

Calendar of events

June 2026

More information about the events is available at:

[Krakow Tourism](#)



27th Krakow Opera Summer Festival

22 May–16 August 2026

Krakow Opera, ul. Lubicz 48, Wawel Royal Castle, Wawel 5, Botanical Garden, ul. Kopernika 27

The opera season began back in May with the premiere of Johann Strauss II's operetta *Viennese Blood*. In June, the festival will return to its royal location: the Wawel arcade courtyard will be taken over by *Aida* (note: Aleksandra Kurzak in the title role!), *Tosca*, *Bona Sforza* and *Nabucco* (shown for the first time off-stage in ul. Lubicz 48).

Amidst the greenery of the Botanical Garden, the *New York Music Show* will resound, featuring hit musicals and American pop music from the 1950s and 1960s. Dance lovers will get to see *Carmen's Love Affairs* and *Romeo and Juliet* (the latter performed by the guest Ballet Ensemble of the Plovdiv Opera House). The youngest children will meet the *Ghost at the Opera*, as well as *Professor Violink and the Dragon Bemolus*. In July, we'll get caught up in small-town intrigue in *The Thieving Magpie*, and in the festival's August finale, we'll be entertained by ball masks and fancy dress in *The Revenge of the Bat* (*Die Fledermaus*).

Organised by: Krakow Opera

Read more: <https://opera.krakow.pl/z-duma-oglaszamy-harmonogram-27-letniego-festiwalu-opery-krakowskiej>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



**Workshop on decorating Krakow traditional costumes using the
'szamerowanie' technique**

2, 16, 30 June 2026, 5:00 p.m.

**Centre for the Interpretation of the Intangible Heritage of Krakow
(House under the Cross), ul. Szpitalna 21**

The Krakow Museum invites you to a workshop on decorating Krakow costumes using the 'szamerowanie' (decorative loop-and-knot garment closure) technique at the House under the Cross (Centre for the Interpretation of the Intangible Heritage of Krakow), ul. Szpitalna 21. Workshops for both beginners and advanced learners will be conducted by the creator of the 'Krakow Costume Workshop' project, who runs workshops on sewing and embroidering Krakow costumes.

Duration: 5:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m.

Organised by: Museum of Krakow

Read more: <https://muzeumkrakowa.pl/kalendarium/warsztaty-ozdabiania-stroju-krakowskiego-technika-szamerowania-1>

Source: materials of the organiser



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Małe TGD (Little TGD) – Children's Day concert

3 June 2026, 5:00 p.m.

Ruczaj Centre, ul. Jana Kantego Przyzby 10A

Little TGD is a children's group that has won the hearts of children and parents with its songs and energy. These are energetic and catchy songs, written especially for the little ones, but dressed in fresh and trendy sounds. Add to this the light-hearted, at times hilarious, yet deep and valuable lyrics. This is how Little TGD can boast the hundreds of millions of plays that their songs reach on the internet.

It is hard to find a similar group on the Polish market. Little TGD has managed to successfully combine childlike sincerity and naturalness with electronic, pop productions from top producers.

Little TGD is a group of friends and a harmonious musical team, united by unique voices, interesting characters and, above all, a common passion. The band performs live and every performance is like a real Children's Day! Little TGD's concerts provide not only a large dose of good music with a message, but much, much more. It's a great opportunity for fun, emotion, moments of reflection and creating unforgettable memories for the whole family!

Organised by: Podgórze Cultural Centre, Ruczaj Centre

Read more: <https://www.ckpodgorza.pl/oferta/wydarzenie/koncert-male-tgd>

Source: materials of the organiser



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IMPACT 2026

03 June 2026, 8:00 p.m.

TAURON Arena Krakow, ul. Stanisława Lema 7

After a gap of several years, IMPACT returns to the concert map of Poland - a cult event that for years had attracted thousands of fans of powerful sounds.

In 2026, the event will again take place at TAURON Arena Krakow and the first confirmed band is LIMP BIZKIT.

Impact has hosted some of the biggest names in global rock and metal over the years, including Black Sabbath, Tool, Rammstein and Slipknot.

After years of absence, Impact is returning to Krakow, once again taking its place in the calendar of the most important music events in Poland.

Organised by: Live Nation

Read more: <https://www.tauronarenakrakow.pl/event/impact-2026/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



American Beauty – a Correction

4–7 June 2026, 7:00 p.m.

BARAKAH Theatre , ul. Paulińska 28

What is 'American Beauty – a Correction' about? About a mid-life crisis? About life in the suburbs? About the search for authenticity? About stereotypes?

The performance, based on a script by Simon King, confronts Sam Mendes' film by applying new filters to it. The first is the contemporary perspective and the world in which we see what our unreflective adoption of American culture with all its glories and shadows has led us to. The second is a critical approach to the patterns of romantic relationships that still affect our imagination, even though they can prove dangerous and lead to real dramas. The third is the absurdity and grotesqueness of the 'American Dream', evident when we take a closer look. You can feel it in the language the characters speak. Time and again, from beneath ordinary, everyday situations, a different, decidedly more bleak reality shines through. How true has the promise of freedom that suburban homes sell us turned out to be?

The title of the play refers to a critical revision of the fate of the heroes and heroines. We ask which elements of Mendes' film have remained relevant and which have not stood the test of time.

Organised by: BARAKAH Theatre

Read more: <https://teatrbarakah.com/spektakle/american-beauty-sprostowanie/>

Source: materials of the organiser



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GRAND DRAGON PARADE 2026

06-07 June 2026

Rynek Główny in Krakow, H. Jordan Park, Vistula Boulevard

The Grand Dragon Parade is one of the most spectacular events in Krakow, attracting crowds of residents and tourists every year. More than a thousand children from all over Poland create and animate giant, four-metre-high dragons, competing for the title of the most beautiful.

The colourful procession makes its way through the historic streets of the Old Town, accompanied by music and dragon roars. It is accompanied by dancers, orchestras, drummers, stilt walkers and jugglers, creating an unforgettable fairytale spectacle.

This is an annual festival organised by the Groteska Theatre, which aims to revive the legend of the Wawel Dragon and promote creativity among children, young people and adults. The event combines elements of art, theatre, music and tradition to create an amazing show full of colour and fantasy.

The Grand Dragon Parade is a unique combination of culture, tradition and art. This is an opportunity to learn about Krakow's legends and feel the magical atmosphere of the city. The creative giant dragons impress with their ingenuity and the numerous attractions provide entertainment for all - from shows to interactive games. During the festival, it is worth visiting Wawel Castle and the Dragon's Den, strolling around Rynek Główny or visiting Krakow's museums and galleries. Highlights include the record-breaking 30-metre dragons, the international nature of the event and the eco-friendly approach of the creators, who often use recycled materials.

Organised by: Grand Dragon Parade

Read more: <https://paradasmokow.pl/>, [25. Wielka Parada Smoków](#)

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



Bring Me The Horizon + Knocked Loose

09 June 2026, 7:30 p.m.

TAURON Arena Krakow, ul. Stanisława Lema 7

They started out as teenagers hungry for deathcore extremes. Over time, they began to explore other means of expression, enriching their approach to metalcore with other genre tropes. Later, they began flirting with alternative rock or pop until they found themselves at the very top. Bring Me the Horizon tops the list of the most important and intriguing groups of this century.

The evening will be opened by hardcore rockers Knocked Loose, who have jumped into the genre's premier league in recent years and we doubt anyone is going to push them out of there. They have such heavy breakdowns and such meaty riffs that there is no mercy. The group is currently promoting its latest album 'You Won't Go Before You're Supposed To'.

They have gone through many stylistic, image and thematic changes - but they have never lost their identity. Bring Me the Horizon is an institution today. Regardless of what they are playing, we think of them as cross-genre, because they are at home in both metalcore and radio pop. Krakow - get ready for an unforgettable evening!

Knocked Loose have no mercy on listeners. They blow with powerful breakdowns, beatdown transitions from hell and riffs in the best metal/hardcore tradition. With these qualities and a ton of charisma they have reached very high, and will reach even higher.

Organised by: Knock Out Productions

Read more: <https://www.tauronarenakrakow.pl/event/bring-me-the-horizon-knocked-loose/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



'Aladdin Jr.' – a musical by the Krakow Musical Academy

9, 10 June 2026, 9.00 a.m./ 11.30 a.m./ 7:00 p.m.

Nowa Huta Cultural Centre, al. Jana Pawła II 232

The 1992 Broadway adaptation of the Walt Disney Company's Oscar-winning animated film is based on 'Tales from 1001 Nights', also known as 'The Tales of Scheherazade'. The filmmakers have modernised the message of this classic story by attributing motivations to the characters that are closer to the contemporary young audience. The strengths of the uplifting and entertaining show are Alan Menken's melodic songs and the timeless message that, despite all the temptations of fate, it is always worthwhile to remain yourself – even though it is not always easy.

Organised by: Krakow Musical Academy

Read more: <https://nck.krakow.pl/aladyn-jr-musical-krakowskiej-akademii-musicalu/>

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Wodecki Twist Festival

10–14 June 2026

various locations

A star-studded 'Only in the Cinema' gala, a jazz performance by Kayah and close-to-the-public chamber concerts will make up the programme of the 9th edition of WODECKI TWIST, which brings back memories and the timeless quality of music.

Zbigniew Wodecki was an extremely versatile artist; he sang film songs, lent his voice to animation characters, but above all composed unforgettable melodies. One of them is in the song 'Only in the Cinema' – and this is what this year's gala concert is centred around. There are also wise words in it about how much we need an escape from the everyday in life. On 14 June, the ICE Krakow Congress Centre will play audience-loved songs, many of which have had major and minor film roles. Natalia Muianga, Reni Jusis, Natalia Przybysz, Olga Szomańska, Aleksander Dębicz, Krzysztof Iwaneczko, Mietek Szcześniak will perform. This evening's concert soloists will be accompanied by the well-known and much-loved Tomasz Szymusia Orchestra.

Organised by: Zbigniew Wodecki Foundation

Read more: <https://wodeckitwistfestiwal.pl/>

Source: materials of the organiser



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Lajkonik Parade

11 June 2026, 12:30 p.m.

Start from the headquarters of the City of Krakow Waterworks, ul.

Senatorska 1

Join us for the traditional Lajkonik Parade!

The Lajkonik Parade is one of Krakow's oldest and most beautiful traditions, which has attracted crowds of spectators for several centuries. It is also one of several Krakow phenomena included on the National List of Intangible Cultural Heritage. Every year on the first Thursday after Corpus Christi, a colourful procession of swordsmen and Tartars led by a rider on an artificial horse travels from Zwierzyniec to the Market Square to the rhythm of Cracovian melodies. Each spectator waits to be hit with a mace from the Lajkonik, which is supposed to bring good luck for the whole of the following year.

Organised by: Museum

Read more: <https://muzeumkrakowa.pl/kalendarium/pochod-lajkonika-2026>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



THE PANTHER FROM TINDER – a dramatic comedy

11 and 19 June 2026, 7:00 p.m.

PRASKA 52 THEATRE, ul. Praska 52

An intimate, two-person comedy-drama about 'love' at first sight, this is the story of a man and a woman in the throes of loneliness. About leaving feelings for the very end, and the closer we get to the end, the further we get to happiness. In exclusive flats, with very satisfactory bank accounts, we remain homeless and poor because we are deprived of intimacy. But why grievances when there are websites – in this case dating sites. Our protagonists have lucrative professions, but their main profession is that of love, hence the need to find partners, i.e. a second, third or perhaps fourth chance ... A table, two chairs, café twilight and two people: great excitement in an intimate setting. As sad as the above words may seem, we invite you to a comedy, and this one is bound to end well. Will our heroes find another chance at love? You'll find out by giving yourself the chance to see the latest play by Jan Jakub Należyty (author of, among other works, the comedy 'My Wife's Fiancé').

'The Panther from Tinder' is a play written especially for the Praska 52 Theatre!

Organised by: Podgórze Cultural Centre, Praska 52 Theatre

Read more: <https://www.ckpodgorza.pl/oferta/wydarzenie/pantera-z-tindera-prapremiera>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



'Misery' – a spectacle

16 June 2026, 7:00 p.m.

BARAKAH Theatre , ul. Paulińska 28

"I am your number one fan. Yes, I certainly am. And believe me, there is no other like it."

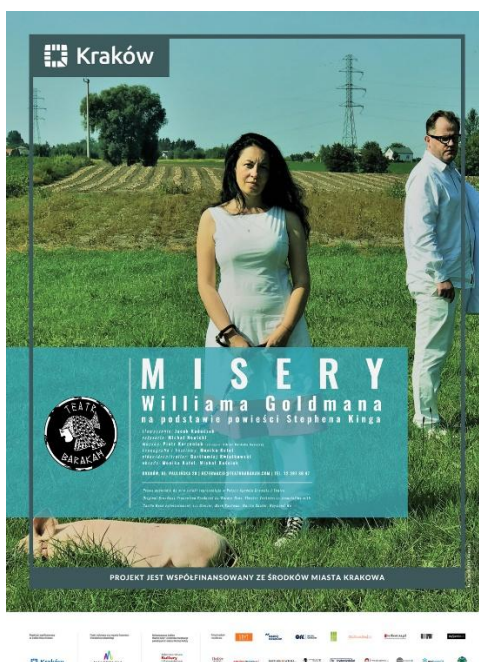
Injured in an accident, the author of a popular series of romances is rescued by a woman living in a remote area. Her care and concern ends when she reads the typescript of his new novel ... BARAKAH's creators have brought Stephen King's cult psychological thriller "Misery" to the theatre stage.

They've moved the story from the 1980s to the present day – a 21st-century world full of online abuse, harassment and stalkers, because these days, after all, any one of us could have a creepy fan. Art is no longer just about content and form, but about its reception. Viewers interpret works of art through the lens of their emotions, pushing their interpretations to the limits of the absurd; as a result, there are many interpretations, but are they all safe? Is there a limit to interpretation at all, and when does the viewer cross it, embarking on a risky path of frantic loss of a sense of reality? Where does art end and life begin, where does life end and art begin? Does such a distinction still exist? And should we really take everything so seriously?

Organised by: BARAKAH Theatre, City of Krakow

Read more: <https://teatrbarakah.com/spektakle/misery-spektakl/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



The finale of the 18th Enchanted Song Festival 2026

13, 14 June 2026, 6:00 p.m./ 8:00 p.m.

Rynek Główny in Krakow

Krakow's Rynek Główny will become a venue for musical meetings and concerts for two days. On 13 and 14 June, the finale of the 18th Enchanted Song Festival will take place. Finalists from all over Poland and well-known artists will appear on stage. Admission is free.

Twelve finalists of this year's festival will arrive in Krakow in early June. Participants from different parts of the country will take part in a week-long vocal workshop led by professional singing teachers. These will precede the finale performances in Rynek Główny. Saturday's finale concert will begin at 6.00 p.m. The performing finalists will be accompanied on stage by Alicja Majewska, Julia Pietrucha, Kaśka Sochacka, Krzysztof Cugowski, Ralph Kaminski and Igo. The finale concert will be hosted by Anna Dymna, Mateusz Janicki and Maciej Musiał.

On the second day, the concert 'Hope in spite of Everything' will begin at 8.00 p.m. The event will focus on the problem of addiction for people with disabilities and their small and large victories over addiction. Its artistic part will include Joanna Kulig, Maciej Balcar and the festival finalists. The concert will be hosted by Anna Dymna and Ireneusz Czop.

Admission to both events will be free.

Organised by: Anna Dymna's Mimo Wszystko Foundation

Read more: <https://mimowszystko.org/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



Prince Joseph Street (ulica Księcia Józefa) Festival

13 June 2026, 12:30 p.m.

Thesaurus Cracoviensis, ul. Księcia Józefa 337

The Krakow Museum invites you to the Prince Joseph Street Festival.

Prince Joseph Street is the second longest street in Krakow, stretching 8 kilometres. Its history dates back to the Middle Ages, when, as a route along the Vistula, it connected the Norbertine convent with Oświęcim, running through Przegorzały and Bielany.

During this year's Krakow Museum event 'The Prince Joseph Street Festival', numerous historical, family and outdoor attractions will await participants, including a tour of the Thesaurus Cracoviensis branch, a performance by the Cracovia Danza Court Ballet and a meeting with the figure of Prince Józef Poniatowski with a display of period militaria. There will also be inflatables, face painting, outdoor fitness, a chess tournament, fire brigade demonstrations and a shelter dog adoption event for families. In the evening, the event will conclude with a dance in Bielany, and throughout the day there will be food areas, a photo booth and a museum gift shop.

Organised by: Thesaurus Cracoviensis, a division of the Krakow Museum

Read more: <https://muzeumkrakowa.pl/kalendarium/swieto-ulicy-ksiecia-jozefa>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



EtnoKrakow / Crossroads 2026

13–28 June 2026

Strefa Nowa, ul. Kopernika 19, Wesola Immersive, ul. Kopernika 17a,
Łąka na Wesolej, ul. Kopernika 19, Radio Krakow, al. Słowackiego 22,
Bulwary Wiślane

The musical landscape of the 28th edition of EtnoKrakow/Crossroads 2026 and the events accompanying the festival includes artists from Poland, the UK, Estonia, Ukraine, Hungary, Senegal, Syria, Palestine and Burkina Faso. A celebration of ethnic music, featuring nearly 100 artists from 10 countries, with events taking place in unique venues across the Wesola creative district: at the Strefa Nowa concert hall, in the Wesola Immersive spaces, on the Łąka na Wesolej, as well as at Radio Krakow's Romana Bobrowska Concert Studio, as well as in the hall of Krakow's Historic Railway Station and on Poleski Boulevard by the Vistula. Outdoor concerts, chamber concerts, Dance Nights, Song Night, music workshops and gatherings, craft workshops.

Organised by: Rozstaje Association

Read more: <http://www.etnokrakow.pl/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



Theatre Night 2026

13 June 2026

various locations

We would like to invite you to the 19th edition of Theatre Night, which will take place on 13 June and will once again turn Krakow into a great stage full of performances, outdoor events and meetings with artists. The programme will include performances by institutional and independent theatres, as well as shows taking place in unusual urban spaces. Participants will be able to take a peek behind the scenes of the theatres, take part in meetings with artists and discover places that are not normally accessible to the public. This year's edition will include dozens of artistic and outdoor events organised in different parts of the city. Theatre Night is part of the Krakow Nights series and has been one of Krakow's most important cultural events for years.

Organised by: Culture Department of the City of Krakow and Krakow theatres

Read more: [the 19th edition of the 2026 Theatre Night will take place on 13 June - Official City Service - Magical Krakow](#)

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



Persona K2

14 June, 7:00 p.m.

BARAKAH Theatre , ul. Paulińska 28

According to Carl Gustav Jung, the 'persona' is our second self created for others in order to satisfy their expectations. Hiding behind it is the 'shadow' – our dark temptations and evil inclinations. The 'K2' of the title symbolises two women: a mother and a daughter whose relationship goes beyond the limits of realism. In the performance, the actresses embody – and therefore PERSONIFY – the characters of the Mother and the Daughter, based on the Jungian notion of the PERSONA and its SHADOW.

The play draws inspiration from Ingmar Bergman's emotion-filled landscapes in films such as “Persona” and “Autumn Sonata”, creating new, suspenseful interpretations.

Organised by: BARAKAH Theatre, City of Krakow

Read more: <https://teatrbarakah.com/spektakle/persona-k2/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



Lost Generation: The Offspring + Papa Roach, The Rasmus, Hollywood Undead and Lagwagon

16 June 2026, 7:00 p.m.

TAURON Arena Krakow, ul. Stanisława Lema 7

We are a lost generation, but we have each other and our music. On 16 June 2026, we will be transported back to the late 1990s and early 2000s - The Offspring, Papa Roach, The Rasmus, Hollywood Undead and Lagwagon will perform at Krakow's TAURON Arena.

The turn of the century was a time of chaos and, at the same time, an era of artistic flourishing for the underground, which took over the mainstream. Punk, rap, nu-metal, grunge, indie rock - they all dominated the airwaves of MTV and radio stations, spun in discmen, circulated in MP3 format, pumped adrenaline into our veins on game soundtracks. It was our perfect soundtrack to trample the millennium bug with a heavy boot. Lost Generation is a return to a time when music was not listened to, but lived, because it defined both individuals and an entire generation.

Organised by: Knock Out Productions

Read more: https://www.tauronarenakrakow.pl/event/lost-generation_the-offspring-2025/

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



Curator-led tour of the Hotel Forum exhibition

17 June 2026, 5:30 p.m.

Podgórze Museum, ul. Bolesława Limanowskiego 51

Expressive in its architectural form, an outstanding example of Brutalism, a reinforced concrete dominant presence in the landscape of the once intimate Ludwinów. The Forum Hotel was not lucky with the times, although it was lucky with the people – with a staff of more than 600 for whom it was more than a place to work – it was a home with windows wide open to the Western world.

The Forum Hotel is not a grateful object of study. Its history is scattered and incomplete. The plans for the building remain in private hands and the archives of the factories that produced the hotel's equipment no longer exist. Although there is a company archive of Budopol in the National Archives in Krakow, it only contains documents from the first year of the hotel's construction. Thanks to the foresight of the technical staff, photocopies of several key administrative documents, such as the decision to build the Kongresowy Hotel and descriptive sections of technical documentation from the architectural design, have been preserved. To find out more, join us for a curatorial tour of the exhibition.

Organised by: Museum of Krakow

Read more: <https://muzeumkrakowa.pl/kalendarium/oprowadzanie-kuratorskie-po-wystawie-hotel-forum>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



Seifert Competition 2026

18–20 June 2026

Cricoteka Centre for the Documentation of the Art of Tadeusz Kantor,
ul. Nadwiślańska 2

Between 18 and 20 June, the 7th edition of the Seifert Competition, a competition for young jazz musicians, will take place at Cricoteka in Krakow. The event is a tribute to the eminent violinist Zbigniew Seifert and an opportunity to follow the exciting live performances of artists from around the world.

The Seifert Competition is the only event in the world dedicated to improvising string musicians – violinists, violists and cellists. For more than a decade, it has attracted artists from all over the world, from Brazil to Japan, becoming a place where new personalities of the jazz scene are born. Prize winners include Bartosz Dworak, Mateusz Smoczyński, Stanisław Słowiński, Mario Forte, Kacper Malisz and Anaïs Drago. During the 7th edition of the competition, the audience will have the opportunity to follow the birth of further personalities of the improvisational scene.

Organised by: Zbigniew Seifert Foundation

Read more: <https://seifertcompetition.com/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



Doja Cat

Ma Vie World Tour

19 June 2026, 6:00 p.m.

TAURON Arena Krakow, ul. Stanisława Lema 7

The tour promotes the artist's fifth studio album, *Vie* (Kemosabe Records / RCA Records), released on 26 September 2025. Doja Cat has also unveiled the music video for new track 'Gorgeous'.

GRAMMY Award winner and global superstar Doja Cat made her SoundCloud debut in 2013, aged just 16. Growing up in Los Angeles, she developed an interest in the arts and developed a talent for music, learning piano and dance as a child and being inspired by artists such as Busta Rhymes, Erykah Badu, Nicki Minaj, Drake and many others. In 2014, she signed with Kemosabe/RCA Records. She released the EP 'Purrr!' and then her debut album *Amala* in spring 2018, but it was the August release of the track 'MOOO!' that brought her into the mainstream and received much critical acclaim.

Doja Cat will release her second GRAMMY-nominated platinum album *Hot Pink* in November 2019. The release was met with great critical acclaim and has amassed more than 7 billion streams worldwide. The album includes, among others, 'Streets' - the viral hit that became the backing track for the 'Silhouette Challenge', one of the biggest trends in TikTok history, and the GRAMMY-nominated No. 1 hit 'Say So', which achieved 6x platinum status in the US (RIAA) and elevated Doja Cat to the global superstar league.

Organised by: Live Nation

Read more: <https://www.tauronarenakrakow.pl/event/doja-cat-2026-2/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



Obwarzanek Day 2026

20 June 2026

Obwarzanek Living Museum , ul. I.Paderewskiego 4

Obwarzanek Day is a celebration organised for the fourth time by the Obwarzanek Living Museum.

The idea behind the day is to emphasise the strong link between the obwarzanek and Krakow and to show locals and tourists that it is much more than just a street snack – it is an important part of the city's local heritage and identity. On that day, we will be treating passers-by with obwarzanki, handing out leaflets and encouraging them to share their love of the obwarzanek on social media with the hashtag #ObwarzanekDay. In addition, anyone who buys an obwarzanek from us or in selected trolleys in Krakow can receive a special commemorative pin designed by illustrator Sylwia Szyrszeń-Jaskierska.

A series of exceptional accompanying events is also planned for the day, which will allow participants to learn even more about the history and tradition of baking the obwarzanek krakowski. The programme includes a guided walk through the city, during which you will be able to discover interesting facts about old Krakow and its bakery heritage. We would also like to invite you to an obwarzanek workshop, where you can make this most characteristic Krakow baked product with your own hands. Art lovers will be treated to a meeting and a joint painting session with Mikołaj Rejs, while those interested in history are invited to a lecture by Dr. Marcin Gadocha on Krakow's bakers and their role in the life of old Krakow.

All events are free and open to residents and tourists.

Organised by: Obwarzanek Living Museum

Read more: <https://www.muzeumobwarzanka.com/obwarzanek-day/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



Bryan Adams: Bare Bones

20 June 2026, 7:30 p.m.

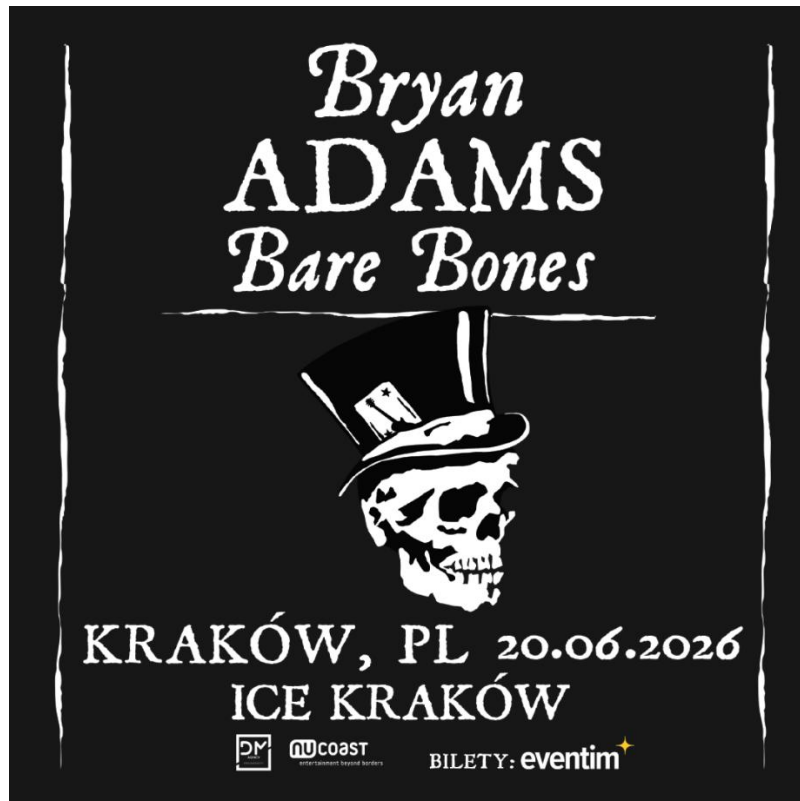
ICE Krakow Congress Centre, ul. Marii Konopnickiej 17

Bryan Adams has been touring the world for more than four decades, reaching the top of the charts in more than 40 countries. His work has earned him numerous awards and accolades, including a Grammy Award, three Oscar nominations and five Golden Globes nominations. In 2024, Adams became an independent artist by founding his own label, BadRecords. Since then, he has released a three-disc box set of recordings from his residency at London's Royal Albert Hall, making a total of six albums in just two years. In August 2024, he released 'Roll With The Punches', his first full-length studio album since 2021's 'So Happy It Hurts'.

Organised by: DM Agency

Read more: <https://icekrakow.pl/kalendarium/bryan-adams-bare-bones>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



Summer Picnic at the Bagry

20 June 2026, 11:00 a.m.

green areas in ul. Kozia

The Podgórze Cultural Centre would like to invite you to the 'Summer at the Bagry' picnic.

The programme includes, among other things, the final of the ITMBW Run to the Bagry competition, relaxation and activity zones for children and parents, creative movement activities and ancient sports games, as well as family carpentry, art, nature and art workshops. There will also be animations and outdoor attractions, including inflatables, soap bubbles, foam throwing, face painting, a climbing wall, a balloon zoo, washable tattoos and jewellery and ornament making workshops.

Free entrance.

Organised by: Podgórze Cultural Centre

Read more: <https://www.ckpodgorza.pl/oferta/wydarzenie/piknik-lato-nad-bagry>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



DJ BoBo

20 June 2026, 8:00 p.m.

TAURON Arena Krakow, ul. Stanisława Lema 7

DJ BoBo returns to Poland in 2026 with a huge, spectacular show that has already won the hearts of fans in Germany! Get ready for an evening full of energy, greatest hits and unforgettable emotions that will light up any arena!

The 1990s was an era in which music legends emerged on the scene, including DJ BoBo, who became the king of dance music. With his unique style and incredible charisma, he quickly became popular all over the world.

DJ BoBo dazzled us with his hits. 'Somebody Dance with Me', 'Love Is All Around' and 'Freedom' are just some of his songs that have become musical anthems. His visually stunning music videos with dance creations remain legendary to this day.

Meet the legend live and be swept away by his unique energy during DJ BoBo's concert.

Organised by: DJ BoBo

Read more: <https://www.tauronarenakrakow.pl/event/dj-bobo-2026/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



WIANKI 2026

20-21 June 2026

Rynek Główny, Vistula Boulevards

This major music festival falls on the summer solstice and is linked to the shortest night of the year. It takes place at the beginning of the summer in a formula reminiscent of the Fête de la Musique (French for 'Festival of Music'), an event during which a variety of music resounds in many corners of the city. Krakow shows that music knows no boundaries, regardless of gender, race, background or worldview. According to Slavic tradition, Kupala Night is the most important time of the year - the moment when nature and man are in full bloom.

Wianki (Wreaths) Music Festival offers a multitude of attractions inspired by Slavic traditions. As every year, participants will weave wreaths together. There will also be workshops and a competition for the most beautiful wreath. In addition, many Krakow institutions have prepared a range of activities. But the main character of the programme will be the Vistula.

The summer solstice, known as the night of Kupala, is a key moment of the year in Slavic tradition, when all of nature - and the human being who is part of it - blossoms fully. The ancient rites and customs were supposed to ensure purification, fertility and good luck for the participants. Herbs and flowers, as well as water, play an important role in this festival. Continuing old traditions, we will meet on the largest of Polish rivers to experience together the shortest night of the year and celebrate the beginning of summer.

Organised by: KBF, Miasto Kraków

Read more: <https://funinpoland.pl/wydarzenia/wianki-swieto-muzyki/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



'MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S SYMPHONY' –

a concert by the St Norbert Cellar

22 June 2026, 7:00 p.m.

Nowa Huta Cultural Centre, Al. Jana Pawła II 232

'The Midsummer Night's Symphony' marks the 34th gathering of artists and audiences – a celebration brimming with emotion, shared memories and joy. It is also an expression of gratitude to the faithful audience and a warm invitation to those who are yet to discover the extraordinary atmosphere of the St. Norbert's Cellar.

Inspired by Midsummer Night, the programme will feature songs, music and poetry rooted in the culture of small homelands. We will hear both well-known and well-loved cellar songs, as well as compositions that build the unique atmosphere of the Krakow art scene.

Organised by: St. Norbert's Cellar Association, Nowa Huta Cultural Centre

Read more: <https://nck.krakow.pl/symfonia-sobotkowej-nocy-koncert-piwnicy-swietego-norberta/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



POP OPERA – FROM OPERA TO MUSICAL

26 June 2026, 7:00 p.m.

ICE Krakow Congress Centre, ul. Marii Konopnickiej 17

Outstanding music theatre and opera soloists will perform on stage, including Marta Śpionek, Angelika Gaj and Krzysztof Knapczyk, who will be accompanied by the excellent BognaBand under the direction of Dr Bogna Dulińska, artists of the Łódź Philharmonic and the Grand Theatre, known for the project 'Royal Concert – Majesty of Classics'.

Audiences will hear works from the repertoire of Verdi, Puccini, Rossini, Lehár, as well as world-renowned musical and popular hits such as Les Misérables, Cats, Fiddler on the Roof, The Beatles, Frank Sinatra and Andrea Bocelli – in original arrangements, often in Polish language versions. The whole will be complemented by choreographic and dance elements and striking visuals.

'Pop Opera' is not just a concert, but a full-fledged musical performance, where the classical meets the modern, and different generations and musical worlds come together in one common experience. There will be no shortage of emotion, humour, audience interaction and Krzysztof Knapczyk's original works.

Organised by: CREATIVE AGENCY BARBARA KNAPCZYK

Read more: <https://icekrakow.pl/kalendarium/pop-opera-od-opery-do-musicalu>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



THE ROYAL CONCERTO – MAJESTY OF THE CLASSICS

27 June 2026, 4:00 p.m.

ICE Krakow Congress Centre, ul. Marii Konopnickiej 17

The programme will feature timeless compositions by masters such as Mozart, Strauss, Beethoven, Brahms, Chopin, Verdi, Puccini, Rossini, Moniuszko and Händel. Audiences will hear rousing waltzes, czardashes and character dances as well as the most famous opera arias, full of emotion, drama and the beauty of the human voice. The whole event will culminate in a joint finale to the sound of the legendary Radetzky March.

The stage will feature the BognaBand Royal Ensemble under the direction of Bogna Dulińska – an ensemble made up of outstanding musicians from the Lodz Philharmonic and the Grand Theatre, known for the 'Royal Concerto – Majesty of the Classics' project. The vocal parts will be performed by the artists of the Maestri di Corte ensemble, including Marta Śpionek and Krzysztof Knapczyk, tenor and actor, soloist of the Music Theatre in Łódź, performing on stages in Poland and abroad.

'The Royal Concerto' is for both classical music lovers and those who are just beginning their adventure with opera and great symphonics. It is an evening of elegance, joy and communal music-making – an event that combines tradition with lively stage energy.

Organised by: Creative Agency Barbara Knapczyk

Read more: <https://icekrakow.pl/kalendarium/koncert-krolewski-majestat-klasyki>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



Kraków Comics Festival 2026

27–28 June 2026

Museum of Comics, ul. Sarego 7/10a,

Bagatela Theatre – Stage in Sarego 7, ul. Sarego 7

The 15th edition of Kraków's comic book festival will take place on the last weekend of June, this time under a new name: the Krakow Comics Festival. The programme of the event includes meetings with authors of comics and books about comics, museum and exhibition curators, art dealers and collectors of comic art.

The festival's guests will include authors of recently published and forthcoming academic books on comics: Prof. Justyna Czaja, Dr. Adam Rusek, Prof. Jerzy Szytak, Patryk Mogielnicki, Daniel Koziarski and Wojciech Obremski. There will be discussions about new Polish comics, by authors including Michał Arkusiński, Karolina Legutko and Marianna Serocka, and about the new anthology Polish Porno Graphics, prepared by Planeta Komiksów.

Organised by: Kraków Comics Festival

Read more: <https://komiks.org.pl/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



Royal Opera Festival 2026

27 June–8 July 2026

Krakow Philharmonic, ul. Zwirzyniecka 1

Krakow Opera House, ul. Lubicz 48

Consulate General of the Republic of Austria in Krakow, ul. Krupnicza 42

This festival is arguably the largest concentration of bel canto in Krakow. The Royal Opera Festival, whose central figure is Gioachino Rossini, will this year feature three operas by the king of 'beautiful singing': the farcical "Opportunity Makes the Thief" (stage version), "Semiramide" with the title role written for Isabella Colbran, the composer's wife and muse (concert version) and the seminal opera "The Thieving Magpie" (stage version), in collaboration with the Krakow Opera Summer Festival). The programme will be rounded off with the "Mass in E flat major" by Franciszek Mirecki, a now-forgotten Polish composer for whom Rossini's Italian comic opera was the supreme ideal throughout his life, and "Marina", Emilia Arrieta's most famous zarzuela, amidst Spanish rhythms that clearly reveal that its author received his musical training in Italy.

Organised by: Passionart Association, Krakow Philharmonic

Read more: <https://royaloperafestival.com/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



31st Summer Jazz Festival Krakow

27 June–31 August 2026

various locations

The festival was founded in 1996 under the name Summer Jazz Festival at Piwnica pod Baranami, when the famous Piwnica pod Baranami (The Cellar Under the Rams) cabaret celebrated its 40th birthday. In addition to cabaret, jazz music also flourished in the Cellar from the beginning. The greatest legends of Polish jazz such as Andrzej Kurylewicz, Wanda Warska, Andrzej Trzaskowski, Jan Ptaszyn Wróblewski, Tomasz Stańko, Wojciech Karolak, Janusz Muniak and Jarek Śmietana are associated with the venue.

Year by year, the festival has expanded its reach, gradually introducing events not only at the Piwnica pod Baranami, but also at other venues – the Krakow Philharmonic, the Krakow Opera, Radio Krakow, the Manggha Centre, ICE Krakow, the Kijów Centre, all of Krakow's jazz clubs and the open-air festival in Krakow's Old Town. Since 2001, an all-day outdoor event called New Orleans Sunday has been held every first Sunday in July with many thousands of spectators attending numerous concerts and the New Orleans Parade.

Since the beginning of the 21st century, the annual 'Jazz Lamb' festival prize has been awarded to legendary Polish jazzmen associated with Krakow. Every few years, new concert cycles are created as part of the festival, such as Solo Piano Week, the Young Stage or Krakow Spiritual Music Days.

In 2019, the festival will change its name to Summer Jazz Festival Krakow.

Organised by: My Polish Heart Foundation, Cracovia Music Agency

Read more: <https://www.summerjazz.pl/>

Source: materials of the organiser



More information about the events is available at: <https://turystykakrakow.pl/>



OneRepublic

30 June 2026, at 20:00

TAURON Arena Krakow, ul. Stanisława Lema 7

Following the huge success of the 'Escape to Europe Tour 2025' and a sold-out show in Łódź, Poland, GRAMMY®-nominated band OneRepublic have announced a new tour - 'From Europe With Love' 2026 - which includes a show in Poland!

The band will return to our country as early as 30 June 2026 to perform at TAURON Arena Krakow. After the huge success of their previous concert in Łódź, the group will once again delight the Polish audience with their energetic show, full of greatest hits and an extraordinary atmosphere.

GRAMMY®-nominated band OneRepublic consists of singer, songwriter and producer Ryan Tedder, guitarists Zach Filkins and Drew Brown, keyboardist Brian Willett, bassist and cellist Brent Kutzle and drummer Eddie Fisher.

Since its debut, the band has amassed more than 5 billion plays on Spotify. Their first album, Dreaming Out Loud (2007), yielded the worldwide hit 'Apologize', which sold more than 20 million copies, breaking digital sales and radio popularity records worldwide and earning the group a GRAMMY® Award nomination.

Organised by: Live Nation

Read more: <https://www.tauronarenakrakow.pl/event/onerepublic-2026/>

Source: materials of the organiser



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