KAUNAS HANSEATIC DAYS 2018

The birthday of Kaunas City is one of the most famous cultural events of Kaunas, organized for several years in a row. In 2018, the 610th anniversary granting of Magdeburg rights is coming up, which is incredibly important date for Kaunas city. Kaunas is the only city in Lithuania that is now part of the New Hanseatic City Union, giving the celebration a medieval identity, which distinguishes this event from any other Lithuanian town holidays. The audience is invited to get acquainted with the culture, music, dances, plays, games, crafts, knights of that time, who fight in the international tournament to win the captain of the Lithuanian Armed Forces.

PROGRAMME

May 18th, (Friday)

KAUNAS CASTLE REGION

MAIN STAGE (The valley of Kaunas Castle, from Papilis street side)
18.00 Group “RONDO” concert
19.00 EUROLEAGUE FINAL - Kaunas “ZALGIRIS” - Istanbul “FENERBAHCE” (scheduled live broadcast)
21:00 Group “RONDO” Concert
22:00 A concert by the band “Killer Queen” (UK)

The site next to “Žemyn Upe“, the access to Kaunas Castle, Santaka, at the Krantinės St., at Rotušės a.
15.00-21.00 Jomarkas / Fair

SANTAKA PARK
14.00-02.00 LAZIRINTAS
12.00-23.00 Carousel - Trampoline Park

CITY HALL
18.00 DJ JUSTIN XARA
19.00 EUROLEAGUE FINAL - Kaunas “ZALGIRIS” - Istanbul “FENERBAHCE” (scheduled live broadcast)
21.00-02.00 LASER AND LIGHT SHOW
DJ JUSTIN XARA
KAIA (LT)
BEATRICH (LT)
3 LIVE PROJECT (LV)
23.45 FIRE THEATER

VILNIUS STREET
Underground passage
18.00-00.00 OLD TOWN UNDERGROUND (MIXLAB DJ's performances and artistic installation)
18.00-00.00 Live sculptures. DJ's performances.

M. Valančiaus Street
16.00-21.00 Tourism Street

HISTORICAL PRESIDENTIAL GARDEN OF THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA
18.00-00.00 Green/White dinner (pre-booking is required at 8 686 12311 or hotel@daugirdas.lt)
The performance of the Lithuanian State Instrument Orchestra "Trimitas"

LAISVĖS AVENUE
17.10-17.40 Festival “PADŪDUOKIM KAUNUI” festivals orchestral processions from Kaunas central post office to the Presidency and back

May 19th (Saturday)

KAUNAS CASTLE AREA
MAIN STAGE (The valley of Kaunas Castle, from Papilis street side)
14.30 “Kontrapunkt” (PL) choir with popular music program.
15.30 FESTIVAL “PADŪDUOKIM KAUNUI”
Air Force Orchestra
Orchestra "Panevėžys Sound"
Representative Wind Orchestra of the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania
Marijampole Cultural Center Wind Orchestra
Kaunas Wind Instrument Orchestra "Ąžuolynas"
19.00 Musical Revue "Let Me Light Again". KAUNAS BIGBENDAS and Povilas Meškėla presents Maestro St. Povilaitis program

21.00 The concert by “ARRIVAL” from Sweeden (The Music Of ABBA)

Loma to the wooden bridge
12.00-21.00 Medieval Town

12.00-19.00 INTERNATIONAL KNIGHT TOURNAMENT FOR WINNING THE LITHUANIAN MILITARY AWARD

The site next to “Žemyn Upe“, the access to Kaunas Castle, Santaka, at the Krantinės St., at Rotušės a.

10.00-21.00 Jomarkas / Fair

The site at Kaunas castle “BIKE SHOW MILLENNIUM”

12.00 Meeting of participants

13.30 Motorcyclist parade on the central streets of the city

SANTAKA PARK
10.00-02.00 LAZIRINTAS

12.00-23.00 Carousel - Trampoline Park

13.00-21.00 FAMILY MEADOW. Education

Singing Studio "The Kingdom of Fun"
Kaišiadorys Art School Orchestra.
Vilkaviškis Music School Wind Orchestra
Singing Studio "Dream Trend"

Nemunas and Neris junction

23.30 MINISTRY OF FIRE (Burning sculptures). FIREWORKS

HISTORICAL PRESIDENTIAL GARDEN OF THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA

22.00-00.00 Green/White dinner (pre-booking is required at 8 686 12311 or hotel@daugirdas.lt)

VILNIUS STREET

Underground passage

15.00-00.00 OLD TOWN UNDERGROUND (MIXLAB DJ's performances and artistic installation)

16.00-00.00 Live sculptures. DJ's performances.

14.20 FESTIVAL “PADŪDUOKIM KAUNUI” walk from the Daukšos str.
Valančiaus Street
12.00-21.00 Tourism Street

TOWN HALL
15.00 HANZA FREEDANCE CHAMPIONSHIP (Youth Dance Championship)
19.00 GAMERS CITY BATTLE (Street Dance Fighting)
23.00-02.00 LASER AND LIGHT SHOW
3 LIVE PROJECT (LV)
DJ SASH (DE)
Roller Skate Park
12.00-20.00 SANTAKA REBORN Summer Sports and BMX Sports

SENIOR TRAINING AMPHITHEATER
13.00 INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION OF COMPETITORS - LITHUANIA AGAINST WORLDS NATIONAL SELECTION
16.00 BIKE SHOW MILLENNIUM 2018
water motorcycle JETSKI SLALOM SHOW;
FLY BOARD and a free-style water motorcycle demonstration program
Rock concert
21.00 “JUSTIN 3”
22.00 “ROJAUS TŪZAS” AND “SELECTED”

May 20th (Sunday)

TOWN HALL
10.00 - 18.00 AUTOSHOW
Lithuanian dB Drag Championship - power car audio system competition;
Automakers clubs "Tuning team", "Autoera", "Retromobile" and others. The latest exhibits, antique cars and motorcycles, and other technical exhibitions.
18:00 or 21:00 EUROLEAGUE FINAL - Kaunas “ŽALGIRIS” - Moscow “CSKA” or Madrid “REAL” (scheduled live broadcast)

SENIOR TRAINING AMPHITHEATER
14.00 Youth group performances
16.00 The legendary BIG BYTH groups
Mika Suraučius and BASSVIM
Kęstutis Ignatavičius and “AITVARIUKAI”
“VAIZBŪNAI”

SANTAKA PARK
10.00-22.00 LAZIRINTAS
12.00-21.00 Carousel - Trampoline Park
13.00-18.00 FAMILY LIFE Education

KAUNAS CASTLE AREA
MAIN STAGE (The valley of Kaunas Castle, from Papilis street side)
12.00-18.00 INTERNATIONAL KNIGHT TOURNAMENT FOR THE CAPTAIN OF THE LITHUANIAN ARMED FORCES (FINAL).
INTERNATIONAL KNIGHT TOURNAMENT
18:00 or 21:00 EUROLEAGUE FINAL - Kaunas “ŽALGIRIS“ - Moscow “CSKA” or Madrid “REAL” (scheduled live broadcast)

Valančiaus street.
12.00-16.00 Tourism Street

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10.00-18.00 Jomarkas / Fair