NIGHT OF MUSEUMS
18th of May 2019
MUSEUMS OPEN FOR FREE
18.00–23.00
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE NIGHT OF MUSEUMS:
FACEBOOK.COM/MUUSEUMI00
ESTONIAN SPORTS AND OLYMPIC MUSEUM
RÜÜTLI 15, TARTU. OPENING HOURS FOR THE MUSEUM NIGHT: 18–23.

Visitors can attend the permanent exhibition “Hortus Atleticus” on the 2nd floor for free. In addition, the first floor is displaying a very exclusive exposition on BC Žalgiris from Kaunas. The interactive exhibition “See on ralli!” (“This is Rally!”) lets visitors to try their hand in the profession of car mechanic and learn about rally navigators.

At 20.00 and 21.00, there are tours to the museum depository, where visitors get to see interesting sporting clothes and learn about their deposition conditions. NB! The number of participants is limited!

At 22.00, visitors can play the Sports Museum Night Quiz. Questions of the quiz are presented in words, images and sounds. Everyone is welcome to take part, either alone or in a pair, with a family or group of friends. Prizes for winners, consolation for last places! Please book in advance by e-mail: malumang@spordimuuseum.ee.

KGB CELLS MUSEUM

KGB Cells Museum is situated on Riia Hill in the so-called “grey building” that housed the South Estonian centre and remand prison of the Soviet security services (NKVD/KGB) in the 1940-1950s. Visitors can enter the basement of the building, where political prisoners used to be held.

This is the last chance to see the temporary exhibition “Enn Tarto 80. Vangistuses ja vabaduses” (“Enn Tarto 80. Imprisonment and Freedom”). Throughout his life, Enn Tarto fought for the freedom of Estonia and, in the Soviet period, had to pay dearly for his beliefs and actions. He spent altogether 14 years as a political prisoner in various prison camps.

UNIVERSITY OF TARTU NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM
VANEMUISE 46, TARTU. OPENING HOURS FOR THE MUSEUM NIGHT: 18–23.

The youngest visitors can play fun nature-themed educational games in the children’s corner. Older visitors can learn about the patterns of the animal kingdom and try their skills with a hidden object game that spans the whole museum.

Warm drinks and organic bites are served by Mahekohv Ratastel (Organic Coffee on Wheels). Visitors are welcome to bring their own coffee cups.

UNIVERSITY OF TARTU OLD OBSERVATORY
UPPSALA 8, TARTU. OPENING HOURS FOR THE MUSEUM NIGHT: 18–23.

This year, the Old Observatory focuses on the honeycomb patterns of galaxies! Our curator will explain what the honeycomb structure of galaxies actually means and visitors will be able to admire galactic patterns.

Visitors can also try their hand at making a honeycomb structure for themselves!

The handicraft room is open from 18.00 to 21.00.

In case the weather is clear, there will be astronomical observation at 21.00.

TARTU SONG FESTIVAL MUSEUM
JAAMA 14, TARTU. OPENING HOURS FOR THE MUSEUM NIGHT: 18–23.

The programme will begin at 19.00 with the theatre play “Tsaar Saltaan” (“The Tale of Tsar Saltan”) performed by the Song Festival Museum theatre group, and continues with performances by students of Polygon Theatre School and various mixed choirs from Tartu and Tartu County.

Koidula herself has also promised to drop by.

The Museum Night events take place in the 2nd floor hall and inner yard.
A. LE COQ BEER MUSEUM
LAULUPEO PUIESTEE 15, TARTU

Pre-registered tours to the museum take place on 18 May at 18.00, 19.00, 20.00 and 21.00. Participants will get to visit the exclusive platform at the top of the malt tower. VISIT NEEDS TO BE BOOKED IN ADVANCE. Booking by phone (744 9711) opens on 6 May at 9.00 (max 5 persons in a group).

TARTU CITY MUSEUM
NARVA MAANTEE 23, TARTU. OPENING HOURS FOR THE MUSEUM NIGHT: 18–23.

**18.00–19.30** Art quiz for 3-person teams. To participate, register in advance by e-mail: ants.siim@katarina.ee (and please specify the name of the team). Pre-registration is open until 16 May or until places last! Participation is free.

**20.00–21.00** Guided tours of the Tartu City Museum permanent exhibition „Dorpat. Jurjev. Tartu“.

Visitors can learn about major events in the history of Tartu and life in the past centuries.

UNIVERSITY OF TARTU ART MUSEUM
ÜLIKOOLI 18, TARTU. OPENING HOURS FOR THE MUSEUM NIGHT: 18–22.

This year, the main building of the University of Tartu is examining the patterns of student life! What kinds of misdeeds led students to the lock-up back in the day? What was the longest time that a student had to spend in the lock-up? How did they pass their time there? Come and see for yourself!

The Art Museum exhibitions halls are closed for the Museum Night. The student lock-up can fit approximately 20 visitors at a time; entry by queue.

UNIVERSITY OF TARTU BOTANICAL GARDENS
LAI 38, TARTU. OPENING HOURS FOR THE MUSEUM NIGHT: 18–23.

At **18.00**, a guided tour will lead the visitors on an evening journey into the world of edible plants and exotic tastes. In order to participate, it is necessary to book in advance by phone: 737 6180

**18.00–23.00** – exciting participation game for visitors. Work sheets for the game are provided by the ticket office of the Botanical Gardens.

OSKAR LUTS HOUSE MUSEUM
RIIA 38, TARTU. OPENING HOURS FOR THE MUSEUM NIGHT: 18–23.

Oskar Luts House Museum is presenting literary and artistic patterns. Krista Aru will give the presentation “Suured soojad inimesed: Jannsen, Luts, Peegel” (“Great and Cordial Men: Jannsen, Luts, Peegel”). The artistic part is prepared by Kaire Nurk, an artist from Palamuse and author of many Luts-related collages.

UNIVERSITY OF TARTU MUSEUM
LOSSI 25, TARTU. OPENING HOURS FOR THE MUSEUM NIGHT: 18–23.

Patterns of light in the night! Join us in the University of Tartu Museum and discover the patterns created by light.

**18–23** Exhibition „Mõistatuslik elekter“ (“Enigmatic Electricity”), treasury of the university, office of the Mad Scientist and the White Hall are open for visitors

**18–23** Watching of light patterns with special eyeglasses!

**18–22** Workshop on making a colour spinner

**19.00, 20.00** Experiment of the Mad Scientist

Entry to the observation platform with a ticket only.

K. E. VON BAER HOUSE
VESKI 4, TARTU. OPENING HOURS FOR THE MUSEUM NIGHT: 18–23.

This year, the little-known residence of Karl Ernst von Baer, where the famous natural scientist lived and worked, is open for visitors. Estonian Ornithological Society and Wildlife Estonia will be introducing the patterns of avian and marine life. In the garden, visitors can listen to the sounds of night and children can participate in a treasure hunt.
19TH-CENTURY TARTU CITIZEN’S MUSEUM
JAANI 16, TARTU. OPENING HOURS FOR THE MUSEUM NIGHT: 18–23.
Our doors are open to everyone. The 19th-Century Tartu Citizens Museum is situated near the St. John’s Church, in one of the most distinctive districts of Tartu, built in the early 18th century.

18.00 Lecture “Ajaloolised tapeedid” (“Historical Wallpapers”). Historical wallpaper findings and data collection methods are introduced by Viljar Vissel, representative of NPO Estonian Historical Wallpaper Collection and head of the wood and metal conservation department of the Conservation and Digitization Centre Kanut in the Estonian Open Air Museum.

ESTONIAN PRINT AND PAPER MUSEUM
KASTANI 48F, TARTU. OPENING HOURS FOR THE MUSEUM NIGHT: 18–22.
In the Estonian Print and Paper Museum, visitors can learn about the history of printing and try their hand at Miura paper folding technique for free. For a small fee, it is possible to participate in a workshop on marbling.

ESTONIAN NATIONAL MUSEUM
MUUSEUMI TEE 2, TARTU. OPENING HOURS FOR THE MUSEUM NIGHT: 18–23.
Estonian National Museum focuses on people and patterns. The Museum Night programme features an introduction to tattoo art, a floristry competition, face and body painting, and patterns of the beauty world: henna, artificial nails, haircuts, etc.

NATIONAL ARCHIVES IN TARTU
NOORUSE 3, TARTU. OPENING HOURS FOR THE MUSEUM NIGHT: 18–23.
This year, visitors are invited to attend an escape room that has been set up specifically for the Museum Night. Put your team together and take the challenge. Are you sufficiently familiar with archive patterns to escape the room by your own, or will you need hints to solve the puzzles? NB! To participate in the escape room, the team has to be booked in advance (more information: rahvusarhiiv@ra.ee).

Discover the Estonian landscape patterns and try your hand at piecing together a puzzle made of old maps. The reading hall features the patterns of truth and justice in the old parish courts.

Guided tours at 19.00, 20.00 and 21.00 offer glimpses of biographical patterns.

Younger visitors and art friends can participate in a workshop on making marble-patterned papers.
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TALLINN

18.00 - Guided tours in the old town of Tallinn with students of Gustav Adolf Grammar School. Booking and additional information at www.muuseumiöö.ee/ekskursioonid

18.00 and 20.00 – Russian-language tours in the old town of Tallinn. Guide: Tatjana Shirshova; advance booking opens on 1 May; e-mail: tania.guide.tours@gmail.com

TARTU

19.30 – Guided tour “Ukselt uksele” (“Door to Door”) with students of Tartu Vocational Education Centre. The tour starts in front of Tartu Environmental Education Centre (Lille 10). Dive deep into the portals that your eyes keep yearning for. Take part in the Museum Night tour and experience something new in our familiar city.

Advance booking is required: www.muuseumiöö.ee/ekskursioonid

PÄRNU

21.00 Walking tour “Mustrid tänaval” (“Patterns in the Street”) with Pärnu Tourist Guides Association starts from Pärnu Museum. The tour will look for traces of times past and explain several mysterious patterns in the street pavement.

NARVA

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BUS INFORMATION

On 18 May, there will be several Museum Night bus tours and special bus lines.

LÄÄNE COUNTY

17.00 Departure from Haeska Manor (Haeska, Kiideva, Puise, Panga Centre, Parila, Ridala hill, Asuküla, Mägari, Museum of Coastal Swedes in Haapsalu). The return bus departs at 21.15 from the Museum of Coastal Swedes towards Haeska.


19.00, 20.00 and 21.00 – the bus circles the city. Stops: Museum of Coastal Swedes – Castle Square – Kalda bus stop – Railway Station – Museum of Coastal Swedes.

NB! Seats for Haeska and Võnnu buses need to be booked in advance! Contact: Maire Vilbas, phone: 5068710. The bus has 49 seats.

IDA-VIRU COUNTY

The Museum Night bus tour departs at 14.30 from Narva Language Lyceum (Kangelaste 32) and stops at Vaivara Blue Hills Museum (15.00–15.30), Sillamäe Museum (16.00–17.30), Jõhvi fortified church (18.00–19.30) and Ísaku Parish Museum (20.00–22.00). Book your seat by phone: 56643602 (Anne Nurgamaa)

JÕGEVA COUNTY


The bus departs at 14.00 from Põltsamaa Castle parking lot and returns at approx. 19.00.

Please make sure that you book in advance by e-mail (muuseum@poltsamaa.ee), or phone (5293307 or 7751390)!

VALGA COUNTY

The traditional bus tour, organised by Valga Museum, will depart at 10.00 on 18 May (advance booking required). The bus passes through Parmu Eco-Village, Metsavenna Farm, Æhijärve Visitor Centre and Hallimäe Farm. The bus returns to Valga by approximately 17.00. muuseum@valgamuseum.ee

TARTU

Departures and stops for the bus lines connecting the Estonian National Museum and NOORA building of the National Archives in Tartu.

18.00 - Kaubamaja bus stop - Pauluse - Lembitu - NOORA, Nooruse 3, National Archives


19.00, 20.00, 21.00 and 22.00: Estonian National Museum - Atlantis - (at 19.15, 20.25, 21.15 and 22.15) Kaubamaja - Pauluse - Lembitu - NOORA, Nooruse 3, National Archives

23.00 - NOORA, National Archives, Nooruse 3 – Kaare - Pauluse - Hansakeskus

More bus tours and additional information can be found at the Museum Night website www.muuseumioo.ee/ekskursioonid