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8-14 of May

### **Sibiu Jazz Festival**

The Sibiu International Jazz Festival is a success story that began 35 years ago, being the oldest in Romania and leading to the declaration of Sibiu as Romania's capital of Jazz. It is a sought after alternative to the music of the younger generation, and the organizers offer free tickets to students who can participate in concerts and creative

workshops hosted by famous musicians from here and abroad. In the same period, the week between 8th and 14th of May, jazz music and culture will be also celebrated within the Students' Jazz Festivities and Blitz Jazz exhibition, held by the Orizont Photoclub Association Sibiu.

Further info: J.K. Schimdt - 0269 219 810

May 6th-11th

### **Europe Days, Sibiu**

The aim of this event is the promotion of common European identity in the context of multiculturalism, and the consolidation of unity through diversity.

Further info: Silvia Macrea - 0269 215 592

May 25 - June 5

### **International Theater Festival, Sibiu**



Presented as the most renowned annual theater and performance arts festival in Romania and the third major European event of its kind, the festival manages to gather, year after year, some of the best national and international artists. During the eleven days of the festivities they will maintain a cultural and creative dialogue with and for the audience: theater

enthusiasts, city inhabitants, live and TV spectators. The festival has the role of premiere to the cultural year 2007, and will host numerous plays by Andrei Serban, Silviu Purcarete, Andry Zoldak, German, English and Japan productions as well as explosive street performance by various artists.

Further info: Aura Gaidarji - 0269 210 092

May 11th-14th

### **Emil Cioran Workshop, Rasinari**

Icons of the Romanian and European cultural life, and admirers of Cioran's work will rejoin in his hometown for the 12th year. Full details on this event are to be found with the head-master of the Research Center "Emil Cioran" prof. Univ. Dr. Eugene Van Iteerbeek - 0269 215 556

## **Octavian Goga Cultural Days, Rasinari**

A series of events linked with the commemoration of Octavian Goga, one of Romania's most renowned poets, held in his home town situated at the base of the Cindrel Mountains, at the same time a representative village for the popular customs specific to the Marginimea Sibiului area.

Further details: Rasinari's Town Hall-0269 557 200

May 26th-28th

## **Unconventional Art Festival, Sibiu**

The Gong Youth and Childrens Theater organizes the 10th edition of the Unconventional Art Festival "La Strada". The streets will be full of young artists, eager to charm their audience with their skills and talent.

Further info: Mihaela Grigoras - 0269 211 349

May 21th

## **Transylvania International Marathon, Medias - Sighisoara**

The Romanian Athletics Federation and John Menning are organizing the fourth edition of this Marathon together with the National Marathon Championships.

Further info: 021-3002041 / 0265-771280

17th - 19th of May

## **Evidences of the Transylvanian Civilization in the Interethnic Community at the Emil Sigeriu Saxon Ethnography Museum**

The interdisciplinary national communication sessions, focused on the theme of "Evidences of the Transylvanian civilization in the interethnic community", will gather history and ethnography experts from all over the country, but also the wide audience that wishes to find out more about the Saxon, Hungarian and Romanian crafts. The session will be divided in two sections and it will debate the most recent theories and field work in the domain of the Transylvanian chimneys, both from an ethnographic and a historical and archaeological approach.

Further info: Claudia Urduzia - 0269 218 195



May 12th-14th

## **White Wizard Full Moon, Valea Lotrioara**

Large goa-trance music festival, taking place 35Km away from Sibiu, gathering more than 25 DJs from Romania, Israel, Belgium and Germany and hundreds of

participants from all over Europe. Take your sleeping bag, tent and photo camera and prepare for 3 days of outdoor fun, among other music and nature lovers.

Contact: [www.dreamtime.ro](http://www.dreamtime.ro)

May 18th

## **The Museums' Night, The Franz Binder Universal Ethnography Museum**

On this special occasion, The Franz Binder Museum celebrates it's 13 years of activity, by inviting everybody to visit it's premises, free of charge, between 20:00 and 01:00. The event will include a series of special happenings: exhibitions of canvases and drawings from Sibiu's Arts High school students and the "Nights in Sibiu" photo gallery, Special guidance and presentations will be organized in the general context of the museum. Further info: 0269 218 195 int. 217

1 - 30 of May

## **Corrida - The Ways of the Arena, Sebes**

Astra National Museum Complex and The Center for European and Cultural Action from Bordeaux are co-organizing an exhibition that comprises of more than 30 black and white art pictures taken by the French photographer Francois Ducasse. The pictures tell the story of the Spanish corrido, with its fearless toreros and angry bulls, but most of all with a crowd enjoying every minute of the show.

Further info: Maria Bozan - 0269 218 195 int. 217

May 18th - May 30th

## **Saxons' Folk Sayings**

This exhibition illustrates some segments of daily life of the Saxon community through an exhibition of several objects of great artistic and documentary value. The objects exhibited are representative, bearing some inscriptions specific to festive clothes, the inside of the house (furniture and textiles), as well as Christian rituals (baptism, confirmation, marriage, death). There is also a special place dedicated to images of the cultural landscape of the village (church and school). The exhibition is organized in collaboration with the Transylvania Museum of Gundelsheim (Germany).

Details: Camelia Stefan - 0269 218 195 int. 122

April 19th - May 9th

## **The Semiotic Transparency of Glass Icons, Sibiu**

The event held at Astra National Museum Complex pays a tribute to Nicolae Suci's legacy, one of the most prestigious Romanian glass-icon painters, a symbol of authentic Romanian culture and beauty. The pieces shown in this exhibition are glass paintings and lyrical compositions from the every day life of the peasants in the traditional Romanian village.

Details: Adda Maria Popa - 0269 218 195

## **Additional resources.**

**Tourism Information Center  
Sibiu**  
[www.sibiu.ro](http://www.sibiu.ro) [turism@sibiu.ro](mailto:turism@sibiu.ro)  
0269-208913

**Sibiu County Council**  
<http://www.cjsibiu.ro/>  
0269-216368

**Sibiu Tourism Association**  
[www.transilvania-turism.ro](http://www.transilvania-turism.ro)  
  
[ats-sibiu@turismconsult.ro](mailto:ats-sibiu@turismconsult.ro)  
0269 218210

**Brukenthal Palace**  
Piața Mare, Nr. 4 - 5, Sibiu  
Tel: 0269 211699, 217691

**Museum of History and Pharmacy**  
Piața Mică, Nr. 26, Sibiu  
Tel. 0269 218191

**Museum of History**  
Str. Mitropoliei, Nr. 2, Sibiu  
Tel: 0269 218143

**Museum of Natural History**  
Str. Cetatii, Nr. 1, Sibiu  
Tel: 0269 213156

**Museum of Hunting Trophies**  
Str. Scoala de Înot, Nr. 4, Sibiu  
Tel. 0269 217873

**ASTRA Museum**  
[www.muzeulastra.ro](http://www.muzeulastra.ro)  
0269-218040

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