

ART NOUVEAU
FESTIVAL
PIEŠŤANY

GOLDEN AGE OF PIEŠŤANY

6TH - 12TH JUNE 2022

6th JUNE, 3 PM TREASURES FROM THE ARCHIVES OF THE THERMIA PALACE HOTEL

Place: Irma Spa House, foyer / Thermia Palace

Opening of the exhibition of photographs and period documents of the Thermia Palace Hotel and Irma Spa House from the golden era of the Spa Piešťany, which began in the Art Nouveau period. Entrance fee: free

7th JUNE, 3 PM SPA ON POSTCARDS IN THE ART NOUVEAU PERIOD

Place: Balneology Museum of I. Winter, Piešťany

Lecture by Mgr. Martin Kostelník, PhD. + samples from the archive Talking about the postcards of the Spa from the end of the 19th and the beginning of the 20th century. We will have a look at their variety, graphic design and some important postcard publishers. Entrance fee: 8.00 € / person

7th JUNE, 7 PM THE WORLD ACCORDING TO MUCHA (2020, DOCUMENT, CZ, 2020, 100 MIN.)

Place: Fontána cinema

Alfonz Mucha, the author of Art Nouveau posters, utilitarian art and paintings, including the monumental Slavic Epic, became famous at the turn of the 19th and 20th centuries. A fresh and in many ways surprisingly up-to-date look at the life of Alfonso Mucha will be offered by a fresh documentary film by the director Roman Vávra. Entrance fee: 4.00 € / person

8th JUNE, 3 PM ART FROM THE COLLECTIONS OF COUNT JÁN PÁLFFY AT THE SPA PIEŠŤANY IN THE THERMIA PALACE HOTEL

Place: Thermia Palace Hotel, Ferdinand salon

Lecture by the art historian Mgr. Katarína Malečková. Count Ján Pálffy (1829 - 1908) created a large art collection during his lifetime. His heirs litigated for many years, part of the collections were divided, part was left to the Czechoslovak state and others were sold. That is why today, in front of and behind the Thermia Palace Hotel and in its interiors, there are sculptures that were originally in the manor and park in Kráľová pri Senec. Entrance fee: 8.00 € / person

8th JUNE, 7:30 PM "ART NOUVEAU BOOK WANDERING"

Place: Thermia Palace Hotel, Alexander café

A literary café with interesting guests with whom we will talk about the inspiring Art Nouveau period and its influence on the work of artists. The golden age of the Spa will be evoked by actors and singers of the Feder Teátr. Entrance fee: free

9th JUNE, 7:30 PM ON THE WAY TO MODERNISM - ART NOUVEAU ARCHITECTURE IN SLOVAKIA - A DIVERSITY OF INFLUENCES

Place: Thermia Palace Hotel, Ferdinand salon

Lecture by Prof. Ing. Arch. Jana Pohaničová, PhD. The lecture will present architecture around 1900, which was marked by Art Nouveau in Slovakia. Among its jewels are two exceptional buildings Thermia Palace and Irma in Piešťany. This period is represented by the works of representatives of Viennese and Hungarian Art Nouveau, as well as Slovak architecture – Dušan Jurkovič and Michal Milan Harminc. Entrance fee: 8.00 € / person (limited number of seats, reservation required)

10th JUNE, 7:30 PM THE GIANT OF ART NOUVEAU ALFONS MUCHA AND SPA PIEŠŤANY

Place: Thermia Palace Hotel, Ferdinand salon

Lecture by PhDr. Vladimír Krupa. The topic of the lecture is the visits of the world-famous painter Alfons Mucha and his family (his wife and daughter) to the Spa Piešťany and the history of the creation and fate of the painting Be Hailed, the Blessed Spring of Health, which the painter painted and donated to the Spa Piešťany. Entrance fee: 8.00 € / person

10th JUNE, 8:00 PM „COTTON CLUB“ – CABARET PERFORMANCE OF THE RED CAT CABARET

Place: Kursalon, Big Hall

Gorgeous women, stylish gangsters, the exciting smell of menace and gambling against a backdrop of immortal music, wild dancing and delicious singing. This is a spectacular revue show - this is The Cotton Club! Entrance fee: 48.00 € / person

11th JUNE, 2:00 - 8:00 PM HAT PICNIC IN THE SPA PARK

Place: Park of the Spa Island

Accompanied by a programme with a period theme. Saturday afternoon will be enriched by performances of the Swingless Jazz Ensemble and the Blue Note Jazz Band in the Music Pavilion Harmony in the Spa Park, refreshment stalls, beauty lounge and programme for children. Swing and Charleston dance school will be performed by ladies in period costumes. The program is enriched by guided tours in period dress on the theme "Art Nouveau monuments on the Spa Island." A picnic basket full of goodies can be purchased for 50€. Entrance fee: free

12th JUNE, 10:00 AM ART NOUVEAU MUSICAL MATINÉE

Place: Hotel Thermia Palace, garden

It is the conclusion of the multi-genre Art Nouveau Festival, featuring three artists: the outstanding flautist Ivica Gabrišová, the singers from the Derner sisters, accompanied by the concert pianist Peter Pažický. Entrance fee: 10.00 € / person



Tickets available at the receptions of the hotels Thermia Palace, Pro Patria, Esplanade, Splendid.
Program change reserved.

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