



## THIS MONTH EVENTS

## STAGE

**SNOWED IN!  
 ENGLISH LOVERS  
 CHRISTMAS SPECIAL**

**1.12.**  
 Fresh every night, the city's premier English improv group embarks on a month-long residency for the festival season.  
*Through Dec 21, Drachengasse 1., Drachengasse 2  
 drachengasse.at*

**KÖNIG OTTOKARS GLÜCK  
 UND ENDE**

**12.12.**  
 Franz Grillparzer's famous tale about the rise and fall of the Bohemian king and ruler of Austria is directed by a Czech for the first time. Surtitled in English and Czech.  
*Through Jan 4, Volkstheater 7., Arthur-Schnitzler-Platz 1  
 volkstheater.at*


**THE NUTCRACKER**

**25.12.**  
 A beloved holiday tradition. In its own right, Tchaikovsky's ballet is performed with Rudolf Nureyev's choreography, which adds a psychoanalytical spin on Hoffmann's original story.  
*Through Jan 6, Staatsoper 1., Opernring 2  
 wiener-staatsoper.at*

**TUESDAYS WITH MORRIE**

**28.1.**  
 A humorous and heartwarming account of enduring friendship, based on Mitch Albom's award-winning autobiographical book.  
*Through Mar 2, Vienna's English Theatre 8., Josefgasse 12  
 englishtheatre.at*

## MUSIC


**DORIAN CONCEPT**

**7.12.**  
 Austria's own offbeat electronic musician and composer went stateside to record his latest album, *The Nature of Imitation*, on Flying Lotus' L.A. label Brainfeeder. Hear the record's first live outing in Vienna!  
*19:00, Gartenbaukino 1., Parkring 12  
 gartenbaukino.at*

**ZOOT WOMAN**

**14.1.**  
 Formed in 1990s England, the stylish electro-pop trio returns in force with its fifth studio album, *Absence*.  
*19:00, Fluc 2., Praterstern 5  
 fluc.at*

**THERAPY?**

**31.1.**  
 The brainy Northern Irish alternative rockers return to their roots with their 15th studio album, *Cleave*, a pertinent response to conflict and division and more urgent than ever.  
*19:30, WUK 9., Währinger Straße 56  
 wuk.at*

**NILS FRAHM**

**6.2.**  
 Following the release of *All Melody* earlier in 2018, the ambient, experimental classical pianist is now unveiling five exclusive pieces from the album's recording session in the EP *Encores 1*.  
*20:00, Konzerthaus 3., Lotherringerstraße 20  
 konzertthaus.at*

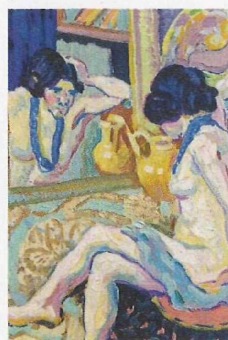
## ART

**INTO THE  
 GREAT OUTDOORS**

**6.12.**  
 Exploring the Biedermeier era, this exhibition looks at its fascination with nature in depictions of the pastoral from Waldmüller to Schindler.  
*Through Apr 24, Leopold Museum 7., Museumsplatz 1  
 leopoldmuseum.at*

**BARBARA MOURA: OF  
 GODDESSES AND WHORES**

**7.12.**  
 Portuguese visual artist Moura explores women's societal roles, and the dual representations throughout history of woman as whore or goddess.  
*Through Dec 13, Odeon – Spitzer 2., Taborstraße 10  
 godandthediavil.tumblr.com*


**CITY OF WOMEN**

**25.1.**  
 A host of underrepresented female artists of the early to mid-19th century are given their rightful place in art history for their contributions to Viennese Modernism.  
*Through May 19, Belvedere 3., Prinz-Eugen-Straße 27  
 belvedere.at*

**BOSCH & LEGAT**

**1.2.**  
 As part of the exhibition series *Korrespondenzen*, classical artwork is paired with new solo pieces. Here, former Academy of Fine Arts student Maria Legat shares the space with Dutch master Hieronymus Bosch, inspiring a dialogue across half a millennium.  
*Through May 5, Gemäldegalerie 1., Lobkowitzplatz 2  
 akbild.ac.at*

## FILM


**THIS HUMAN WORLD  
 NOW**

Vienna's very own film festival for human rights once again entices audiences to critical discourse through thought-provoking movies from around the world.  
*Through Dec 10, various locations  
 thishumanworld.com*

**AKIRA**

**7.12.**  
 Neo Tokyo is about to explode again as the highly influential animated sci-fi classic returns to the screen on its 30th anniversary.  
*22:30, Filmcasino 5., Margaretenstraße 78  
 filmcasino.at*

**CLIMAX**

**8.12.**  
 Hedonistic auteur Gaspar Noé's latest feature is an electric portrayal of humanity pushed to extremes over the course of one night as a remote dance party discovers acid in their sangria.  
*Gartenbau 1., Parkring 12  
 gartenbaukino.at*

**MARY QUEEN OF SCOTS**

**17.1.**  
 Saoirse Ronan and Margot Robbie star in this rendition of the great Catholic hope and her rivalry with cousin Elizabeth I, locked in a battle for dominance between two extraordinary characters, with England hanging in the balance.  
*Burg 1., Opernring 19  
 burgkino.at*

## SPECIAL

**UNWG CHARITY BAZAAR**

**16.12.**  
 Travel the world through taste and sound as the UN Women's Guild hosts its renowned annual market. Entry is free, with all proceeds going to children's charities across the globe.  
*10:00-18:00, Austria Center 22., Bruno-Kreisky-Platz 1  
 unwg.univie.ac.at*

**SILVESTERPFAD**

**31.12.**  
 Ring in the New Year Vienna style at this gargantuan street party throughout the 1st district with live music, fortune-telling and a spellbinding firework display.  
*14:00-2:00, various locations  
 wien.info*


**NEW YEAR'S CONCERT  
 PUBLIC VIEWING**

**1.1.**  
 Though tickets are drawn by lot in February each previous year, the Philharmonic's annual concert is projected for free outside the Staatsoper, so everyone can experience the performance.  
*11:15-22:30, Staatsoper 1., Herberich-von-Karajan-Platz  
 wienerphilharmoniker.at*

**COFFEE FESTIVAL**

**11.1.**  
 From Vienna's coffeehouse culture to aeropress brews, find over four floors of tasting workshops and stalls while enjoying live music.  
*Through Jan 13, Ottakringer Brauerei 16., Ottakringer Platz 1  
 viennacoffeefestival.cc*





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## BALLS



### VIENNA PHILHARMONIC BALL

**24.1.**  
Vienna's most prestigious orchestra declares "Alles Walzer!" for its annual bash, taking over musical duties themselves.  
21:00-05:00, Musikverein 1., Bösendorferstraße 12  
wienphilharmoniker.at

### BALL OF SCIENCES

**26.1.**  
Representing Vienna's 250.000-strong science and research community, this evening is a celebration of the city's rich diversity – academic and otherwise.  
20:00-3:00, Rathaus 1., Friedrich-Schmidt-Platz 1  
wissenschaftsballet.at

### RAINBOW BALL

**26.1.**  
Of the city's most popular balls, the season highlight for the queer LGBT+ community is also a major fundraising event.  
19:00-04:00, Parkhotel Schönbrunn 13., Hietzinger Hauptstraße 10-16  
hosi.wien.at

### HUNTERS' BALL

**28.1.**  
The legendary Jägerball approaches 100! See the rich and famous at this strictly *Tracht* shindig, where the game is all on two legs.  
20:00-03:00, Hofburg 1., Heldenplatz 1  
verein-grueneskreuz.at

## EVENING

### MÖET & CHANDON WINTER CHALET

**1.12.**  
Enjoy an Alpine atmosphere in the heart of the city and support a worthy cause with €1 from every glass of champagne going toward the charity Licht ins Dunkel, helping families with children in need.  
Through Jan 7, Palais Esterházy 1., Wallnerstraße 4  
barbaro.at



### SOUND OF WINE WINTER SPECIAL

**7.12.**  
A blissful blend of fine local wine tasting and sweet sounds should help you forget the cold outside!  
16:00-21:00, Horst 1., Rotgasse 9  
soundofwine.at

### CIRQUE ROUGE

**8.12.**  
Vienna's best burlesque series presents its latest show, *Midnight in a Frozen World*, with performances from Poland's Red Juliet and Czechia's Miss Cool Cat!  
22:00, Rote Bar 7., Arthur-Schnitzler-Platz 1  
cirquerouge.at

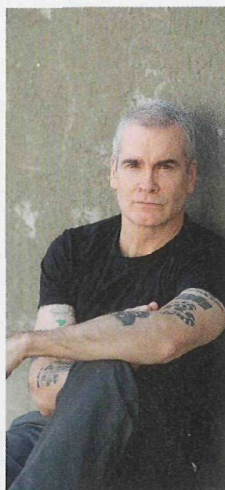
### MUSCHELDINNER IM NHM

**9.1.**  
Enjoy fine dining in the decadent ambience of one of Vienna's iconic twin museums before exploring prized artifacts like the famous *Venus of Willendorf*.  
Through Mar 13, Naturhistorisches Museum 1., Burggraben 7  
food-affairs.at

## NETWORK

### VIENNA PITCH TRAINING

**13.12.**  
Develop your perfect 30-second sale with advice from seasoned experts, refining your core ideas and goals to their essence.  
18:00, WeXelerate 2., Praterstraße 1  
wexelerate.com



### HENRY ROLLINS

**15.12.**  
In his brand new *Travel Slideshow*, the former Black Flag frontman talks you through the many entertaining stories behind his snapshots from roaming the world.  
21:00, Gartenbaukino 1., Parkring 12  
gartenbaukino.at

### WHAT ARE THE COSTS OF VIOLENCE?

**18.12.**  
Join Dr. Anke Hoeffler and peek behind sensational headlines to discover the truth about violence and its impact around the globe.  
18:00, WU Festsaal 1 2., Welthandelsplatz 1  
wu.ac.at

### A SHORT HISTORY OF VIENNA

**23.12.**  
From its foundation as a Roman garrison to its present state as the cosmopolitan center of the continent, this brief, but comprehensive, trip through the city's history is an essential for non-natives and Viennese alike.  
13:00, Wien Museum 4., Karlsplatz 8  
wienmuseum.at

## FAMILY

### MINI MAK ADVENT

**8.12.**  
A workshop for kids ages 6-13 inspired by Sagmeister & Walsh's exhibition, *Beauty*. What is beautiful? And can you improve the world with beauty?  
14:00-16:00, MAK 1., Stubenring 5  
mak.at

### MOZART'S MAGIC FLUTE FOR KIDS

**9.12.**  
Experience the much-loved opera in an endearing puppet show adapted especially for children.  
Through Jan 31, Marionette Theater at Schönbrunn Palace 14., Schloss Schönbrunn Hofstraßentrakt  
marionettentheater.at

### SCHATTEN KIDS!

**14.1.**  
Learn the tricks of shadowplay in this workshop and be immersed in the world of the fantastic!  
Theater Museum 1., Lobkowitzplatz 2  
theatermuseum.at



### HARVEST IN SNOW

**26.1.**  
Winter is anything but quiet time in the garden! Learn the tips and tricks of growing produce throughout the cold months as you walk around the City Farm's winter gardens.  
9:00-13:00, City Farm 2., Obere Augartenstraße 1C  
cityfarm.wien

## MISC

### EDELSTOFF

**8.12.**  
Find unique handmade wares from new and independent designers at this excellent craft and clothing marketplace.  
Also Dec 9, Marx Halle 3., Karl Farkas Gasse 19  
edelstoff.or.at



### VINTAGE FABRIK CHRISTMAS MARKET

**10.12.**  
Find one-of-a-kind articles as vintage boutiques and designers line up alongside some of the city's best food trucks for the ideal shopping experience.  
Through Dec 28, Pop-upzentrale 6., Mariahilferstraße 3  
vintagefabrik.com

### WIENER SILVESTERLAUF

**31.12.**  
An opportunity to work off a little of the festive flab – or your last chance to fulfill last year's resolutions!  
17:00, Uni Wien 1., Universitätsring 1  
lcc-wien.at

### CD AND VINYL FLEA MARKET

**13.1.**  
With the holiday budget almost worn through, find some must-haves and rare classics at reasonable prices at this music market.  
10:00, Gasometer 11., Guglgasse 6  
planet.tt