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EXIT FESTIVAL

12-15 July 2012

www.exitfest.org

Over the past decade, Serbia had a lot to thank the traditional July gathering in Novi Sad for the positive image and awareness about the country and also the creativity, hospitality and energy of its people. The unique side of EXIT, to which it owes much of its popularity, is the location – impressive Petrovaradin Fortress situated in the capital city of Serbia's multicultural Vojvodina Province. Among those who have left a life lasting imprint on visitors are: Roni Size, Tricky, Moloko, Stereo MCs, Massive Attack, Iggy and the Stooges, Underworld, Franz Ferdinand, Billy Idol, The Prodigy, Snoop Dogg, Moby, Lilly Allen, David Guetta, LTJ Bukem, Jamiroquai, Dead Mau5 and many more. Having in mind the influence it gained over the years, the award for the Best European Festival by the UK Festival Awards in 2007 just came natural.

Be a part of music festival history – for all festivalgoers **EXIT is a definite must!**

Facts

- international line-up of performers
- numerous stages with diverse music genres
- magical setting within the Petrovaradin Fortress

What to see in...

- Promenade on the bank of the Danube River
- Trg Slobode – Freedom Square
- Synagogue in the centre of the city

...and around Novi Sad

- Town of Sremski Karlovci and nearby vineyards
- Fruška Gora National Park with 16 monasteries
- Salaš estates – traditional village households

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SERBIA BASICS

Official name of the state: Republic of Serbia
Capital city: Belgrade, population around 1,600,000

Geographic location: Southeastern and Central Europe, Balkan Peninsula, Western Balkans

Area: 88,361 km²

Population: around 7,100,000

Official language: Serbian

Official script: Cyrillic (Latin script also in use)

Neighbouring countries: Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria, Macedonia, Albania, Montenegro, Bosnia and Herzegovina and Croatia

Longest river: Danube, Serbian section 588 km long

Climate: moderate continental

Time zone: Central European, CET (GMT + 1 hour)

International dialling code: +381

Official currency: Dinar (RSD)

National Internet domain: .rs and .cp6 (cyrillic)

National vehicle code: SRB

National holiday: 15 February – Serbian National Statehood Day

Electricity: 220 ~ 230V, 50 Hz

Water from public mains: Safe to drink

Entry and stay in Serbia: Citizens of European Union countries, the Swiss Confederation, Kingdom of Norway and Republic of Iceland may enter the Republic of Serbia using their identity cards and stay up to 90 days.



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GUČA TRUMPET FESTIVAL

6-12 August 2012
www.gucasabor.com

With its roots in folk tradition the Guča Trumpet Festival has evolved into a world renowned event in the 21st century. Located in the picturesque village of Guča, it welcomes each year the best trumpet players and international brass bands, making it the world's "undisputed trumpet capital". Music program is accompanied by all-around folk sports, exhibitions of folk handicrafts, traditional dishes, painters and poets. In 2010 the festival marked its 50th anniversary during a ten day celebration attracting more than 800,000 visitors from all over the globe. Goran Bregović and his Wedding and Funeral Orchestra sent the audience into delirium with their spectacular performance at this jubilee edition of the festival.

Do not miss the opportunity for an unforgettable experience at this "Woodstock for trumpets" – **Join the party in Guča!**

Facts

- entrance free of charge
- best international brass bands
- exquisite natural surroundings

What to see (and taste) in...

- The Trumpet Museum
- Svadbarski kupus (wedding cabbage)
- Opanak – Traditional Serbian leather shoe

...and around Guča

- The Ovčar-Kablar Gorge (Serbia's Holy Mountain)
- Krajputaši – Roadside tombstones
- Banja Gornja Trepča – The Atomic Spa

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NIŠVILLE INTERNATIONAL JAZZ FESTIVAL

16-19 August 2012
www.nisville.com

Nišville was born in 1981 under the name Naissus, and its beginnings were relatively modest, in the venues like concert and theatre halls. During three decades it has evolved into the most visited jazz festival in the region, welcoming names like Solomon Burke, Benny Golson, Incognito, The Brand New Heavies, De Phazz, Roy Hargrove, Duško Gojković, Candy Dulfer and many others. The festival is now being held in an open space that can accommodate more than 4,000 people. Apart from the main program, the accompanying program features many more bands and performers. During the festival, jazz workshops are being held for almost all jazz instruments.

Set out on a jazz journey in one of the most beautiful, spacious and acoustic amphitheatres in Europe – The Summer Stage of the Niš City Fortress!

Facts

- 4 day tickets from 25 EUR
- 25 bands in the main program
- rich accompanying program

What to visit in...

- Niš City Fortress
- Čele kula – The Skull Tower
- Niš Cathedral – The Trinity Church

...and around Niš

- Mediana archaeological site
- Niška Banja – Niš Spa
- Sićevačka klisura (canyon)

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BELGRADE BEERFEST

15-19 August 2012
www.belgradebeerfest.com

Since its foundation in 2003 the Belgrade Beer Fest has attracted more than 4,5 million visitors in nine years. Staged annually, with numerous bands and individual performers, it has become one of the biggest summer parties in Europe. Set in a beautiful park on the bank of the Danube where the Rolling Stones, Madonna and the Police have held their concerts, it is rated among the 20 world events that should be seen – according to British newspaper "The Independent". But, it's not all and only about partying – in the recent years the festival featured a social campaign "I choose to recycle" aimed at raising awareness about environmental issues.

Join the fun to find your favourite taste among 90 beer brands during these five days of August in Belgrade!

Facts

- entrance free of charge
- various music program
- wide range of beer brands

What to see in...

- Belgrade Fortress
- Knez Mihailova Street
- Skadarlija bohemian quarter

...and around Belgrade

- Ada Ciganlija – the urban oasis
- Tower at Mount Avala
- Vinča archaeological site

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