

VILNIUS EVENTS 2017



www.vilnius-events.lt

JANUARY–FEBRUARY



1 JANUARY

Day of the Flag of Lithuania
Gediminas Hill
www.vilnius.lt

6 JANUARY

Procession of Three Wise Men
Streets of the Old Town
www.senamiescioteatras.lt

6 JANUARY

Farewell, Christmas Tree
Courtyard of Vilnius Teachers' House
www.kultura.lt

12 – 17 JANUARY

International Theatre Festival for Children "Different"
Arts Printing House
www.menuspaustuve.lt

13 JANUARY

Freedom Defenders Day
Various Venues
www.lrs.lt

18 – 22 JANUARY

International Short Film Festival "Vilnius Film Shorts"
Vilnius Cinema Theatres
www.filmshorts.lt

20 – 22 JANUARY

International Tourism and Active Leisure Exhibition "Adventur"
Lithuanian Exhibition and Convention Centre "Litexpo"
www.litexpo.lt

26 JANUARY – 10 FEBRUARY

French Film Festival "Winter Screens"
Vilnius Cinema Theatres
www.ziemosekranai.lt

3 – 8 FEBRUARY

Japanese Film Festival
Forum Cinemas Vingis
www.forumcinemas.lt

8 – 9 FEBRUARY

Exhibition for Meetings, Events and Incentives CONVENE
Lithuanian Exhibition and Convention Centre "Litexpo"
www.convене.lt

13 – 20 FEBRUARY

Coffee Culture Week
Shopping and Leisure Centre "Panorama"
www.coffeeweek.lt

16 FEBRUARY

Day of the Restoration of the State of Lithuania
Various Venues
www.vilnius.lt

23 – 26 FEBRUARY

International Vilnius Book Fair
Lithuanian Exhibition and Convention Centre "Litexpo"
www.vilniausknygumuge.lt

25 FEBRUARY

Traditional Carnival Užgavėnės (Shrovetide)
V. Kudirkos Square
www.etno.lt

25 FEBRUARY

Exotic Beer & Ales Festival "Žmogšala"
Business Park "Gariūnai"
www.zmogšala.org

28 FEBRUARY

Traditional Carnival Užgavėnės (Shrovetide)
Courtyard of Vilnius Teachers' House
www.kultura.lt



MARCH–APRIL



MARCH

Days of Francophonie
Various Venues
www.institutfrancais-lituanie.com

3 – 5 MARCH

Kaziukas (St. Casimir) Fair
Streets and Squares of the Old Town
www.kaziukomugevilnius.lt

8 – 11 MARCH

International Baltic Jewelry Exhibition "Amber Trip"
Lithuanian Exhibition and Convention Centre "Litexpo"
www.ambertrip.com

11 MARCH

Day of the Restoration of the Independence of Lithuania
Various Venues
www.vilnius.lt

17 – 18 MARCH

Fashion Festival "Mados infekcija" (Fashion Infection)
Contemporary Art Centre (CAC)
www.madosinfekcija.lt

18 MARCH

Spring Equinox
Embankment near Karalius Mindaugas Bridge
www.etno.lt
www.etnokultura.lt

18 MARCH

European Day of Early Music
Palace of Grand Dukes
www.valdovurumai.lt

22 MARCH – 14 MAY

International Music Festival "Sugrįžimai" (The Returns)
Vilnius Concert Halls
www.lmrf.lt

23 MARCH – 6 APRIL

Vilnius Film Festival "Kino pavasaris" (Spring of Cinema)
Vilnius Cinema Theatres
www.kinopavasaris.lt

1 APRIL

Day of the Independence of Užupis Republic
Užupis
www.umi.lt

4 APRIL – 30 MAY

"Novus" Music Incubator
Art Factory "Loftas"
www.menufabrikas.lt

9 APRIL

Palm Sunday
Vilnius Churches
Streets of the Old Town

18 – 22 APRIL

Contemporary Music Festival "Young Music"
Various Venues
www.lks.lt

22 – 23 APRIL

Open House Vilnius
Various Venues
www.openhousevilnius.lt

22 – 23 APRIL

Uptown Market: We Love Spring
Art Factory "Loftas"
www.menufabrikas.lt



MAY



MAY

Theatre Debut Festival of Young Creators "Tylosi" (Silence!)
Various Venues
www.vmt.lt

MAY

International Marco Scacchi Early Music Festival
Palace of Grand Dukes
www.valdovurumai.lt

1 – 7 MAY

Design Week
Various Venues
www.dizainoforumas.lt

5 – 6 MAY

International Wine Exhibition "Wine Days"
Lithuanian Exhibition and Convention Centre "Litexpo"
www.vynodienos.lt

8 – 13 MAY

International University Theatre Forum
Various Venues
www.vilnius-events.lt

5 – 7 MAY

Europe Day
Gedimino Avenue
www.europosdiena.lt

12 – 20 MAY

International Contemporary Dance Festival "New Baltic Dance"
Various Venues
www.dance.lt

14 MAY

General Financing Trakai Half Marathon
Trakai Town
www.trakupusmaratonis.lt

14 – 28 MAY

International Festival "Poezijos pavasaris" (Poetry Spring)
Various Venues
www.rasytojai.lt

18 – 21 MAY

International Traditional Jazz Dance & Music Festival "Harlem"
Various Venues
www.harlem.lt

18 – 22 MAY

International Vilnius Salsa Festival
The House of Polish Culture
www.salsafestival.lt

19 & 20 MAY

Night in the Museum
Island Castle in Trakai Town
www.trakaimuziejus.lt
Vilnius Museums
www.vilnius-events.lt

20 MAY

Street Music Day
Streets of the Old Town
www.gmd.lt

23 – 28 MAY

International Folklore Festival "Skamba skamba kankliai"
Various Venues
www.etno.lt

25 – 26 MAY

Tech Conference "Login"
Vilnius Old Town
www.login.lt



JUNE



JUNE

Festival "Summer in the City"
Art Factory "Loftas"
www.menufabrikas.lt

JUNE – AUGUST

Piano.Lt Summer Terrace
Courtyard of Franciscan Monastery
www.piano.lt

JUNE – AUGUST

Cinema under the Stars
Courtyard of the Palace of Grand Dukes
www.kinopasaka.lt

JUNE – AUGUST (every Sunday)

Sunday is a Day of Sport
Gedimino Avenue
www.sveikasmiestas.lt

JUNE – SEPTEMBER (every Friday)

Open Kitchen
Tymo Market
www.openkitchen.lt

1 JUNE – 3 SEPTEMBER

Kairėnai Summer Festival
Botanical Garden of Vilnius University in Kairėnai
www.bardai.lt

3 JUNE

Urban Adventure Race "Vilnius Challenge"
City Centre
www.vilniuschallenge.lt

3 – 4 JUNE

The Summer of Trakai
Trakai Town
www.trakai-visit.lt

4 JUNE

We Run Vilnius | DNB Half Marathon
City Centre
www.werunvilnius.lt

5 – 22 JUNE

"Vilnius Concerts"
Vilnius Concert Halls
www.filharmonija.lt

8 – 11 JUNE

Contemporary Art Fair "Art Vilnius"
Lithuanian Exhibition and Convention Centre "Litexpo"
www.artvilnius.com

11 JUNE – 16 SEPTEMBER

Summer Terrace
Courtyard of Vilnius Teachers' House
www.kultura.lt

16 JUNE

Culture Night
Various Venues
www.kulturosnaaktis.lt

17 JUNE

Herb Market
V. Kudirkos Square
www.etno.lt

17 – 18 JUNE

Medieval Festival in Trakai
Peninsular Castle in Trakai Town
www.trakaimuziejus.lt

23 JUNE

Midsummer Night – Rasos (St. John Feast)
Verkių Regional Park
www.etnokultura.lt
Mounds of Kernavė Town
www.kernave.org





JULY-AUGUST



JULY – AUGUST

Galvė Jazz Fiesta
Galvė Lake in Trakai Town
www.trakaijazz.lt

JULY – AUGUST

Evenings in Užutrakis
Užutrakis Palace in Trakai Town
www.uzutrakiovakarai.lt

JULY – AUGUST

Christopher Summer Festival
Various Venues
www.kristupofestivaliai.lt

6 JULY

State Day (Coronation of King Mindaugas)
Various Venues
www.president.lt

6 – 8 JULY

Days of Live Archaeology in Kernavė
Mounds of Kernavė Town
www.kernave.org

9 JULY

Festival of Horse Dominykas Fairy-Tales
Embankment near White Bridge
www.vilnius-events.lt

17 – 30 JULY

Midsummer Vilnius Festival
Courtyard of the Palace of Grand Dukes
www.forsevent.com
www.valdovurumai.lt

27 JULY

Vilnius Burger Fest
Courtyard of the Museum of Teatre, Music and Cinema
www.facebook.com/vilniusburgerfest

30 JULY

Badminton Festival “Vilnius plunksna”
Vingis Park
www.vilniusplunksna.lt

30 JULY – 6 AUGUST

Trakai Fanfare Week
Trakai Town
www.trakai-visit.lt

30 JULY – 6 AUGUST

International Summer Music Festival “Vivace Vilnius”
Vilnius Concert Halls
www.vivacevilnius.org

12 – 15 AUGUST

Kopūstinės Fair (Feast of Assumption)
Trakai Town
www.trakai-visit.lt

19 – 20 AUGUST

Old Crafts Days in Trakai
Peninsular Castle in Trakai Town
www.trakaimuziejus.lt

20 AUGUST

Velomarathon
City Centre
www.velomaratonas.lt

25 – 26 AUGUST

Bartholomew Fair
Town Hall Square
www.amatugildija.lt

27 AUGUST

She Runs Vilnius
City Centre
www.sheruns.lt



SEPTEMBER



1 – 3 SEPTEMBER

Vilnius City Fiesta
Gediminas Avenue
www.vilniusfestivals.lt

2 SEPTEMBER

Opera Day
Palace of Grand Dukes
www.valdovurumai.lt

3 SEPTEMBER – 8 OCTOBER

International St. Jacob Sacred Music Festival
Church of St Philip and St Jacob
www.chorasvilnius.lt

5 – 10 SEPTEMBER

New Circus Weekend
Arts Printing House
www.menuspaustuve.lt

6 – 24 SEPTEMBER

International Early Music Festival “Banchetto Musicale”
Various Venues
www.bmfestival.lt

8 – 9 SEPTEMBER

Loftas Fest
Art Factory “Loftas”
www.menufabrikas.lt

10 SEPTEMBER

Danske Bank Vilnius Marathon
City Centre
www.vilniausmaratonas.lt

11 – 20 SEPTEMBER

Science Festival “Spaceship Earth”
Various Venues
www.mokslofestivalis.eu

14 – 18 SEPTEMBER

Vilnius LGBT* Festival “Kreivės”
Vilnius Cinema Theatres
www.festivaliskreives.lt

15 – 17 SEPTEMBER

Nations’ Fair
Gedimino Avenue
www.tautumuge.lt

15 – 17 SEPTEMBER

European Heritage Days
Various Venues
www.kpd.lt

15 – 17 SEPTEMBER

International Street Theatres Festival “Mosaic”
Various Venues
www.senamiescioteatras.lt

21 SEPTEMBER – 1 OCTOBER

International Vilnius Documentary Films Festival
Vilnius Cinema Theatres
www.vdff.lt

22 SEPTEMBER

Baltic Unity Day
Verkiai Regional Park
www.etnokultura.lt

22 SEPTEMBER

Autumn Equinox
Embankment near Karalius Mindaugas Bridge
www.etno.lt

29 SEPTEMBER

Researchers’ Night
Various Venues
www.tyrejunaktis.lt

30 SEPTEMBER

International Fireworks Festival “Vilnius fejerdija”
Vingis Park
www.fejerija.lt



OCTOBER-NOVEMBER



OCTOBER

Vilnius Light Festival “Beepositive”
Various Venues
www.beepositive.lt

OCTOBER

International Theatre Festival “Sirenos”
Various Venues
www.sirenos.lt

OCTOBER

Shopping Night Out
Vilnius Boutiques
www.shoppinginvilnius.lt

1 – 10 OCTOBER

International Film Festival for Children and Youth
Vilnius Cinema Theatres
www.kidsfestival.lt

6 – 7 OCTOBER

Autumn Fair “Sodo kraitė”
Courtyard of Vilnius Teachers’ House
www.kultura.lt

11 – 15 OCTOBER

International Folklore Festival “Pokrovskije Kolokola” (Chiming Bells)
Vilnius Concert Halls
www.arinуска.lt

12 – 15 OCTOBER

International Jazz Festival “Vilnius Jazz”
Various Venues
www.vilniusjazz.lt

12 OCTOBER – 5 NOVEMBER

International Documentary Film Festival “Inconvenient Films”
Vilnius Cinema Theatres
www.nepatoguskinas.lt

14 – 15 OCTOBER

Vilnius Sport Festival
Lithuanian Exhibition and Convention Centre “Litexpo”
www.sportofestivalis.lt

18 – 22 OCTOBER

International Bards’ Music Festival “Tai – aš” (This is Me)
Vilnius Concert Halls
www.tai-as.lt

20 – 29 OCTOBER

International Contemporary Music Festival “Gaida” (The Tune)
Vilnius Concert Halls
www.vilniusfestivals.lt

9 – 26 NOVEMBER

European Film Forum “Scanorama”
Vilnius Cinema Theatres
www.scanorama.lt

10 – 11 NOVEMBER

Conference „What’s Next?”
Art Factory “Loftas”
www.menufabrikas.lt

16 – 19 NOVEMBER

International Jazz Festival “Vilnius Mama Jazz”
Various Venues
www.vilniuspamajazz.lt

27 NOVEMBER – 3 DECEMBER

International Festival of Animated Cartoons “Tindirindis”
Vilnius Cinema Theatres
www.tindirindis.lt

30 NOVEMBER – 3 DECEMBER

Fair of Applied Art “Craft Vilnius”
Lithuanian Exhibition and Convention Centre “Litexpo”
www.craftvilnius.eu



DECEMBER



DECEMBER

Christopher Christmas Festival
St. Catherine’s Church
www.kristupofestivaliai.lt

DECEMBER – JANUARY

Christmas in the Capital
Streets and Squares of the Old Town
www.vilnius-events.lt

DECEMBER – JANUARY

Christmas in Trakai
Trakai Town
www.trakai-visit.lt

15 – 31 DECEMBER

Christmas Concerts
Various Venues
www.vilnius-events.lt

20 – 23 DECEMBER

Uptown Market: Christmas Market
Art Factory “Loftas”
www.menufabrikas.lt

LONG TERM EVENTS

Traditional Dance Get-together
ON THURSDAYS (All year round at 19:00)
January – April Trade-union House
May – September S. Moniuškos Square
October – December Trade-union House

Lithuanian Flag Raising Ceremony

ON SUNDAYS (All year round at 12:00)
S. Daukantas Square

Flea Market

ON SUNDAYS (All year round 12:00 – 16:00)
January – April Šokbaris
May – September Courtyard of Vilnius Teachers’ House
October – December Šokbaris

Sacred Music Hours

St. Casimir’s Church
www.kazimiero.lt

JANUARY – APRIL

(on Sundays at 13:00)
MAY – OCTOBER
(on Tuesdays at 18:30)
NOVEMBER – DECEMBER
(on Sundays at 13:00)

WALKING TOURS

Discover the Old Town of Vilnius
Start at the steps of the Cathedral Belfry
www.vilnius-tourism.lt

15 MAY – 15 SEPTEMBER

(in English, German and Russian at 11:00)
28 DECEMBER – 8 JANUARY
(in English and Russian at 11:00)

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NOVEMBER