

26 AUGUSTS VAKARA PASTAIGA VENTIŅ' BŪŠAN'!

1. MARKET SQUARE

7:00 p.m. – 2:00 a.m.: 'TIERGS PLACE UN DANČ'
(Street markets and dances)

7:00 p.m.: Evening walk through the market – musical performance by the ensemble "Ventiņ", creative workshops for children, and street food.

8:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.: Andris Daļiļenko and Valdis Zilveris will perform the most popular Latvian hits about summer, life, and love in ancient and modern times in the concert "From Rozenštrauks to Pauls".

10:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.: Musical performance by the Ventspils-based band "6 piparu maisījums" who won the band competition during the event "A Different Kind of Market".

11:00 p.m. – 2:00 a.m.: DJ Jānis K

2. HOUSE OF CRAFTS

8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.: 'TEIJĀTERS UN VIET, KUR UZSIST KLAČ'
(Theatre and a place to chat)

Contest of ventiņi words and old words, performed by actors of Ance amateur theatre "Nezāles"

3. TOWN HALL SQUARE

7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.: 'TĀD MĒS I' (That's us)

Open-air exposition and performance to 'satikšnes tujāk' (to meet) the local master craftsmen who 'neknūr pa stūrem, bet dar' (do not sit around and wait but act instead).

7:00 p.m., 8:00 p.m., and 9:00 p.m.: performances by the vocal ensemble "Mundus", a teacher trio of the Ventspils Music School, and local storytellers who know best 'kā viš bij un kā viš būs' (what and how happened and will happen). Possibility to see the Cows of Ventspils and to learn more about the traditional "Cow Parades" held in 2002 and 2012.

4. ON THE STREET 'KULDĪGAS IELA'

6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.: 'PUKMIĻ ŠPACIERS A MUZĪĶER'
(Tours for the lovers of flowers accompanied by music)

Mini tours involving a series of stops by the most beautiful flower plantings from the Town Hall Square to the square 'Lielais laukums'. The tour will be guided by the landscape architect Lilita Sproģe. The groups will gather on the Town Hall Square at 6:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.

5. SQUARE 'DZIRNAVU LAUKUMS'

6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.: 'VENC PILS ŠEPTMAŅ TAISIS LUSTS A KNARIŅIEM'
(Activities for local children organised by Ventspils-based entrepreneurs)

This event will bring together creative entrepreneurs operating in the field of education and entertainment of families. In the course of the evening, the visitors will have the opportunity to try out acrobatic and cheer tricks together with Anita Kivilande, to juggle with "Delatlivik", to meet the Yamaha Music School and Kristīne Stone, Sanita Bergmane and the EFA consultant Ieva Stare from "Mīļotava", as well as to test their flexibility in the yoga corner in the studio "Mellenoga" under the guidance of Gita Goldmane.

The Marija Dance Studio, Elena Vaseva Singing Class, and the dance group "Deguntiņš uz augšu" with Svetlana Grundmane in the lead are also expected to give performances, while the H. Dorbe Memorial Museum "Senču putekļi" in collaboration with the Ventspils Children's Library will organise the game of words in the local dialect. The visitors will also be able to enjoy surprises and face painting by "Anniefesta". At the conclusion, all children are invited to a disco with DJ Keysh. The event will be hosted by Reinis Reinmanis.

6. SQUARE 'JAUNPILSĒTAS LAUKUMS'

6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.: 'BLIŅKS UZ SKUNSTIGEM RUMPEM'
(Snap a photo of sculptures)

Go for a walk and discover living statues near the sculpture "Sun Boats" to snap an interesting photo.

7. TEX-MEX Republic

6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.: 'LUSTS UZ VELL PARAUŠEN'
(Celebration on the terrace)

6:00 p.m.: Preparation of the 'paella' over an open fire in front of the spectators.

7:00 p.m.: Mojito master class – all visitors will have the opportunity to prepare and taste a cocktail.

8:00 p.m.: Salsa master class with Karīna Gailiša in the lead.

8. Amphitheatre at the CONCERT HALL "LATVIJA"

7:00 p.m. – 1:00 a.m.: 'MUZĪĶERS UN CITĀD TRAČ PAŠ UN KAIMIŅ LUSTEM'
(Concert series "Ventspils Sounds")

Four premium-quality concerts performed by the former and current musicians of the Ventspils Big Band – the teachers, students, and graduates of the Ventspils Music School.

7:00 p.m.: Ģirts Celmiņš with the concert programme "The River Sisters" (original compositions, jazz music standards).

8:00 p.m.: Kristis Daubaris with the concert programme "The Young Ones Blow Off the Dust" (H. Mancini film music, adaptations of music by F. Sinatra and E. Fitzgerald).

9:00 p.m.: Denisa Dārzniece with the concert programme "Desiderium" (original compositions).

10:00 p.m.: Kristeris Lauriņš with the concert programme "NeNot" (original compositions, adaptations of jazz standards for nonet).

11:00 p.m.: Party with DJ Slimests Slaists and DJ Fisha.

9. ZAĻAIS NAMIŅŠ /Gaiļu iela 2-1/

7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. ĪST UN MIESS MĀLDER, MUZĪĶER
(Art, tattoos and music)

7:00 p.m.: Exhibition of works of art by Kristiāna Zalmane from Ventspils, as well as an opportunity to obtain a small permanent tattoo, which will be created by Kristiāna Zalmane herself for a symbolic fee.

9:00 p.m.: Performance of the band "Transcendentāle".

