Festival Mediterranea 2015 PROGRAMME OF EVENTS 14th Edition

20 October to 6 December

Tuesday 20 October **Behind the Opera Curtain** A workshop with the participation of the musical and artistic directors and soloists of La Bohème. Teatru Manoel | 18:00hrs Free of charge



Thursday 29 & Saturday 31 October Giacomo Puccini's La Bohème, featuring world-famous singers, the Malta Philharmonic Orchestra and the Teatru Astra Opera Chorus Conductor: Joseph Vella Artistic Director: Enrico Stinchelli Teatru Astra | 19.30hrs Tickets: €70, €50

Friday 30 October Contrasts A vocal recital featuring soprano Arienne Gartey and pianist Julia Miller Kempinski San Lawrenz Resort and Spa | 20:00hrs Free of charge

Saturday 31 October Scenes from Bohemian Life: of dreams and false illusions A lecture by Dr Abraham Borg Victoria Local Council Hall Banca Giuratale | 10:00hrs Free of charge

Sunday 1 November Music in Liturgy Sung High Mass with the participation of the Laudate Pueri Choir St George's Basilica | 11.00hrs Free of charge

Friday 6 November **Design and Decoration for Ecclesiastical** Gozo 1800-1900: Recent important discoveries A lecture by Dr Mark Sagona Ministry for Gozo Hall St Francis Square | 19:00hrs

Saturday 14 November **Oscar Wilde's De Profundis** A production organised in collaboration with the Gozo Theatre Creative Club, directed by George Mízzi. Teatru Astra Foyer | 19.30hrs Tickets: €5



Saturday 21 November The Annual Grand Concert by La Stella **Philharmonic Band**

Conductor: Joseph Vella This year's concert marks the 45th anniversary since Prof Joseph Vella was appointed conductor of the La Stella Band. This concert will entirely feature compositions by Mro Vella. Teatru Astra | 19.30hrs Free of charge

Saturday 5 and Sunday 6 December Dehra mill-Pont

Drama written by Arthur Miller (A view from the Bridge), translated into Maltese by Joe Figgieri, produced in collaboration with the Gozo Cultural Council. Director: Mario Tabone Teatru Astra | 19.00hrs Tickets: €5

Exhibitions

23 October - 15 November 2015 Art Genius from father to daughter An exhibition of paintings by Mario and Adriana Caffaro Rore Il-Hagar - Heart of Gozo Museum Opening Hours: 9:00hrs-17:00hrs



Saturday 14 November Exploring the tradition and artistic contribution of local bands A seminar on the historic and current role of local bands in the local community. Ministry for Gozo Hall St Francis Square | 10.00hrs Free of charge Inauguration of an exhibiton at Teatru Astra | 11.30hrs



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