

THRACE FOLK FESTIVAL

CARNIVAL OF XANTHI 2017

The Cultural Center of Xanthi and the Organizing Authority, organize the Thracian Folk Festival- Carnival of Xanthi 2017

52nd Period

Friday 10th February 2017

Since Friday 10th February and during the Thrace Folk Festival

9:00 Old Town of Xanthi- Meeting the local history

Walking around through the alleys of the Old Town and the Cultural and Historical museum of Xanthi.

Information: 2541025421

Organised by F.E.X./ Cultural and Historical Museum of Xanthi.

Friday 10th, Saturday 11th and Sunday 12th February

21:30 Kapnapothiki of F.E.X. – (Platonos 27)

Tango stories / I saw you coming by proudly, with tango step...

Saturday 11th February 2017

Thrace Folk Festival Opening- Carnival of Xanthi 2017

The opening will be announced by the Mayor of Xanthi Charalampos Dimarchopoulos.

11.30 Eleftherias' Square of Xanthi

The great Folkloric celebration

The opening will be announced by the Mayor of Xanthi Charalampos Dimarchopoulos. The parade starts with the Educational Cultural Association of Monastiriou of Drama.

Participate: Association of Thracians from Chisoupoli, association of Mikrasiates of Xanthi, association of Pontioi dancers "Trantellenes", association of Lefki "Protoporoi", Lykeio Ellinidon of Xanthi, association of Evrites of Xanthi, Cultural Folkloric association "Thrace", parish of the church of Theotokos of Pigadia- adult dancing group "Chatzigyriotes", Cultural association of Erasmio "Georgios Viziinos", Cultural association of Diomidia – cultural association of North Greece "Alexandros", church of Trion Ierarchon of Evosmos, association of Sarakatsanoi of

Xanthi "Lepeniotis", association of Pontioi of Xanthi, association of Kimmeria "Amferaos", cultural association of Iasmos, cultural folkloric association of Jesus Christ, F.e.x., Dancing Club of Xanthi, Cretian brotherhood of Xanthi.

Municipal Amphitheater of Xanthi

20:00 Mixed Choir of the Cultural Center of Xanthi

Conductor Thodoros Manolis

Choir- Municipal Cultural Club of Athenaos

Conductor Christina Chatzistathi

Choir of Evrites of Xanthi

Conductor Georgios Kotsipetsidis

Other events

Cultural multispace I.TH.T.P. Central room – Kapnapothiki "P"-Kapnergaton 9

19.00 Exhibition and Educational Meeting Opening

Photography Exhibition: " points and faces"

Folkloric and Historical museum of Xanthi

20.00 "Chamsin / the wind of the east"

Events about the book and the music. Book presentations, discussions with authors and musicians, projections and tributes.

Organised by F.E.X., Pyrgelis bookshop

Music Hall Diogenis

20.30 Annual dance of association of Pontioi of Xanthi

Invitation price: 15€ (adults), 10€ (children)

Includes a full menu and plenty of drinks

21:30 Kapnapothiki of F.E.X. – (Platonos 27)

Tango stories / I saw you coming by proudly, with tango step...

Sunday 12th February 2017

Municipal Amphitheater of Xanthi

20.00 Carnival at the Museum

Days and opening hours: since Tuesday to Sunday 9.30-14.30

General entrance 2€

Monday 13th February 2017

Municipal Amphitheater of Xanthi

19.30 Music and dancing nights – children's dancing

Participate: Dancing Club of Xanthi, association of Evrites of Xanthi, association of Mikrasiates of Xanthi, parish of the church of Theotokos of Pigadia, children's dancing group "Chatzigyriotes", association of Sarakatsanoi of Xanthi "Lepeniotes", association of Pontioi dancers "Trantellenes",

The dancers are surrounded by "Banda Tetoia"

Other events

Since 13th February and during the Thrace Folk Festival

10.00 At the Folkloric and Historical museum of Xanthi

Historical strolls – Xanthi, old town / for students

Meeting the later history of the town

Programme duration : 90 to 120 minutes

Number of children: 40 at each programme

Programme cost : 2€ /student

Cultural multispace I.TH.T.P. Central room – Kapnapothiki "P"-Kapnergaton 9

19.30 Tribute to the International Cinema day

Tuesday 14th February 2017

Municipal Amphitheater of Xanthi

20.00 Choir night – Choir of the K.A.P.I of Chrisoupolis

Byzantine choir of K.A.P.I of Xanthi

Other events

Folkloric and Historical museum of Xanthi

20.00 Cinematic Lab of F.E.X. – The myth of Orpheus tribute

Wednesday 15th February 2017

Municipal Amphitheater of Xanthi

20.00 Choir night – Mixed choir of the municipal conservatoire of Xanthi

Conductor Fotis Kontos

Other events

Folkloric and Historical museum of Xanthi

17.00 “The folkloric customs of February and the Carnival”

With Garifallia Theodoridou – candidate didactor of Laography of A.P.TH.

“Tsiknopempti” 16th February 2017

Indoor Sports Center “Filippos Amoiridis”

20.00 Traditional Taste Night

“Banda Tetoia” concert

Participate: association of Lefki “Protoporoi”, Lykeio Ellinidon of Xanthi, parish of the church of Theotokos of Pigadia, “Chatzigyriotes”, , association of Evrites of Xanthi, association of Mikrasiates of Xanthi, association of Mikrasiates of Xanthi, association of Pontioi dancers “Trantellenes”, association of Sarakatsanoi of Xanthi “Lepeniotes”, Dancing Club of Xanthi, Cultural association of Evmiro, association of Kimmeria Amferaos, Cultural Folkloric association “Thrace”.

Other events

House of Culture F.E.X

17.00 Carnival adventures

Carnival Party with the children’s music theater of F.E.X.

General entrance: 3€

Friday 17th February 2017

Municipal Amphitheater of Xanthi

19.30 Music and dancing nights – children’s dancing

Participate: Lykeio Ellinidon of Xanthi, Cultural association “Avantes”, Cultural Folkloric association “Thrace”, association of Pontioi of Xanthi, Filoproodi Enosi of Xanthi, association of Thracians of Chrisoupolis,

The dancers are surrounded by “Banda Tetoia”

Saturday 18th February 2017

Central Square of Xanthi

11.00 Hosted dancing groups

1. Cultural association of Ellinochorio of Evros
2. Association of friends of Thermaikos "Apollon".
3. Women association Tsaritsanis of Elassona.
4. Cultural Athletic and Touristic organization "Anemopyles " of Karystos.

13.00 "Vories Notes" concert

Municipal Amphitheater of Xanthi

19.30 Music and dancing performance

Association of Evrites of Xanthi

"Foreign lands, nakedness, bitterness, love,
they weighted all these four, the foreign lands are the heaviest"

The dancing group Styron or the "Anemopyles " organization.

The women's association of Tsaritsani of Larisa

Other events

House of Culture of F.E.X.

Carnival adventures

Carnival party of the music children's theater of F.E.X.

General entrance: 3€

Cultural multispace I.TH.T.P.- Creativity expression room for children "I. Papacharisis" – Kapnapothiki P – Kapnergaton 9

17.30 (1st performance), 19.30 (2nd performance)

Theater of Shadows of Domtzidis Apostolos "Karagiozi's fairytales"

"Barbagiorgo's wedding"

General entrance:5€

Music Hall "Apollon" – 4th kilometer of Xanthi- Lagos

21.00 Likeio of Ellinidon of Xanthi – Annual carnival dance

Entrance fee:17€ for adults and 10€ for children, with a full menu and drinks.

Sunday 19th February 2017

Central Square of Xanthi

11.30 Children's Carnival Parade

" the four seasons are great..."

Music by Nikos Kotziamanis

In a case of bad weather the big Children's Carnival Parade will take place on Friday 24th February 2017 at 15.30

Central Square of Xanthi

13.00 "Malou" concert

The fresh girl with the great voice and her great band invite us to a live party.

Municipal Amphitheater of Xanthi

20.30 Concert " Babis Koukos and FA DIESI"

A tribute to Stavros Kougioumtzis

Monday 20th February 2017

Emporiki Lesxi of Xanthi

16.00 Association of the Municipal Employees of Xanthi

Carnival party

Municipal Amphitheater of Xanthi

20.00 Music and dancing night of our folkloric associations

Participate: Likeio of Ellinidon of Xanthi, cultural association of Avato "Avantes", association of the Thracians of Chrisoupolis, Filoproodi Enosi of Xanthi, cultural association of Evmoiro, association of Kimmeria "Amferaos", association of Sarakatsanoi of Xanthi "Lepeniotis", parish of the church of Theotokos of Pigadia-children's dancing group "Chatzigyriotes", association of Pontioi dancers "Trantellenes".

Other events

House of culture of F.E.X.

22.00 Cinematic lab of F.E.X. – Tribute to the myth of Orpheus

Cultural multispace I.TH.T.P.- Creativity expression room for children “I. Papacharisis” – Kapnapothiki P – Kapnergaton 9

17.30 – 19.00 Children in action... in a carnival expression “Faces..’

Tuesday 21th February 2017

Emporiki Lesxi of Xanthi

18.00 Ellinikos Odigismos - Carnival party

Municipal Amphitheater of Xanthi

20.00 Music and dancing performance

Participate: cultural folkloric association “Thrace”, TEI of Kavala, association of Mikrasiates of Xanthi, association of Lefki “Protoporoí”, association of Pontioi of Xanthi, educational cultural association of Stavroupolis “Orpheus”, cultural association of Erasmio “Georgios Viziinos”, dancing club of Xanthi, Cretan brotherhood of Xanthi.

Other events

Cultural multispace I.TH.T.P.- Creativity expression room for children “I. Papacharisis” – Kapnapothiki P – Kapnergaton 9

18.00 A narration of carnival fairytales and not only...

House of culture of F.E.X.

20.00 Cinematic Lab of F.E.X. – Tribute to the myth of Orpheus

Wednesday 22th February 2017

Emporiki Lesxi of Xanthi

15.00 Children’s carnival party of Thrakiki Skini – Carnival club

Municipal Amphitheater of Xanthi

20.00 Musin and dancing performance of Thrakiki Skini

“A night at Pikantili”

Guest star: Charoula Lampraki

Other events

Cultural multispace I.TH.T.P.- Creativity expression room for children “I. Papacharisis” – Kapnapothiki P – Kapnergaton 9

19.00 Capoeira Lab I.TH.T.P. -: Play , battle and dancing, what exactly Capoeira is?

Cultural multispace I.TH.T.P.- “Kyriakos Stamatiadis “ Kapnapothiki P – Kapnergaton 9

20.00 Section of History / Culture of Thrace I.TH.T.P.: Panagis Lekatsas, from Dionisos to the modern civilization.

Music restaurant Myrovolos

22.00 Thrakiki Skini – Carnival Club

Guest star: Charoula Lampraki

Participate the artists or the Myrovolos restaurant

Entrance 15€ full menu and drink

Thursday 23th February 2017

Emporiki Lesxi of Xanthi

15.00 Children’s carnival party of the Civil protection and Solidarity center of Xanthi

Central Square of Xanthi

19.00 “Giorgos Papadopoulos” concert

He is undoubtedly one of the most talented and notable artists of our times

Municipal Amphitheater of Xanthi

20.30 Concert “Thrace – Town, which light comes us together”

With Grigoris Papaemmanouil

Participate: The Greek Byzantine Dance “Domestikoi and the traditional choir of the Lykeio of Ellinidon of Drama. Participates an eight member music band of traditional and folkloric music organs.

Other events

Touring around the old Town

Participation: 6976478073 – 2541091973

With the support of I.TH.T.P. and the association of tour guiders of North Greece.

Lykeio of Ellinidon of Xanthi – Ag.Georgiou 1

17.30 Carnival party

Folkloric and Historical museum of Xanthi

20.00 Something is going on at the museum on Thursdays- Tribute to the myth of Orpheus

Friday 24th February 2017

Central Square of Xanthi

11.30 Carnival party for the young people

A party for all the students of Xanthi

Central Square of Xanthi

12.00 Kings concert

The group with a strong young rhythm

Central Square of Xanthi

18.00 Master Tembo concert

The group was created in 2004 by Peter D at took its final shape with the participation of Zanis, in 2006 with pop and RnB successes.

Central Square of Xanthi

20.00 Fani Drakopoulou concert

Fani Drakopoulou is one of the most famous singers of the Greek pentagram.

Emporiki Lesxi of Xanthi

21.30 Cultural association Kataskinotes

Lataskinotes invite you to travel back in time in a carnival dance.

Other events

I.TH.T.P. – Building 1 – 12 Apostolon 45

17.00 Children in action ... in a carnival – dancing expression

House of Culture of F.E.X.

17.00 Carnival party with the children's music theater of F.E.X.

General entrance: 3€

Cultural multispace I.TH.T.P.- Central Room - Kapnapothiki P – Kapnergaton 9

18.30 Music Apo-Draseis

A pop-rock and folkloric party

Touring around the old Town

With the support of I.TH.T.P. and the association of tour guiders of North Greece.

Folkloric and Historical museum of Xanthi

19.00 Night Carnival bike- strolling

Bike association of Xanthi PIGASUS

Music Hall "Appolon"

20.00 Sarakatsanoi night

Entrance:15€ (food and driks)

Saturday 25th February 2017

Central Square of Xanthi

13.00 Konstantinos Koufos concert

The talented singer and song writer as well as known as PersonaS comes in Xanthi for the first time.

19.00 Night Carnival Parade

The carnival crews that will take part in the big carnival parade on Sunday, start at 19.30 from the intersection of 28th October and Kavala's street, will parade dancing in carnival rhythms. The parade will end at the central square where the party will continue. Music by Themis Georgantas and Dj Joe Vida.

Awardings

The Municipal of Xanthi and the Cultural Center of Xanthi award the association of Kataskinotes for the best organizing and the cultural association "Thamyris" for the best costume during their participation at the big carnival parade of the Thrace Folk Festival – Carnival of Xanthi.

Other events

Folkloric and Historical museum of Xanthi

10.00 Painting and creating a mask II

Entrance with invitations only

Lykeio of Ellinidon of Xanthi – Ag. Georgiou and Venizelou corner, 1st floor

18.30 till 22.00

Lykeio Ellinidon of Xanthi opens the Museum of the Traditional Costumes at its space.

“Apollon”

20.00 Annual dance of Evrites of Xanthi

Entrance:15€ full menu and drinks

Music Hall “Diogenis”

21.00 Carnival dance of the Cultural Association “Dionisos” Lysistrati

Kapnapothiki F.E.X. (Platonos)

2.30 Color Milogna – Tango Aires

House of Culture of F.E.X.

22.30 Carnival Latin party

Sunday 26th February 2017

13.30 “Great Carnival Parade”

The carnival parade will be presented by Themis Georgantas and Maria Papadopoulou for the Public Network.

Music by Dj Joe Vida

After the parade a great party begins across the stadium with the participation of all the people.

Music by Dj Mirello, fireworks, plenty of wine and dancing.

18.00 At the bridge of Kosinθος River

Another one Carnival Parade has been over. And as every year the custom from Xanthi "Burning Tzaros" relives.

Other events

Lykeio Ellinidon of Xanthi – at the corner of Ag. Georgiou and Venizelou street, 1st floor.

18.30-22.00

Lykeio Ellinidon of Xanthi opens the Museum of the Traditional Costumes at its space.

Clean Monday 27th February 2017

Municipal Union of Stavroupolis

Folkloric festivities for Clean Monday

Central Square

11.00 Opening

12.00 The Camel custom

12.30 The folk act of Momogeroi

Komnina village

12.00 A Pontiac feast

Kimmeria village

11.00 Community center of Ag. Dimitriou of Kimmeria church

The cultural association of Kimmeria "Zoodochos Pigi" celebrates "Koulouma".

Lefki village

11.00 At the open space of the Cultural and Environmental Association of Lefki "Protoporoi"

Thrace Folk Festival 2017

"4 seasons"

1. Municipal of Oraiakastro
2. Union of students and friends of Cyprus – Melenioi
3. Kataskinotes – There is magic in the air (league of legends)
4. Thamiris- Crazy rabbits
5. Myrodato "Apithanoi" – Amazing kittens
6. Odrysses – Who let the dogs out?

7. Spartakoi 82 – Cupcakes
8. Atlas – Frozen
9. Neolera – Trolls
10. Dionisos – Hens
11. The friends – Snowman
12. Association of Dafnonas “Dimitra” – It is never cold at the north Nestochoria
13. Amfitriones – Pacman
14. Kaviroi – Assassin’s Greed ASSASINOI –
15. Association of the Thracians of Chrisoupolis – The bride has escaped
16. Anoixi – The time hunters
17. Atithasoi – Clowns
18. Vistones – Pocemon
19. Trel@academy.kom – Trel@candy Crush
20. Aparadektoi – Aparadektes Babouskes
21. Students’ association “Gefyra” – MnM’s
22. Vatraxoi – Greek horror story
23. Thrakiki Skini – Elves.. A trip to fairytales
24. Xenitemenoi – We dance Samba in order not to make TRAM-PAAA
25. Union of students and friends of Cyprus “Psiloreitis” – Madagaskari
26. Association of Iasmos – Farmers

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