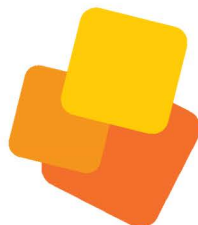


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LENI LAZAROU JEWELRY MUSEUM

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Programme

Saturday 14th June

1 Hellenic Children's Museum

Meeting point: "Acropolis" Metro Station

"With a view of Athens" (educational programme*)

For families with children aged 6 - 12 years old

T. 10.00-12.00

C. 210 3312995 | info@hcm.gr

Description

Using a map as a guide, families discover a special area of Athens, called the "Anafiotika" and talk about its history and special characteristics.

Using photographs of the past and the information discovered during the tour, the group looks for changes that have been made in this area from the 19th century up until today. Finally, the group discusses issues concerning the city and its residents.

* **Booking required | the programme will be in greek**

2 Museum of Greek Children's Art

9, Kodrou str., Plaka

"Let's change Athens, with colours and imagination" (art workshop*)

for families with children aged 5-9 years old

T. 11.00-12.30

C. 210 3312621, 210 3312750 | contact@childrensartmuseum.gr

Description

The children's artworks from the exhibition "Me the child, my world and the world around me" and especially the unities "My neighborhood" and "My city" will inspire parents and their children at the family art workshop "Let's change Athens, with colors and imagination". At the workshop, with the help of an art teacher, the mother or the father with their child will experiment with different materials and art techniques and they will create together a family artwork of how they are dreaming and desire Athens to be.

* **Booking required | the workshop will be in greek**

3 Ilias Lalaounis Jewelry Museum

12, Kallisperi str., Acropolis

"Owls and Anthemia" (creative jewelry workshop)*
for adults

T. 11.00-13.00

C. 210 9221044 | administration@lalaounis-jewelrymuseum.gr

Description

The history of the owl in present-day Greece and creative jewelry workshop with the felt technique with **Marla Koutmani**, art educator- artist.

- **Booking required**
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4 Industrial Gas Museum

Technopolis City of Athens, 100, Peireos str., Gazi

"Live Gazi!" (projections, exhibit of the day, lecture, photo contest)*
for adults

T. 10.00-18.00 lecture: 12.00-13.00

C. 210 3475535 | gasmuseum@athens-technopolis.gr

Description

The aim of the event is the adult audience to know the history of the area surrounding the old gasworks that illuminated the 19th century Athens and interact in different ways. The actions of that day are rich.

Exhibit of the day will be a museum panel/banner in the backyard, where the visitor learns about living conditions in "Gazochori" (today Gazi). Also a photo contest is held titled "Gazi today". Applicants must register at the museum and send their photos that day. The ten (10) best will be posted on the museum's Facebook page.

As part of the actions is also included a projection video documentary on the area around the Gazi by director and local resident **Thanassis Tsaousopoulos** in the building of New Watergas . Moreover a speech by the historian researcher **John Stogiannidis** will be given, entitled "Stories for Gazochori (1880-1980)". The participants in the actions of that day , will be able to have view of an unpublished archival research on the occupations of the inhabitants of the area under the directives of the 1900-1960 season, organised by the team of **Eugenia Bornova**, Associate Professor in the Department of Economics, University of Athens and **Myrto Dimitropoulou**, historian - researcher.

- **The lecture will be in greek**

5 The Angelos & Leto Katakouzenos Foundation

4, Amalias str., (5th floor), Syntagma sq.

"Past and present day Athens" (art exhibition & guided tour)
for adults & families

T. 13.00-15.00, guided tour: 13.00-14.00

C. 210 3222144 | info@katakouzenos.gr

Description

One of the roles of the Katakouzenos house museum is to act as a forum for artists who have the willingness to be inspired by Athens' past and create artworks for the city and its citizens of today.

The collaboration with the artists **Dimitris Anastassiou** and **Antonis Smyrniotis** intends to offer a fresh view of the city's earlier periods and allow the visitor to "time-travel" to both yesterday's and today's Athens.

Sunday 15th June

6 National Bank of Greece Historical Archive

146, September 3rd str., Victoria Sq.

"Images of Athens" (exhibitions & educational programme*)
for adults & families with children aged 6 - 12 years old

T. exhibitions: 10.00-15.00, educational programme: 11.00-13.00

C. 210 8807799, 210 8807804 | marialebessi@ethnodata.gr

Description

Through the exhibitions and the educational programme "Images of Athens", families with aged from 6 to 12 years old will have the opportunity to see:

- I. Pages from the album "Athens" (text: P. Paleologos, lithographs: A. Tassos)
- II. Photographs from the National Bank of Greece Historical Archive collection "19th-c neoclassical buildings of Athens", showing the vicinity of the Diomidis Building
- III. Old maps of Athens
- IV. The education programme "Our Neighbourhoods" is a presentation of work by students of Athens 51st Elementary School, produced under the action programs for innovation in education for the school years 2012-2013, 2013-2014 in the form of a dialogue with papers by undergraduates attending a course on housing issues in Athens city center run by the NTUA Architecture Faculty, plus those produced by students from Magoula 2nd Elementary School in 2013-2014.

* **Booking required** | **the programme will be in greek**

7**Institute of Hellenic Mills**

45, Ag. Asomaton str., Thissio

"The Last Windmill in Athens" (photography exhibition)
for adults & families

T. 11.00-14.00

C. 210 7214381, 6977787407 | echal@teemail.gr

Description

Exhibition of photographic and archive material from the 19th and the 20th centuries about the last windmill (demolished now) that was once to be found in Mets in Athens, called also Mill of the Argyriou family.

8**Herakleidon Museum "Art & Mathematics"**

16, Herakleidon str., Thissio

"Urban Geometry" (Photography exhibition & guided tour)
for adults & families

T. 11.00-13.00

C. 210 3461981 | info@herakleidon-art.gr

Description

A photography exhibition by **Anthi Xenaki*** with the title "Urban Geometry". The exhibition is inspired by the architectural details of Athenian buildings of the Modern Movement.

* Anthi Xenaki was born in Athens. She studied at the National Technical University (NTUA) and works as an engineer. Photography for her is a means to combine her particular interest in Art and people's work.

9 Jewish Museum of Greece
39, Nikis str., Syntagma sq.

“Yousourum: one family, one neighborhood” (educational programme*)
for adults

T. 11.30-12.30

C. 210 3225582 | info@jewishmuseum.gr

Description

Meet the Yousourum family that came from Smyrna and settled in Athens. The commercial activity of the Yousourum family has created a retail tradition and a unique neighbourhood, bequeathing a separate place-name in the urban landscape.

• **Booking required** | **the programme will be in greek**

10 Greek Dances “Dora Stratou” & Society “Paramithias istorisis”
8, Sholeiou str., Plaka

“Tales are told in Plaka’s narrow streets” (storytelling*)
for adults & families

T. 11.30-13.00

C. 210 3244395 | mail@grdance.org

Description

The Non- profit Society “Paramithias istorisis” which collaborates with the “Dora Stratou” Dance Theatre according to the program “Folktales in the Dance Scene” with various weekend storytelling topics and storytellers participates at the fest “Day of The Museums” with a storytelling performance by the title:

“Tales are told at Plaka's narrow streets”

Tales of the past that travel through time, carrying messages and valuable pieces of advice to the people of today, smallfigured heroes and animals in great adventures from the era that all could be happend and heard.

• **The storytelling will be in greek**

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**Hellenic Folklore Research Centre of the Academy of Athens & Tradition and Folk Art Museum "Aggeliki Chatzimichali",
City of Athens Youth and Sport Organisation
6, Angeliki Chatzimihali str., Plaka**

"Folk Art as source of inspiration for contemporary art in Athens today"
(panel discussion)*
for adults

T. 12.00-13.00

C. 210 3664761, 210 3243972

Description

The Hellenic Folklore Research Centre of the Academy of Athens in collaboration with the Tradition and Folk Art Museum "Aggeliki Chatzimichali" of the City of Athens Youth and Sport Organisation will organize an open discussion on the topic: "Folk Art as source of inspiration for contemporary art in Athens today". The discussion will be coordinated by **Ms Aik. Polymerou - Kamilaki**, f. Director and Research Fellow at the Hellenic Folklore Research Centre and the panel will be comprised by artists and creators of traditional arts & crafts. The purpose of this event is to examine topics such as the meaning of traditional artistic creation today and how it can provide a source of inspiration for contemporary arts (such as fashion design, applied arts, textiles, jewellery, homeware). Very important is also the fact that the event will be hosted in a building, where traditional crafts are still being taught today and that is also used to exhibit works of contemporary art.

• **The discussion will be in greek**

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**Museum of Greek Folk Musical Instruments -
The Fivos Anoyanakis' Collection - Center of Ethnomusicology
1-3, Diogenous str., Plaka**

"The music life in old Athens" (lecture*)
for adults

T. 12.00-14.00

C. 210 3254119, 210 3254129 | melmoke@otenet.gr

Description

Lecture by the ethnomusicologist and president of the administrative council of the museum, **Lambros Liavas**, about the music life in Athens from 19th century till 1960, accompanied by musical examples and a viewing of photos.

• **The lecture will be in greek**

13 Athens University History Museum

5, Tholou str., Plaka

“The Athens University and its buildings; a journey in Athens of the past and the present” (thematic self-guided tour)
for adults

T. 14.00-17.00 (tour duration: 1 hour)

C. 210 3689502-9506 | museum@uoa.gr

Description

In what way is the 19th century Law Professor Pavlos Kalligas connected to the Law School building in Solonos street? Which building of the University of the Athens was designed by Ernst Ziller? Through selected exhibits of the permanent exhibition of the Museum, the visitors are invited to play a game of knowledge, imagination and observation and to discover the history of buildings that belong to the Athens University. At the same time they embark upon a journey in Athens of the past and the present...

14 Institute for Research on Music and Acoustics - Greek Music Information and Documentation Centre

105, Adrianou str., Plaka

“Rempetiko in Athens” (lecture*)
for adults

T. 18.00-19.00

C. 210 3310129, 210 3310497 | protocol@iema.gr

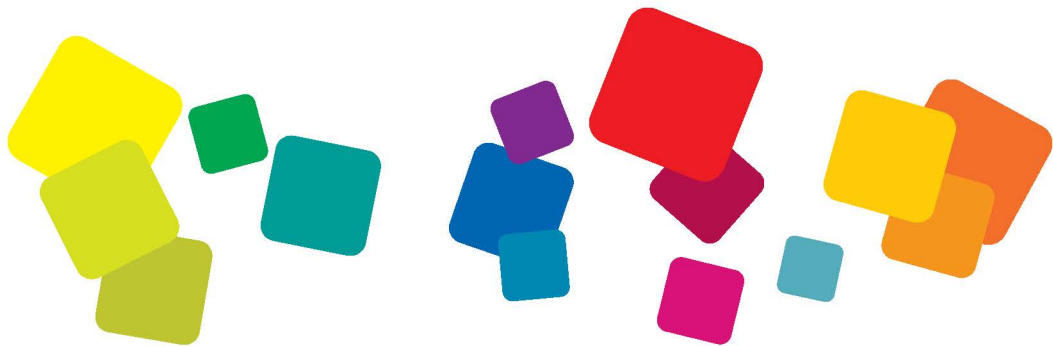
Description

The IEMA's (Institute for Research on Music and Acoustics) partner and known researcher of the Greek song, **Panagiotis Kounadis**, will hold a lecture entitled: “Rebetiko in Athens”. It's about an original presentation using pictures and examples, concerning the first steps and the evolution of “rebetiko song” in Athens and its fringes.

• **The lecture will be in greek**

Activities & events points





Our own **Athens**

On the **14h and 15th of June**,

15 institutions - members of the Athens Museums & Cultural Institutions Network organize a number of free admission activities for adults and families entitled "**Our own Athens**".

Each organization through its activity presents its own view of present-day Athens...

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