

St. Bartholomew's

Vilnius Town Hall Square

17th-18th of August, 2018

11 AM-8 PM

Let's meet
where our past
meets the future!



2018
EUROPEAN YEAR
OF CULTURAL
HERITAGE



Traditional St. Bartholomew's fair certificated as Lithuanian national heritage is revived for 7th time with a great event reconstructing crafts, arts and guild traditions of The Late Medieval Ages and The Renaissance.

Friday, August 17

- 11.00** The opening of the Fair.
- 12.00** A solemn parade with the flags of the Vilnius craftsmen guilds (The Gates of Dawn, Vokiečių str., Dominikonų str., Šv. Jono str., Pilies str., Didžioji str., Town Hall Square).
- 12.30** The official opening ceremony.
- 13.00** The staging of Noblemen's fight. The brotherhood *Medieval Emissaries*.
- 14.00** Warfare presentation of the 17th century. The brotherhood *Medieval Emissaries*.
- 14.30** Musical band *Remdib* (Czech Republic). European medieval music of the 13th-16th century.
- 15.30** Performance of jugglers, medieval games. Band *Vagabundus collective* (Czech Republic).
- 16.00** Puppet Theatre *Avilys* performace *The Baby of the Family*. Scenario author and director Arūnas Pakulevičius. Actors Rita Kiškūnaitė, Arūnas Pakulevičius.
- 16.30** Lecture *St. Bartholomew's Fair in Europe and Lithuania*. Lecturer prof. dr. A. Ragauskas (Vilnius University). Location: Vilnius Old Town Renewal Agency, Stiklių str. 4.
- 17.30** New project of antique dance troupe *Festa Cortese* (Lithuania) and musical group *Remdib* (Czech Republic). Dances and music of 14th-16th century.
- 18.00** Slack rope acrobatics. Band *Vagabundus collective* (Czech Republic).
- 18.30** The staging of Noblemen's fight and games with the audience. The brotherhood *Medieval Emissaries*.
- 19.00** Performance of jugglers, medieval games. Band *Vagabundus collective* (Czech Republic).
- 19.30** Fire show. Band *Vagabundus collective* (Czech Republic).
- 19.30** Musical band *Remdib* (Czech Republic). European medieval music of the 13th-16th century.

Saturday, August 18

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| <p>11.00 The beginning of the Fair.</p> <p>11.00 Musical band <i>Ambera</i> (Lithuania). European medieval music of the 14th-15th century.</p> <p>12.00 Lecture <i>Ancient Crafts: Mead Production. Paper Production</i>. Lecturer prof. dr. A. Ragauskas (Vilnius University). Location: Vilnius Old Town Renewal Agency, Stiklių str. 4.</p> <p>13.00 Performance of jugglers, medieval games. Band <i>Vagabundus collective</i> (Czech Republic).</p> <p>13.30 Musical band <i>Remdih</i> (Czech Republic). European medieval music of the 13th-16th century.</p> <p>14.30 Slack rope acrobatics. Band <i>Vagabundus collective</i> (Czech Republic).</p> <p>15.00 Puppet Theatre <i>Avilys</i> performance <i>The Princess and the Swineherd</i></p> | <p>(H. C. Andersen). Scenario author and director Arūnas Pakulevčius.</p> <p>16.00 Performance of jugglers, medieval games. Band <i>Vagabundus collective</i> (Czech Republic).</p> <p>16.30 New project of antique dance troupe <i>Festa Cortese</i> (Lithuania) and musical group <i>Remdih</i> (Czech Republic). Dances and music of 14th-16th century.</p> <p>17.30 Slack rope acrobatics. Band <i>Vagabundus collective</i> (Czech Republic).</p> <p>18.00 Performance of jugglers, medieval games. Band <i>Vagabundus collective</i> (Czech Republic).</p> <p>19.00 Closing ceremony. Musical band <i>Remdih</i> (Czech Republic). European medieval music of the 13th-16th century.</p> |
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During the event you will participate in variety of games, Box Theater, meet merciless executioners, insistent mendicants. Professional craftsmen will represent and demonstrate ancient crafts such as leather work, leather and hide processing, jewelry and enamel art, brass and tin casting, smithery, soap production, textile production and sewing, felting, bread baking, wood processing, ceramics, glass bead and stained glass production, bookbinding, basket weaving, amber processing. *Bagel shop* of Lithuanian Jewish (Litvaks) Community will also participate in the Fair to commemorate the multiculturalism of the Grand Duchy of Lithuania. *All this will transfer you to the glorious times of Renaissance Vilnius!*



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