-known member of a music group called KAMELEONI.

Exhibitions and festivals in the selected period

Our little big sea

 **Slovenian Museum of Natural History**

 **20 Oct 2016 - 30 Jun 2019**

Although it is small, the Slovenian sea is an important part of our natural heritage. It is part of a major global sea. It created a life that has straggled incredible diversity in millions of years. Its treasures feeds us, gives us raw material and has a significant impact on the climate. All too few are aware that the big sea is vulnerable and at the same time too small to undertake and survive the human greed.

Where The Bees Are At Home

 Slovene Ethnographic Museum

 15 Jun 2018 - 31 Aug 2019

Slovenia has a rich beekeeping heritage and associated values that have been passed down from generation to generation for centuries.


Museum (R)evoution 1948-2018

 Cekin Mansion: National Museum of Contemporary History

 17 Jun 2018 - 20 Apr 2019

This year, the National Museum of Contemporary History celebrates the 70th anniversary of its opening. In celebration, the Museum has prepared a grand exhibition: Museum (R)evolution 1948-2018, focusing on the four periods in the museum's evolution and showcasing select objects significant for the 20th-century national history of Slovenia.

Ivan Cankar

 City Museum of Ljubljana - MGML

 18 Jun 2018 - 7 Apr 2019

2018 is Cankar's Year with which we are commemorating the hundredth anniversary of the death of our greatest writer, and his rich body of work.

Ivana Kobilca (1861-1926): »But of course, painting is something beautiful!«


 National Gallery

 20 Jun 2018 - 10 Feb 2019

This exhibition, marking the 100th anniversary of the National Gallery of Slovenia, will be presenting the life and work of Ivana Kobilca, one of the most renowned Slovenian artists of all times.

In Search of Freedom: 1968-2018

 Cekin Mansion: National Museum of Contemporary History

 17 Jul 2018 - 16 Aug 2019

Has searching for freedom changed in the last 50 years? The international exhibition In Search of Freedom: 1968-2018 offers an answer to this question and through the examination of the images of student protests across Europe, paints an image the world as it then was, juxtaposing it with the

imagery selected in an Instagram contest and a contemporary collection of testimonials from student activists.

The Gold of Chinese Emperors


 National Museum of Slovenia

 16 Aug 2018 - 15 Feb 2019

The exhibition presents 145 gold items from the Dong Bo Zhai collection from Wanli period (1573-1620) of the Ming dynasty, which illuminate the knowledge of imperial gold crafts.


The sea – our life, unveiled memories of a fisherman's family

 Slovene Ethnographic Museum

 14 Sep 2018 - 27 Jan 2019

Discover the treasure trove of memories, of the Cahari family from Nabrežina near Trieste, explore the largest private family collection of fishing gear in the Trieste region.

Elza Kastl Obereigner (1884–1973), Sculptor and Painter


 City Museum of Ljubljana - MGML

 11 Oct 2018 - 10 Mar 2019

Elza Kastl Obereigner was once known as "slovenian last miniaturist". Now we are presenting her oeuvre in sculpture.

Plečnik and the Sacred


 Plečnik House

 12 Oct 2018 - 20 Jan 2019

On the basis of original written records, sketches and correspondences, as well as completed projects at home and abroad, the Plečnik and the Sacred exhibition will strive to present Plečnik's idea of what is sacred.

Living with Water - Southern Fringe of Ljubljana


 Fužine Castle: Museum of Architecture and Design

 18 Oct 2018 - 24 Mar 2019

Living with Water – The Southern Fringe of Ljubljana, an exhibition that looks at alternative urban development scenarios that consider the synergetic relationships between humankind and the natural environment, as rising sea levels and melting icecaps brings the issue of living with water to the fore, extending across both local conditions and global shifts alike.

How Seeds Travel


 **Slovenian Museum of Natural History**

 **18 Oct 2018 - 30 Mar 2019**

The exhibition presents the diversity of plant seeds and fruits, in terms of how plants travel and in what ways they provide for spreading the seeds.

Body Worlds Vital


 **Ljubljana Exhibition and Convention Centre**

 **20 Oct 2018 - 20 Jan 2019**

Body Worlds Vital is an exhibition of human bodies, preserved through a ground-breaking method - plastination. It shows how our bodies move in everyday life, as well as during athletic activities.

Secrets of a Long Life


 **National Gallery**

 **24 Oct 2018 - 10 Mar 2019**

Looking after old and fragile objects is a fight against time and decay. Conservators-restorers are the specialists who look after the National Gallery's collections. Their job is to preserve the precious objects for the present and the future generations.

33 days

 **National Museum of Slovenia - Metelkova ulica street**

 **29 Oct 2018 - 7 Apr 2019**

The exhibition marks the 100th anniversary of the end of the First World War, the break-up of the Austro-Hungarian state framework and the founding of the State of Slovenes, Croats and Serbs.

Sites of Sustainability: Pavilions, Manifestos and Crypts

 **Museum of Contemporary Art Metelkova (MSUM)**

 **15 Nov 2018 - 17 Feb 2019**

In April, the exhibition Hello World was held at the Hamburger Bahnhof- Museum für Gegenwart, part of the Berlin Nationalgalerie. Moderna galerija was participating in this exhibition with works from its Artest 2000+ collection and this part of the exhibition will now be put on display in Ljubljana.

Baked furniture

 **Fužine Castle: Museum of Architecture and Design**

 **15 Nov 2018 - 24 Feb 2019**

Free entrance

Baked furniture is an exhibition of experiments and products from scrap plastic. Lately there is a lot of talk about the negative impact of plastics on our environment around the world.

Drago Tršar: Erotic Sculpture

 City Art Gallery - MGML

 22 Nov 2018 - 20 Jan 2019

Free entrance

Academic sculptor and academician Drago Tršar has for many decades marked the Slovenian artistic space with a great creative energy and author's recognizable artistic language.

Lumpi park Tivoli ice-skating rink

 Tivoli Sports Park

 23 Nov 2018 - 10 Mar 2019

At the Lumpi Park skating is available for all generations.

Milton Glaser: Posters


 Tivoli Mansion: International Centre of Graphic Arts

 23 Nov 2018 - 3 Mar 2019

The form and work of Milton Glaser (1929–) have been inscribed into the history of graphic design in large letters. His prolific creative oeuvre includes a wealth of original and revolutionary design solutions, from commercials and corporate images, to book and record covers.

In good hands

 National Museum of Slovenia - Metelkova ulica street

 29 Nov 2018 - 29 May 2019

An exhibition commemorating the 60 years of the Department of Conservation and Restoration of the National Museum of Slovenia.

Nathalie Du Pasquier, Fair Game

 Tivoli Mansion: International Centre of Graphic Arts

 30 Nov 2018 - 3 Mar 2019

Nathalie Du Pasquier's playful, inviting and visually diverse compositions transform the spaces of the International Graphic Art Center's gallery into a set of microcircuits in which images, graphics, drawings, wall paintings, wallpapers and sculptural structures intertwine.

The Joys of Winter

 Cekin Mansion: National Museum of Contemporary History


 3 Dec 2018 - 6 Feb 2019

Photographic exhibition the 'Joys of Winter' celebrates the work of the legendary Dnevnik's

photojournalist Marjan Ciglič (1924–1998) at the 20th anniversary of his death. During his more than forty years long career, Ciglič created one of the most comprehensive photographic chronicles of the everyday life of Slovenians at home and abroad.

Over my Eyes: Stories of Iraq


 **Jakopič Gallery**

 **4 Dec 2018 - 3 Mar 2019**

The photographic exhibition, titled "Over my Eyes: Stories of Iraq", which has just been showed at DOX Centre for Contemporary Art in Prague for the first time, offers an unfamiliar perspective of Iraq, which we normally perceive through public media images in a very limited way.

Rest chairs Gondola by Oskar Kogoj


 **Fužine Castle: Museum of Architecture and Design**


 **6 Dec 2018 - 28 Feb 2019**

Free entrance

In 1971 BIO 4 introduced a new award for the category of unrealized design ideas that had a good concept but were unable to find their way into production at the time for a number of reasons.

Emonan girl's golden jewellery

 **City Museum of Ljubljana - MGML**

 **7 Dec 2018 - 3 Feb 2019**

In 2017 and 2018 excavations were carried out in Gosposvetska Street, Ljubljana, by the Archaeological Consortium for Ljubljana, under the auspices of the Museum and Galleries of Ljubljana.

Marija Mojca Pungerčar: The Three Botanical Stories


 **Ustvarjalni center Švicarija, Pod turnom 3**

 **20 Dec 2018 - 18 Apr 2019**

The exhibition The Three Botanical Stories by Marija Mojca Pungerčar combines three fresh cycles of works dedicated to the small and intimate phenomena of her everyday life.


Ivana Kobilca: Mira Pintar and Young Women in White

 **National Gallery**

 **3 Jan - 10 Feb 2019**

Kobilca draped in white both anonymous models and patrons from bourgeois families. She mostly employed pastel for these works that reflect contemporary fashion style.


 **Cankarjev dom (cultural and congress centre)**

 **9 Jan - 10 Mar 2019**

Bojan Velikonja is an acclaimed photojournalist from the outskirts of Ljubljana. His latest exhibition presents a story about the river Ljubljanica from the outskirts of the Ljubljana Marshes to the city centre.

Precarious Environments


 **Museum of Contemporary Art Metelkova (MSUM)**

 **9 Jan - 1 Mar 2019**

17 cases of contemporary photography implicitly lead us to reflect on our social environment, on the ways it has shaped us with the different conditions of life and work under the different systems of the past six decades, from socialism through the period of socio-economic transition to the now all-powerful capitalism, which today bends the entire world to suit its interests and profits, while denying any accountability for the consequences.

Spirit of the city, Ljubljana Old Town through the eyes of Tihomir Pinter

 **Galerija Kresija**


 **14 Jan - 24 Feb 2019**

Free entrance

Tihomir Pinter, a master of analogue black & white photography in handmade gelatin silver prints offers to take you through the old town of Ljubljana.

Let's Celebrate Together. Hundred Years of the National Gallery of Slovenia

 **The Tivoli Park | Jakopič Promenade**


 **4 Aug 2018 - 15 Mar 2019**

Free entrance

On the 18th of September, 1918, the National Gallery Society was founded – having neither art holdings or exhibition space nor financial assets, but furnished with a lot of zeal. The palace of Narodni Dom became its home in 1925, and since 1933 an extensive permanent art collection has been exhibited in it. Thirteen years later the Gallery became a state institution and a home for all of us.

Nature connects us - Parks Dinarides

 **Various venues**


 **6 Nov 2018 - 15 Feb 2019**

Free entrance

The exhibition "Nature connects us - Parks Dinarides" will be opened on November 15th promoting protected areas that are part of the Parks Dinarides.

Kočevje

 Vžigalica Gallery - MGML


 15 Jan - 3 Mar 2019

Free entrance

The exhibition features a group of artists whose life or work has been tied to Kočevje: Tina Đenadić, Mina Fina, Nataša Gašparac, Marko Glavač, Dora Gorše, Aleš Gregorič, Pavel Gregorič, Tomaž Gregorič, Sašo Koprivec, Polonca Lovšin, Lela B. Njatin, Vito Oražem, Urška Pečnik, Kočevje Musicians' Association.

Eva Petrič: TRANShomoPLANTATION

 Ljubljana Castle


 17 Jan - 24 Mar 2019

Free entrance

The exhibition TRANShomoPLANTATION is closely linked to Petrič's previous work and to her years of careful study of man and society, and her research of the environment and the world in the boundless universe.

Jan Palach 69

 Town Hall


 17 Jan - 5 Feb 2019

Free entrance

In January 1969 Jan Palach, a twenty-year-old student, set himself on fire at Wenceslas Square in Prague. He wanted to stir up his fellow citizens to face upcoming "normalization" (the period following the Warsaw Pact invasion of Czechoslovakia in August 1968 and up to the Velvet Revolution in November 1989).

Boris Gaberščik: The Fruits of a Lengthy Experience

 Bežigrajska galerija 1

 23 Jan - 28 Feb 2019

Free entrance

Presentation of most recent works by Boris Gaberščik, a photographer committed to the tradition of photography.