



INTERNATIONAL
**PUPPET
THEATRE
FESTIVAL**

PROGRAMME

Zagreb, Sept. **12th** to **18th**, 2025

Thursday, September 11th

- 18.00 h** KUC Travno Opening of the exhibition **PUPPET, MASK... PIF***, 13th art competition for children
- 19.00 h** KUC Travno **Book presentation: BIG DREAM, LITTLE MOUSE***, author: Ljerka Puhec

Friday, September 12th

- 18.00 h** UVO Gallery **Opening of the exhibition: PUPPETS FROM FLUID HANDS***, exhibition of puppets and sets, Luči Vidanović
- 20.00 h** KUC Travno **GRAND OPENING OF THE 58th PIF** (*invitation only*)
ADOG IS NOT JUST AN ANIMAL, Split City Puppet Theatre, Croatia (*for adults*)

Saturday, September 13th

- 11.00 h** Tkalčićeva Street, Ban Jelačić Square, Cvjetni Square, Zrinjevac Square
PIFKO'S PROCESSION* (*children and adults*)
- 11.00 and 13.00 h** KIC **WOODS**, Puzzle Théâtre, Canada (*4+*)
- 16.00 h** KUC Travno, park **FROM ROD TO PUPPET***, puppetry workshop (*for teachers*)
- 17.00 h** Zrinjevac Pavillion **LITTLE PUPPETEERS ON 58th PIF: SLIPPER PUSSY***, Creative Academy of the Cultural Center Crystal Cube of Serenity, Sisak (*for children*)
- 18.00 h** KUC Travno **HANDS THE SIZE OF A WALLNUT**, Karol Spišák's Old Theatre in Nitra, Slovakia (*12+*)
- 18.00 h** Zrinjevac Pavillion **SLEEPWALKERS***, Perlice Puppetry Studio, Sisak, Croatia (*5+*)
- 20.00 h** KIC **PRELUDE ON THE SEA***, puppetry film premiere, Studio Aristo, Austria (*13+*)

Sunday, September 14th

- 11.00 and 13.00 h** KIC **HANGING BY A THREAD**, Di Filippo Marionette, Italy (*for children and adults*)
- 16.00 h** KUC Travno, park **RAG PUPPET***, puppetry workshop (*for elderly*)

- 17.00 h** Zrinjevac Pavillion **LITTLE SPARROW***, LET Theatre, Croatia (5+)
- 17.00 h** ZKM, Polanec **RED BALLOON**, Naive Theatre Liberec, Czechia (3+)
- 18.00 h** Zrinjevac Pavillion **THE GRASSHOPPER AND THE ANT***, Max Theatre, Croatia (4+)
- 18.30 h** ZKL **UTOPIA**, Mostar Puppet Theatre, Bosnia and Herzegovina (10+)
- 20.00 h** ZPC **NAMELESS/UNKNOWN**, Borders Foundation, Poland (*for adults*)

Monday, September 15th

- 9.30 h** Travno Kindergarten **HOPPY FROGGY***, puppetry workshop (*for Travno Kindergarten children*)
- 14.30 h** Potočnica Kindergarten **HOPPY FROGGY***, puppetry workshop (*for Potočnica Kindergarten Children*)
- 17.00 h** KUC Travno, park **KUTHI**, Tricktrek Theatre, Estonia (6+)
- 18.00 h** KUC Travno **BEAR AND PIGGY**, Ljubljana Puppet Theatre, Slovenia (3+)
- 19.00 h** Mamutica plateau **THE WHITE LADY***, Deraïdenz, France (*for children and adults*)
- 20.00 h** ZPC **ANTUCO**, Silencio Blanco, Chile (*for adults*)

Tuesday, September 16th

- 9.30 h** KUC Travno, park **STICK PUPPETS***, puppetry workshop (*for Malešnica Elementary School children*)
- 11.00 h** KUC Travno **SNOWWHITE AND THE DWARF**, Vinkovci City Puppet Theatre, Croatia (6+)
- 12.30 h** KUC Travno, park **STICK PUPPETS***, puppetry workshop (*for Malešnica Elementary School children*)
- 17.00 and 20.00 h** ZPC **TRANSPORT: CARGO**, Maribor Puppet Theatre, Slovenia (*for adults*)

- 17.00 h** Mamutica plateau **LITTLE PUPPETEERS AT 58th PIF: PURGERNJAK, THE GOOD SPIRIT OF ZAGREB***, Fran Galović Elementary School, Little Puppeteers puppetry group (*for children*)
- 17.30 h** Mamutica plateau **LITTLE PUPPETEERS AT 58th PIF: THE BEAUTY OF THE SEABED***, Josip Račić Elementary School, 5.b class puppetry group (*for children*)
- 18.00 h** KIC **CLICK**, Trukitrek, Ciutadella de Menorca, Spain (*for adults*)
- 18.00 h** KUC Travno, park **FAIRY JOYCYCLE***, Malle-malle Puppet Theatre, Bulgaria (*4+*)
- 18.30 h** ZKM, Polanec **LITTLE PUPPETEERS AT 58th PIF*: LIVE FROM OLYMPUS***, Puppetry Studio of the Zagreb Youth Theatre College, P2 group

Wednesday, September 17th

- 11.00 h** KUC Travno **THE PLACE WHERE LAVANDU-LILILI GROWS**, Zadar Puppet Theatre, Croatia (*7+*)
- 12.00 h** KUC Travno Books presentation: Vahid Duraković, **DRAMATURGY OF EUROPEAN PUPPETRY (FRAGMENTS)**; Maja Verdonik, **THE REVUES OF PUPPET THEATRES IN RIJEKA, 1996 – 2024**; Igor Tretinjak, **SPACE OF UNDERUTILIZED FREEDOM – ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF PUPPETRY FOR ADULTS IN CROATIA**; Hicela Ivon, **ODE TO THE MOON PUPPET**; Zdenka Đerđ, **DIRECTORS' AESTHETICS OF THE CROATIAN PUPPETRY SCENE**; (*for adults*)
- 17.00 h** KUC Travno, park **FAIRY JOYCYCLE***, Malle-malle Puppet Theatre, Bulgaria (*4+*)
- 18.00 h** KUC Travno, park **THE GRASSHOPPER AND THE ANT***, Max Theatre, Croatia (*4+*)
- 20.00 h** ZKL **CRIME AND PUNISHMENT**, Youth Theatre, Novi Sad, Serbia (*for adults*)

Thursday, September, 18th

11.00 h KUC Travno **FOUR MIRACULOUS ACCIDENTS**,
Branko Mihaljević Children's Theatre in Osijek,
Croatia (5+)

20.00 h KUC Travno **AWARD CEREMONY AND CLOSING
CEREMONY OF THE 58th PIF**
THE NEXT GENERATION, performance by
students of the Academy of Arts and Culture in
Osijek: **GAPITOKIO*** (4+)

* accompanying programme - not in official competition

The Organiser reserves the right to implement changes to the programme.
All changes will be available on www.pif.hr and Facebook page of the Festival.

PROGRAMME VENUES

KUC Travno	Kulturni centar Travno/ Cultural Centre Travno 17, Božidara Magovca Str., Zagreb
ZPC	Zagrebački plesni centar / Zagreb Dance Centre 10, Ilica Str., Zagreb
ZKL	Zagrebačko kazalište lutaka / Zagreb Puppet Theatre 19, Kralj Tomislav Square, Zagreb
ZKM, Polanec	Zagrebačko kazalište mladih / ZKM Theatre 7, Teslina Str., Zagreb
KIC	Kulturno informativni centar / Cultural Inform. Centre 5, Preradovićeve Str., Zagreb
Travno Kindergarten	Dječji vrtić Travno, 12, Kopernikova Str., Zagreb
Potočnica Kindergarten	Dječji vrtić Potočnica 18, Grada Vukovara Str., Zagreb
Zrinjevac pavillion	Glazbeni paviljon Zrinjevac / Music Pavillion Zrinjevac
Mamutica plateau	plato Mamutice, Travno Plateau of Mamutica Building



FESTIVAL ORGANIZER

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