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RAVNIKAR GALLERY SPACE

 $03.09\ 2019\ -\ 25.09\ 2019$ ANDREA MUSA: SALTY AIR. SOLO EXHIBITION

RAVNIKAR GALLERY SPACE is a contemporary art gallery based in This year Pika's Festival that celebrates 30th anniversary this year is cultural capital, Ljubljana. Founded by Piera Ravnikar in 2017, the gallery's mission is to open the public's eyes to the quality of creative work being produced by a vibrant local scene of emerging visual artists, and to make the appreciation of original art accessible to all. R — s p a c e provides a valuable showcase for a broad range of practices and creative backgrounds, including painting, drawing, media art, sculpture and installation.

Further information: www.ravnikargallery.space



OLD VINE FESTIVAL MARIBOR

Maribor, 13 -22 September 2019

The Old Vine Festival is a culinary and cultural tribute to the World's Oldest Vine which grows in Maribor.

The Festival offers you the opportunity to get to know the excellent local winemakers, socialize in the temple of Slovenian wine-growing tradition and culture on a wine and culinary evening at the Old Vine House, or attend the ceremonious grape harvest of the Guinness Record Holder.

Further information: www.visitmaribor.si



PIKA'S FESTIVAL

Velenie 9 September - 15 September 2019

the most popular event in Velenje and the largest children's festival that attracts its audience from all over Slovenia and abroad. The festival is named after the heroine Pippi Longstocking, a fictional character in a series of children's books created by author Astrid Lindgren. Pika's Festival features exhibitions, theatre, dance and puppet performances, concerts and more than 80 creative workshops.

Further information: www.pikinfestival.si



62ND TRADITIONAL COWS' BALL

Ukanc, Bohinj 15 September 2019

The summer season in Slovenia's alpine region officially ends in mid-September with one of the country's most unique traditional festivals Cow's Ball. Held in Bohinj since 1954, the event celebrates the return of local shepherds and their cattle to the valley after a summer of grazing high up in the pastures of the Julian Alps. The all-day party begins in the morning with folk music, brass bands, an accordion orchestra, folklore performances and all manner of other costumed revellers competing for the eves and ears of the crowd.

Further information: www.tdbohini.si



TASTE POSAVJE

Krško 29 August - 7 September 2019

In Posavie region we have designed a one-week events under the common Every September, tradition joins forces with ethnography, culture and brand TÁSTE POSAVJE, which brings together the best culinary specialists, wines and farm delicacies. Under the vision "fresh-local-tasty", top chefs, winemakers and producers in the region, who appreciate the local ingredients and goods produced in Posavje, have joined together.

In the week of Taste Posavje from 29.8.-7.9. 2019, we will host numerous events that will give visitors a chance to learn about local gastronomy offer a varied range of flavors. Without big words, we simply attended the event. want to present the best that Posavje region offers.

Further information: www.visitkrsko.com



LJUBLJANA, HISTORY, CITY,

Ljubljana Permanent exhibition

The permanent exhibition at the City Museum of Ljubljana encapsulates the rich history of the Ljubljana area. From the 40,000-year-old wooden tip used by a Neanderthal to the barricades on the streets of Ljubljana during the Slovenian war for independence; from the mysterious deformities to the wheelchair used by the prominent benefactor, Žiga Zois and barbed wire that surrounded the city in World War II. Visit the exhibition and find your own favourite time in Ljubljana's history!



DAYS OF NATIONAL COSTUMES AND CLOTHING HERITAGE

Kamnik 5 September - 8 September 2019

entertainment. The Days of National Costumes and Clothing Heritage are considered to be the biggest ethnological festival in Slovenia priding itself on a more than 40-year tradition. The beginnings of the event date back into 1966 when Kamnik citizens organized the Day of National Costumes. In the first year already, a great number of educational societies and individuals, both from Kamnik and its surroundings,

Further information: www.visitkamnik.com



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Cobblers Sunday TRŽIČ

Buy yourself some shoes, eat some bržola, and have some fun. www. sustarska-nedelia.si

Let's Go to the Square: Theatre show about trading KOPFR

Return to a moment in history and witness trading as it once was. Every Sunday. www.koper.si

Kempinski Culinary Tour 2019 at Kempinski Palace PORTOROŽ

Try Michelin-starred cuisine from Vienna, delicacies from Slovakia and exotic Lebanese cuisine from Beirut. www.portoroz.si

Harmony: Festival of music and wine in Medana MFDANA

Duet Krečič-Hostnik. Mascara guartet and a legend of Slovene theatre and film. Boris Cavazza. www.brda.si

Mountaintop Yoga on Kanin

TOLMIN

BLED

LJUBLJANA

I JUBI JANA

for the first time.

www.ljubljanafestival.si

Andrea Musa: Salty air

Mountaintop yoga session with some of the most breathtaking views. www.eventbrite.com

The Bled Strategic Forum has grown into a successful

platform for dialogue among leaders from the private

Simply enjoying existing in the wild can make man whole

again, restoring spirit to the body and body to the spirit. |

Guided tour of Park of Peace CFR.IF

14th Bled Strategic Forum

and public sectors. I www.bled.si

Svetlana Zakharova and friends

Secrets of the Peace Memorial and Karst Caves.

www.vipavskadolina.si

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LJUBLJANA One of China's best orchestras performs as part of the

www.ravnikargallerv.space

Liubliana Festival. www.ljubljanafestival.si

Shenzhen Symphony Orchestra



Koala Voice

KRAN.J An evening of indie rock music with influences in disco. pop and punk. www.visitkrani.com



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Israel Philharmonic Orchestra

LJUBLJANA Closing tour of the conductor Zubin Mehta.

www.liublianafestival.si

Days of National Costumes and Clothing Heritage KAMNIK

One of the biggest cultural events of the year in Kamnik. www.visitkamnik.com



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Dragon's Fest

LJUBLJANA This unforgettable event also features some excellent musical performances. www.ljubljanskigrad.si

Gourmet Over Mura

MURSKA SOBOTA

This year for the first time an international collaboration with visiting chefs from Austria, Hungary, Croatia and Slovenia. www.visitpomurje.eu



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6-9

Nina Pušlar

LJUBI JANA Closing concert in the end of the Slovenia tour.

www.ninapuslar.com

Neptune's Baptism

PIRAN

KOPER

Maritime or Neptune's Baptism presents the symbolic initiation of 1st year students into full members of the maritime high school. | www.portoroz.si

Frivolus is a festival of street artists that will enchant visitors

for three days and enliven the streets and markets of Koper





Andrej Šifrer: 40 years of craziness KRANJ

Frivolus: A street artist festival

with performances | www.frivolus.si

Andrej Šifref is a singer-songwriter. He is known for his humorous, charismatic, and honest lyrics. www.visitkranj.com

Rural Weekend at the Lakeside Promenade BI FD



Feel invited to experience traditional events, enjoy folklore performances, local musicians and tasting local gastronomy. www.bled.si

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www.celje.si

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Jazz at Noon: Iva Stanič KRAN.J

The most charming street

young ones as well as moms.

www.infopomurje.wixsite.com

Iva Stanič is a pop jazz singer and a two-time winner of the prestigious Slovenian festival "Slovenska popevka". www.visitkrani.com

Fashion show presenting collections of urban brands for the

International Festival of Herbs, Medicinal Plants

Expert education, workshops and professional events.

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Different ain producers will introduce themselves for the sec-
ond year in a row.
www.celie.info
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41st Assault on Vršič

VRŠIČ

The Kraniska Gora Tourist Association invites all cycling enthusiasts to the traditional extreme sports event. www.td-kranjska-gora.si

Taste Posavje

KRŠKO The best chefs from the Posavje region come together along with the best regional winemakers. www.visitkrsko.com

19th World Roasted Potato Festival POSTO, INA

More than 80 potato-roasting teams from Slovenia and abroad will take part in this year's 19th annual festival. www.visit-postojna.si

Filmmixer #6: Kranj film festival KRANJ

The main annual film festival in the city of Kranj.

www.visitkranj.com

Vinarium Festival: 40th Lendava Grape Harvest LENDAVA

This traditional ethnological culinary event is a celebration of the areas winemakers. www.vinarium-lendava.si

Vodomčkov Party



Workshops, competitions and children's pampering with the mascots Vodomček and Vodomčica at the Thermana Park Hotel Thermal Centre pools. | www.lasko.info



Ex-Tempore Piran 2019 PIRAN

9th Nautical Weekend in Ptui

Since 1965. Piran Coastal Galleries have been organising an international painting ex-tempore and since 1999, a ceramics ex-tempore. | www.portoroz.si

Organised test sailing with Marinello vessels and other craft.





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Feel invited to attend the 7th Meeting of Accordionists by Lake Bled and experience the performance and parade of accordionists on the lakeside promenade. | www.bled.si

FIS Nordic Combined Summer Grand Prix in Planica

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PIRAN

Music Festival

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www.ptui.info

After competitions in Germany and Austria the Nordic combined athletes will head to Planica. | www.nc-planica.si

The Tartini Festival is an international chamber music festival dedi-

cated to the Piran-born maestro Giuseppe Tartini. I www.portoroz.si

18th Tartini Festival: International Classical

till 8







LJUBLJANA

www.liubeli.si

The creative accomplishments of famed costume designer Alan Hraniteli both in Slovenia and abroad! www.liublianskigrad.si

The Day of Lipica Stud Farm

LIPICA

See Magnificent Maelle, who excites with an exceptional sense of communication with horses. www.lipica.org

30th Pippi Longstocking Festival

VELENJE

The annual Pippi Longstocking festival is one of the largest children's events in Slovenia, combing culture, education and entertainment. | www.pikinfestival.si

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34th Vilenica International Literary Festival LIPICA

Authors from more than 20 countries will be presented.

www.culture.si









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Festival Maribor MARIBOR

A music festival of chamber music and symphonic works.

www.festivalmaribor.si

MOS International trade fair Celie CFL JF MOS is a business and fair event that annually attracts over

800 direct and 1400 represented exhibitors as well as over 100.000 visitors. | www.ce-seiem.si



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Festival JEFF 2019 KOPFR

Something for fans of jazz, ethno, funk and other contemporary music. www.muzikobala.com

Indigo Festival Nobody Cares?

LJUBLJANA A diverse programme of exhibitions, performances, concerts, workshops and lectures. www.indigo.ooo

Jaka Juhant: Look at Me

LJUBLJANA

The artist Jaka Juhant explores the topics of identity and performance, which he expresses through various media. www.dobravaga.si

2019 Men's European Volleyball Championship LJUBLJANA

For the first time the EuroVolley tournament will be held in four different countries: Belgium, France, the Netherlands and Slovenia. | www.visitljubljana.com

Brda Contemporary Music Festival

BRDA Festival of contemporary music in Slovenia's most idvllic wine region.

Riblja Čorba it can be heard without electricity -

Acoustic concert of the legendary Serbian rock band Riblja

A tribute to the world's old vine, and one of the most important

www.brda.si

acoustic

MARIBOR

LJUBLJANA

Čorba. | www.cd-cc.si

Old Vine Festival



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www.maribor-pohorje.si

wine and culinary events in Slovenia.

XIII Festival of Military History

PIVKA The biggest event in Pivka is centred on the area's rich military history.

www.parkvojaskezgodovine.si



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KRAN.J

A festival combining classical and contemporary, foreign and Slovenian piano music under the same roof - a true treat for piano lovers! | www.laver.si

Children's Bazaar

LJUBLJANA

An educational fair and event which brings together children and families from all over Slovenia. www.otroskibazar.si

The invisible border 2019 convention

LJUBLJANA

An event for heroes, superheroes, sidekicks and villains, admirers of fantasy, comic artists, science fiction enthusiasts, muggles and others! | www.nmn.si

Red Bull 400 Planica

PI ANICA

Calling all runners, mountain runners, cyclists, hikers and other adrenaline junkies! www.redbull.com

Cheese & Wine Fest in Bohini

BOHIN.J

Bohinj is famous for its cheese, and since cheese loves wine, the logical thing to do was organise a cheese and wine festival. www.bohinj.si

Bovec Marathon

BOVEC.

42 unforgettable kilometres follow mostly along trails where you can see those emerald waters of the Soča river. www.bovecmaraton.si

35th Rafters Christening

MARIBOR

The key purpose of the event, where rafters on a raft christen a voung rafter. www.maribor-pohorje.si

Gramatik at Križanke

I JUBI JANA

Gramatik, is a Slovenian electronic music producer.

www.gramatik.net

Beer & Burger Fest Ljubljana

LJUBLJANA

Two culinary trends collide as Slovenia's best craft brewers and gourmet burger makers come to the capital. www.pivoinburgerfest.si

Days of Bakala

IZOLA



A culinary event dedicated to everyone's favourite Adriatic style fish paté. www.visitizola.com

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Cow's Ball BOHIN,J

The cows come home (literally, from their summer pastures) for one of Slovenia's coolest annual cultural festivals. www.tdbohini.si

23rd Bollé Original Lake Bled Run & Oj' Kulinarika Fest

BI FD

The original around the lake run and local sports culinary festival | www.sport-bled.si

RK Celie Pivovarna Laško-SG Flenesburg Handewitt CFL JF

Handball is one of the most popular sports in Slovenia, so there's sure to be a raucous crowd. www.rk-celie.si

Celeia - a town beneath today's town CELJE

Take a walk along the paved Roman road among the ancient walls, which testify to the rich history of Celie. www.pokmuz-ce.si/

Little Tony

BLED A Baroque performance at Bled castle.

www.bled.si

Michael's Fair 2019

BLOKE Home-made traditional crafts from the town of Bloke, which is also known as Slovenia's Tibet. www.bloke.si

Deafheaven, Touché Amoré & Portraval of Guilt LJUBLJANA

A metal concert, which probably needs no introduction for fans of the genre. www.kinosiska.si

Jon Hopkins

LJUBLJANA

A DJ set from famed British producer Jon Hopkins, whose albums Immunity and Singularity are regarded as contemporary electronic classics. | www.kinosiska.si

ERC Congress 2019

LJUBLJANA

Resuscitation 2019 promises to deliver a fresh and exciting updates on controversies in resuscitation science, guidelines and practice. | www.resuscitation2019.eu

SG Fest

SLOVENJ GRADEC

The SG Fest music is already a traditional event that takes place as part of the events on the town's municipal holiday. www.slovenjgradec.si

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Ljubljana Coffee Festival 2019 LJUBLJANA

This highly caffeinated festival will bring together gastronomy professionals, coffee shop owners and coffee lovers. www.liublianacoffeefestival.si



Soča Vallev Hiking Festival SOČA VALLEY

Experience the palette of autumn colours in all their beauty and discover the monuments of the past with the help of experienced guides. | www.soca-valley.com

Polog: An exciting valley of peace hiking festival

See the tradition of 'Tolminc' cheese production, the

source of the Tolminka River, bunkers from the time of the Rapallo border and more... | www.soca-valley.com

mark on both Šiška and Slovenia. I www.kinosiska.si



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LJUBLJANA In honour of Kino Šiška's 10th anniversary the the stage will be taken over by Slovenian acts that have left a significant







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www.ljubljanafestival.si

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KOBARID

Šiška Open 2019

Marko Hatlak Band

Chilli Festival

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auest.

The last Saturday in September is certainly the hottest day in autumn, as the "Čiliada" chilli festival welcomes all those who love spicy food. | www.visitizola.com

With the acclaimed musician Vlatko Stefanovski as a special

Saloma: Premiere at the National Theatre

LJUBLJANA

The first premiere on the big stage of the Love season 2019/20 will be Oscar Wilde's Salome, directed by Eduard Miller. | www.drama.si

Kranjska Gora Trail Run

KRANJSKA GORA

Discover the magnificent world of the Alps and explore hidden gems around Kranjska Gora. www.trailrun.si

Bicka Sheep Festival

SOLČAVSKO

Presentation of the autochthonous Jezersko-Solčavsko sheep breed, with lots of connected cultural activities. www.solcavsko.info

Ironman 70.3 Slovenian Istria KOPFR



The I feel Slovenia Ironman 70.3 Slovenian Istria triathlon will lead through old towns, picturesque villages and nature with magnificent views. | www.ironman.com

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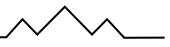


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Harvest of the World's Oldest Vine

MARIBOR

The ceremonial harvesting of the world's oldest vine is accompanied by a full programme of events. www.maribor-pohorje.si

The Counts of Celie

CFL.IF

A guided tour in English of the permanent exhibition of The Counts of Celje. www.pokmuz-ce.si

POMP Forum 2019

LJUBI JANA

The POMP Forum is billed as one of the world's biggest and professionally orientated international conferences of content marketing. | www.cd-cc.si

Kiara's Dance Project: Human

LJUBLJANA

Kjara's Dance Project's latest performance, "Human," features talented A-list dancers with extensive stage experience in Slovenia and around the world. I www.cd-cc.si

Róisín Murphy // Kurzschluss

LJUBLJANA

The famed Irish singer-songwriter will present hits from the All My Dreams project - perfect Kurzschluss LIVE! Experience. www.kurzschluss.si

Boris Breicha // Kurzschluss LJUBLJANA

Top German high-tech minimal DJ Boris Breicha, known for appearances with a Joker mask and highly energetic sets, is coming to Slovenia. | www.kurzschluss.si

Juicy Fork

MURSKA SOBOTA

The "Juicy Fork" Street Food Festival invites you to taste both local and foreign cuisine. www.socnavilica.si

JRE Chefs Gastronomy Evening

ZAGRAD

JRE Chefs Marko Magaine and Luka Gmainar from Galerija Okusov are visiting Chef Daniel at Gostilna Kmetec with a tribute to the autumn. I www.jre.si

History in the Palm of Your Hand KOBARID

Guided tour of Kobarid and the surroundings with the aplication Walk of Peace. www.100letkobarid.potmiru.si/

Sweet Istria: International Festival of Desserts KOPFR

Sweet Istria, the international festival of desserts and sweets, is the largest event of this kind in Slovenia. www.sladka-istra.si



Krani International Festival of Fine Arts KRAN.I

Over 100 artists from Slovenia, Europe and around the globe.

www.visitkranj.com

Sport Climbing World Cup 2019



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KRAN.I

Traditional competition now in its 24th year, features the best lead climbers in the world. www.worldcupkrani.com

Grill & BBO Fest

LJUBLJANA Get to know grill masters, real BBQ masters, Slovenian brewers, winemakers and chili suppliers. www.arill-bba-fest.si/



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Lucien Hervé: Geometry of Light

I JUBI JANA

This exhibition of one of the great photographers of the 20th century was originally presented at the Jeu de Paume, Paris. www.maml.si

Creators

LJUBLJANA

This exhibition can be seen as the first retrospective of contemporary Slovenian fashion designers. www.mao.si



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Crack up – Crack down

LJUBLJANA The 33rd Ljubljana Biennial of Graphic Arts.

www.mglc-lj.si

www.portoroz.si

Let's Go to the Square: Theatre show about trading KRANJ Return to an historical era and witness trading as it once

Learn more about this pint-sized globetrotter, writer, amateur

explorer, polyglot and theosophist who travelled around the

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A highly-anticipated concert by lengedary Croatian singer.

Expedition and Wilderness Medicine

www.cd-cc.si

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BOHINJ A team of experienced expedition medics will teach you what you need to know out on expedition anywhere across the globe. www.bohinj.si

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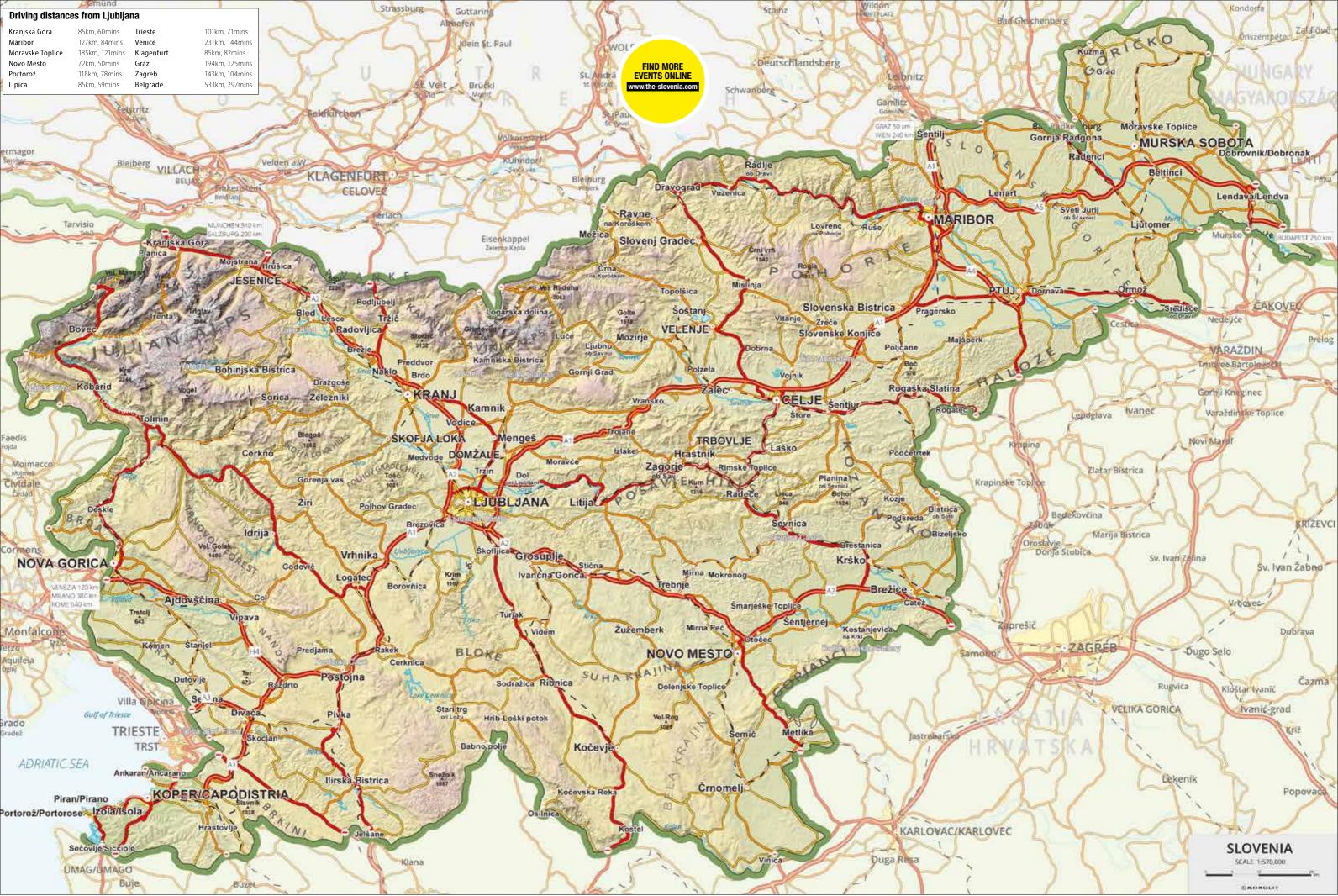
Alma M Karlin: Journeys

world alone from 1919 until 1927. | www.pokmuz-ce.si



LJUBLJANA





Event Categories





 XIII. Festival of military history

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TOP 100 EVENTS

These top 100 events of the month are an eclectic and interesting mix of culture, music, fashion, gastronomy, business, sport, nature and other fun activities and outings for the whole family. The colour of the listings' titles show their category, and events take place all over Slovenia and range from traditional to modern. Designed for children, adults, sports enthusiasts, entrepreneurs and art aficionados - in this comprehensive event guide you will be able to find events for every taste, so don't hesitate to read all about what's happening this month. Looking to experience even more adventures whilst in Slovenia? Then make sure to download the completely free The Slovenia App, where we present all of the country's must-visit destinations as well as lots of ideas for interesting trips off the beaten path.

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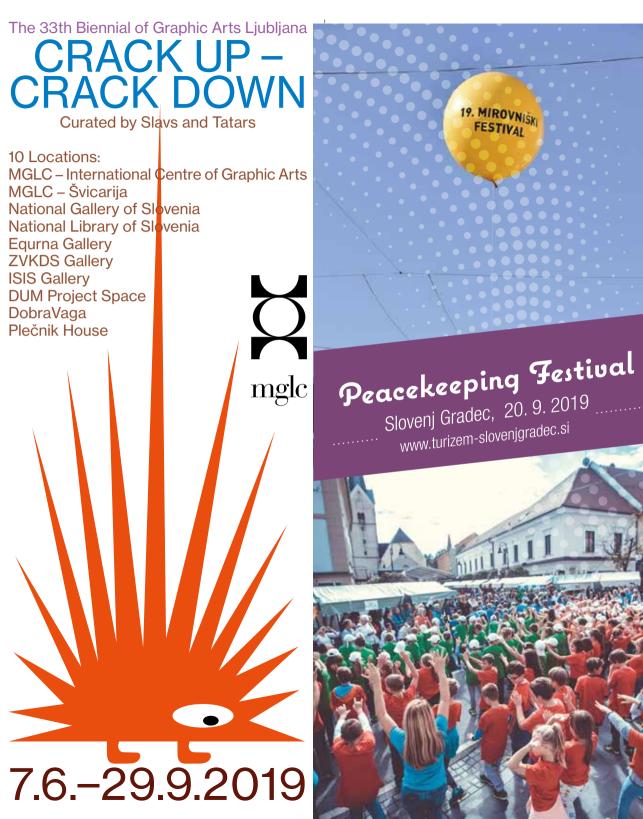


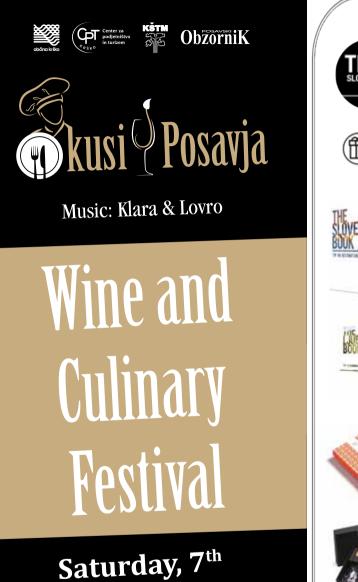
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