

February 28 - March 28 Smetana Days The international festival of classical music. www.smetanovskedny.cz

March 1 – 2 Brewstock The festival of local craft

breweries held in DEPO2015. www.brewstock.cz

March 16

Street Food Market The festival of street food with food trucks offering cuisine from all over the world. www.depo2015.cz

March 29 - 30 BLIK BLIK

The festival of lights brightening Pilsen buildings and parks by video-mapping and light installations. www.depo2015.cz

April 11 - 16

Finále Pilsen The film festival of Czech and Slovak films and documentaries. www.festivalfinale.cz

May 3 – 7

Liberation Festival The festival commemorates the liberation of Pilsen by the US Army in 1945. It includes a rich cultural programme, a convoy of historical military vehicles and military camps. www.slavnostisvobody.cz

May 11 Maiáles

The spring celebration of student life with live music concerts in the Lochotin amphitheatre. www.plzen.majales.cz

May 12 Soup Festival - spring edition The street festival of soups of various tastes and aroma. www.zivaulice.eu

May 17 – 19

Treffpunkt

The festival of Czech -Bavarian cultural cooperation offers interesting events across various genres as well as gastronomy from both sides of the border in the area of DEPO2015. www.treffpunkt.cz

May 18 **Pilsen Yards**

The event is devoted to well-known as well as hidden yards in the centre of the West-Bohemian metropolis. www.plzenskedvorky.cz

May 18 - 19

Fresh Festival The festival of tasty food and good drinks takes place behind the Pilsen Plaza. www.festival.fresh.iprima.cz

May 24

Night of Churches Churches and various places of prayer are opened in the evening time. www.nockostelu.cz

May 31

Pilsen Night of Museums Museums and galleries tours in the unique evening atmosphere. www.zcm.cz

May 31 – Jun 2

Metalfest The festival of metal music in the Lochotín amphitheatre. www.metalfestopenair.cz

June 1 – 2 Dronfest

The largest festival of drones and unmanned aerial vehicles in DEPO2015. www.dronfest.cz

June 28 **Night with Opera**

Julv and August

Urguell Brewery

Summer in the Pilsner

Every Thursday evening

Urguell brewery courtyard.

concerts at the Pilsen

www.prazdrojvisit.cz

The spectacular open-air performance of Nabucco in Lochotin amphitheatre. www.djkt.eu

June 5 – 9

Internationale Folklore Festival CIOFF Pilsen Folklore groups from the Czech Republic and guests from various parts of the world will play, dance and sing in the city centre. www.mffplzen.eu

June 7 – September 29

The exhibition of Bohumil

Gallery of West Bohemia.

www.zpc-galerie.cz

Kubišta and Emil Filla in the

KUBIŠTA – FILLA (Exhibition)

July and August

Summer Baroque Festival Various Baroque sites in the Pilsen region offers authentic barque cultural programme during the summer. www.zapadoceskebaroko.cz

Street theatre performances

festival in the centre of Pilsen.

Gems with the Smell of Petrol

The unique exhibition of

car veterans and collector

vehicles in the DEPO2015.

www.skvosty-plzen.cz

in the traditional open-air

July 15 - 17 **Vivid Street Festival**

www.zivaulice.eu

July 18 - 21

June 7 – 9 **Historical Weekend**

The traditional event offers an evening parade of ghosts, abundant cultural programme and medieval market. www.nadace700.cz

June 16 Magdalena Kožená a Collegium 1704

The concert of the world – class opera singer Magdalena Kožená accompanied by the best Czech ensembles of Baroque Music Collegium 1704. www.mestanska-beseda.cz

June 20 – 21

Gambrinus Dav The city centre transforms into a big beer garden with a rich cultural programme on the occasion of the Gambrinus brewery birthday. www.gambrinus.cz/ gambrinusden

August 9 – 18 Vivid Street Festival The multi-genre open air annually festival offers a free music programme on several stages in the city centre.

www.zivaulice.eu

www.visitpilsen.eu

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Sportmanie The biggest sports event for public offering various sport activities. www.plzen.eu

August 17 - 25

Theatre Festival

Czech Republic.

One of the most important

theatre festivals in the

www.festivaldivadlo.cz

The interactive exhibition

will change the city centre

into a scientific laboratory.

www.dnyvedy.zcu.cz

September 20 - 21

microbreweries one can taste hundreds of various

Republic and abroad.

www.slunceveskle.cz

September 20 - 21

Book World in Pilsen

The international book

fair and literary festival

The spectacular celebration of the first batch of the

famous lager Pilsner Urquell

offers a rich music show at

the brewery courtyard.

www.pilsnerfest.cz

held in the DEPO2015.

www.svetknihy.cz

October 5

Pilsner Fest

kinds of beer from the Czech

At the festival of

Sun in Glass

September 13 - 14

Davs of Science

and Technology

September 1 Soup Festival The street festival of soups of various tastes and aroma.

www.zivaulice.eu September 11 – 19 International

November 16 **The Night of Theatres** Non-traditional afternoon and night tours of the J. K. Tyl Theatre and Alfa Theatre. www.djkt.eu www.djvadloalfa.cz

October 28

Street Food Market

www.depo2015.cz

November 15 – 17

Pilsen Design Week

and young designers.

www.depo2015.cz

The festival of street food

cuisine from all over the world.

The design festival presenting

well-know as well as starting

with food trucks offering

ADVENT IN PILSEN

November 23 – December 23 Christmas Market with music programme.

December 1 The official Christmas tree lighting at the Republic Square.

December 11 The public singing of carols at the Republic Square.

January 1 2020

The traditional New Year fireworks at the Republic Square.

CRAFTS MARKETS

Crafts Markets The traditional markets held at the Republic Square several times a year.

Farmer Markets at the Republic Square (in the season every Saturday from 8–12 a.m., starts March 23)

PREMIERS IN J. K. TYL THEATRE IN PILSEN

January 12

Ballet – The House of Bernarda Alba The House of Bernarda Alba is the top work of the Spanish playwright Federico Garcia Lorca.

February 2 Opera – The Merry Widow

The Merry Widow was the first Lehár's global success. Without exaggeration, it can be said that every music number in this operetta is a little musical iewel.

March 9 Opera – Idomeneo

Premiered in 1781, Mozart's Idomeneo opens a number of the composer's masterpieces.

March 16 Ballet – The Red and The Black Story of ambitious Julian Sorel, considering the red colour of a military uniform.

April 13 **Opera – Iris** Pietro Mascagni is known to opera lovers mainly for his opera Cavalleria Rusticana.

June 8

Opera – The Cunning Peasant In Antonín Dvořák's opera work, his fifth opera The Cunning Peasant belongs to the wrongly neglected ones today.

September 7 Ballet – Bougoet

A perfect choice for the intimate space of the Black Box, that is the new choreographic production of selected ballads by Karel Jaromír Erben.

October 5

Opera – The Blabbing Slug An opera for both small and big children. A singleact opera drawing on the wisdom of East Asian tales.

November 16

Balet – The Corsair The romantic story based on Lord Gordon Byron's poetic tale is the composer's Adolphe Charles Adam last balletpantomime opus.

For more information go to www.djkt.eu



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