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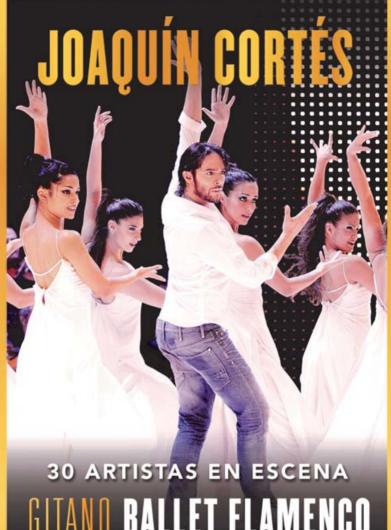




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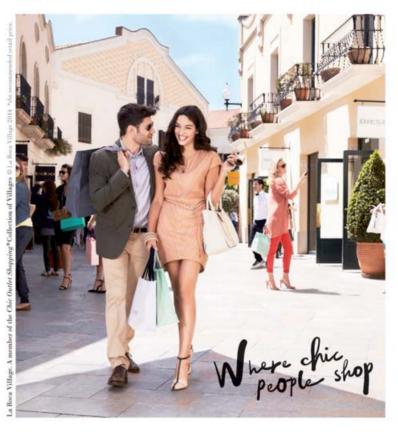
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## **Augie Burr**

When Agustí Burriel sings, he turns into Augie Burr, an American vocalist from the 1950s. By **Ada Castells** 

you're from Barcelona, but you perform as an American musician from the 1950s. Why? It's not nostalgia, because I wasn't around to experience it, but it's an idealised version of an era that I've made my own.

Your name is Agustí Burriel and

### Now that everything vintage is in, do you feel like less of a rarity?

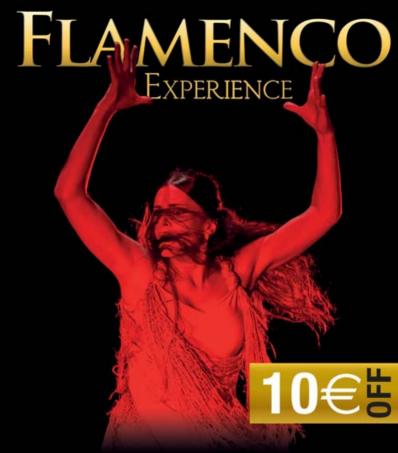
There's a positive side to fashion, which is that the scene has opened up to more people, but the new audience doesn't have the same depth of knowledge as the traditional one.

What attracts you about the era?
The cultural revolution that took

place at the time because of rock and roll, that determination to break with attitudes towards race and the family. It was the first great cultural revolution of the 20th century. The hippies were just a confirmation of what had happened.

#### What's different about you?

With the bands, we want to pay homage to a culture and a sound. We try to be faithful to that. Even in the lyrics to our songs, we use their words. Our original contributions are small changes, with no big leaps. Musicians don't appear out of nowhere: the difference is that I'm up front about my sources of inspiration.



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## **CLASSICS**

Acity's nightclubs are part of its unwritten history, the half-hidden world that starts to exercise a magnetic pull on teenagers as soon as they're old enough to put gel in their hair, and whose attraction doesn't fade until they have kids of their own It's a world with its own laws, and one of them is that while some clubs are here today and gone tomorrow, leaving nothing but headaches and blurred memories, others have a mysterious longevity, and provide formative experiences for generation after generation.

Thoseborn in 1975, likeme. experienced the first flickerings of the electronic music scene at Toque BCN, a pioneer; discovered Morrissev at New York: gulped down Katovit energy pills. beer and at Indie musicat Mond Bar. managed to get out of **Psicodromo** alive: were amazed by the lasers in Barcalles; and tried crimped hair and eveliner at Akelarre. These classic clubs live on in Barcelona's collective memory. I'm talking about Quartier, Apocalypse, Trocadero, Biarritz, Bóveda, Up & Down, Cibeles, Verdi. Ars and Studio 54, all names that will spark stories, nostalgia and vague recollections—and all gone forever.

Meanwhile other classic Barcelona clubsarestill going strong. Karma on Placa Reial is the same teenage meat marketas ever. Trauma's dancefloor is full of divorcees. Les Enfants is being refurbished, to re-open in September. Reliable sources inform methat Plataforma never shut! And watch out. because there's a rumour that La Paloma is about to be re-born

KARMA, Placa Reial 10 www.karmadisco.com TRAUMA. Consell de Cent. 288 www.discotecatrauma.com LES ENFANTS, Guàrdia, 3 www.discoenfants.com PLATAFORMA. Nou de la Rambla, 145 LA PALOMA. Tigre, 27



## **TOP 10 CLUBS**

#### NITSA/LA2 (SALA APOLO)

Upstairs at Apolo is Barcelona's best electronic music, while downstairs vou'll find the city's most intense pop and rock club, with DIs Coco, Graham and Petagas doing what they do best: driving the dancefloor wild with a guitar-driven soundtrack. Nitsa is to the city's clubbing scene what Guardiola was to FC Barcelona: a home for some of the biggest talents in the world. The clubbers who got sweaty there during its '90s heyday remember it fondly - and now their kids are queuing up to get in. Fridays, Saturdays and nights before public holidays, 1am until 6am.

Nou de la Rambla, 113 www.nitsa.com

techno temples. Razzmatazz needs no introduction: the kind of mega club where you walk in and crawl out. The danceable pop and rock hits they bombard the crowd with are irresistible. Warning: Razz has a tendency to make revellers over the age of 30 feel like desiccated mummies: it's a young crowd and there's more acne on the dancefloor than in a Clearasil Almogàvers, 122

www.salarazzmatazz.com

#### **SIDECAR**

Underground rock and jagged guitars in late-night sessions with the best DIs in the city every week. Sidecar thrives like a weed, and it remains your best option when a casual drink

#### MARIII A CAFÉ

Garage, afrobeat, jazz, funk, soul, disco, boogaloo and whatever the gods of the groove dictate. Marula Café is so authenticit hurts. There's no other club in Barcelona with a better vintage playlist than this elegant space near the funkiest allevways of the Barri Gòtic. Its concert programme for connoisseurs of old-school vinvl is simply impeccable. And it pulls no punches with its DI sessions: every weekend is an explosion of vintage grooves, from Coltrane, Haves and Puente to Mayfield.

Escudellers, 49 www.marulacafe.com

#### RAZZCLUB/LOFT (SALA RAZZMATAZZ)

The Loft, alongside Nitsa, offers the most cutting-edge international electronic music in the city. It's seen all the big names and has the most fanatical crowd of all Barcelona's







www. pureflamencobarcelona.com

turns into a full-on party. You went out on a Tuesday, knocked back seven *cubatas* and smoked something dubious on the Plaça Reial. Now you need a rowdy dancefloor and some decent music... Sidecar. How does the story end? A pierced body next to you in bed, and a new tattoo across your backside that says 'The best nihgt out in my liff'.

Plaça Reial, 7 www.sidecarfactoryclub.com

#### **CABARET BERLÍN**

Cabaret Berlin is pretty camp: it's not the best hunting ground for heterosexuals on the prowl. That said, the club that used to be known as Bailèn 22 – a well-known strip joint in its day – is one of the wildest and least inhibited in the city. It boasts a seriously fashionable and up-for-it crowd, wafting aromas of Jean Paul Gaultier perfume, plus a monthly/club



night Copacabana which is Barcelona's current place to be. **Bailèn, 22** www.carlitosgroup.com

#### **MÀGIC**

Sticky in summer, marinated in sweat and other bodily fluids, Magic is the Keith Richards of Barcelona's rock clubs. Rejecting El Born's hipster tendencies, it brings a dose of attitude to a neighbourhood that's getting fancier by the day. It's been welcoming tattoos and leather jackets since the last Ice Age, and specialises in satisfying the needs of the anti-techno brotherhood. OK, you can hear an Iggy Pop track anywhere, but you won't get the pungent whiff of stale beer, bourbon and raw sex you get in this delectable dive.

**Pg. de Picasso, 40** www.magic-club.net

#### **BECOOL**

city's biggest electronic clubs (Nitsa and The Loft) to carve out a share of the technopie. Its location up at the posh end of town hasn't helped.

Nevertheless, it's made the third step on the podium all its own, with top-notch DJ sessions and live performances. The music policy leans heavily towards the underground, but remains superb. It's an irresistible lure for the most demanding dance music connoisseurs, and the perfect excuse to move to techno in a neighbourhood that's free of beer-sellers and pickpockets.

BeCool has had to duke it out with the

Pl. de Joan Llongueras, 5 www.salabecool.com

#### LA TERRRAZZA

La Terrrazza was one of the first clubs in Barcelona to play house music in the open air. Today the city's full of them, but this is still the one to beat. Located in Poble Espanyol, the huge terrace with its Ibizan flavour, is a parade of sculpted bodies, cheeky bikinis, rockhard buns, prominent packets and



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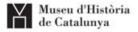
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stoned tourists. Less is more in the clothing department, but don't dress for your local gym—more than one would-be party-goer has found out that worn-out flip flops and swimwear won't cut it with the doorman.

Av. del Marquès de Comillas, 13 www.laterrrazza.com

#### **JAMBOREE**

Although it's been around for donkeys' years, Jamboree is still the city's best hip hop and R&B club. The BCN or Die sessions with Flavio Rodriguez are a fixture on Thursday nights with the best new R&B, while at the weekend DJ Yoda brings the best urban tunes with hip hop and classic funk and soul.

Pl. Reial, 17 www.masimas.com

#### **CDLC**

Of all the fishtanks along Passeig Marítim, teeming with exotic creatures and prowling sharks, CDLC is where you'll find the most perfect specimens. This whirlpool of casual hookups, with its beachside terrace, is where summer nights in the city get hottest. Ultra-tanned tourists empty their wallets to the rhythm of house, swarm the terrace for a breath of air, and keep the party going in the sand. Warning: if you're feeling the pinch, this may not be the place for you. Conspicuous consumption is the watchword.

Pg. Marítim de la Barceloneta, 32



## **NIGHTCARD**

Great news for night owls visiting Barcelona who want to live every night as if it were their last. If you're spending a week in BCN and you don't want to miss any of the city's biggest clubs, **Barcelona NightCard** is your perfect companion, designed with the most determined clubbers in mind, it's also great news for your wallet.

Holders of this personal and non-transferable card, which costs €20, can enter 18 of Barcelona's best-known clubs free, for 7 nights in row, until 2 in the morning.

It's up to you to decided whether you want to cut some rug at **Catwalk**, or stick around the centre of town and try **Boulevard**, **La Boite**, **City Hall** or **Moog**.

You also get access to the legendary gay club **Arena**, with its three separate sites on Balmes, Diputació and Gran Via. Or perhaps you want to dress up to the nines to visit **Soho** on Carrer Aribau. In a similar vein, heading uptown, there's **Sutton** and **Otto**. There's **Nick Havanna** on Carrer Roselló, **Duvet** on Corsega, and **Sala Bikini** and **BeCool** next to Avinguda Diagonal.

If you head up even further, to Avinguda Tibidabo, you'll find **Atlàntic**, where it towers high above the city. And on your way back down to sea level, why not try dropping in on the outdoor party apocalypse that is **La Carpa** Barcelona.

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## Free museums!

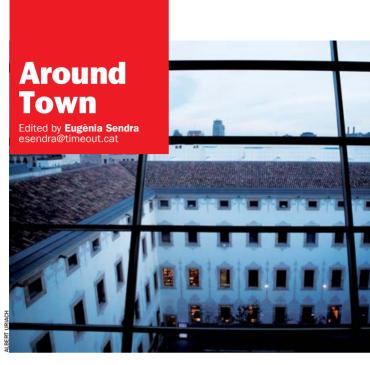
On the first Sunday of every month, you can get into many of Barcelona's museums without paying a cent.

## Tapiró at the MNAC

The MNAC revives the work of Josep Tapiró, a painter who depicted life in 19th-century Tangier.

#### Metric Market

Forget everything you thought you knew about selfservice restaurants. Metric Market is something else!



## No ticket required

On the first Sunday of the month, many museums open their doors for free. By **Maria Junyent** 

#### MNAC

As well as their collection of Romanesque art, the MNAC is currently showing two fascinating temporary exhibitions. The first is a selection of works by Antoni Viladomat, the artist who followed on from the generation of painters that was lost in the siege of 1714: his work is a continuation of the artistic traditions that preceded him. The second centres on 19th-century painter Josep Tapiró. We leave Barcelona to land in the heart of the Tangiers medina, where Tapiró set up his studio.

Palau Nacional, Parc de Montjuïc, s/n. Espanya (L1,L3 & FGC). Sunday 10am-3pm.

#### Picasso Museum

It was Picasso himself who decided he wanted a museum in Barcelona. and in 1963, it was opened at No. 15, C/Montcada. You'll get a glimpse of the doorway if you can make it through the solid wall of visitors, with queues that start first thing in the morning, and stretch well down the street. But on the other side of the human wall you'll find the permanent collection and the exhibition 'Post-Picasso: Contemporary Reactions', evidence of the impact Picasso's work had on artists all over the world. www.museupicasso.bcn.cat. Montcada, 15-23. Jaume I (L4). Sundays 9am-7pm.







#### Museu Frederic Marès

The sculptor Frederic Marès was also an important art collector, and donated his entire collection to the city in 1946. Two years later, the Museu Frederic Marès was founded to house a significant collection of sculptures dating from antiquity to the 19th century. While sculpture predominates, some of the most interesting parts of the museum are the galleries that display his other collections: an amazing and wildly diverse selection that documents life in the 19th century through everyday objects. Take a turn round the lovely courtyard on the way out. Placa de Sant Iu, 5-6. www.museumares.bcn.cat. Jaume I(L4). Sun, 11am-8pm.

#### **Botanical Gardens**

Losing yourself on the trails of the botanical gardens is like travelling round the Mediterranean without leaving the city. Especially at this time of year, when they're bursting with colours and scents. As well as its botanical interest, the gardens are a great place to take a book and read in a tranquil patch of shade. Carrer del Doctor Font i Quer, 2. www.jardibotanic.bcn.cat. Espanya (L1, L3, FGC). Sun 10am-7pm.

#### Mirador del CCCB

What's more liberating than the feeling that the city is at your feet? From the CCCB's Mirador - the viewpoint on the building's fifth floor - you can enjoy 360-degree views, and find out how Barcelona looks to the seagulls. In the foreground, the sea of antennas on the roofs of the Raval that gives way to the sea itself. In the distance, Montjuïc, Tibidado, the Collserola hills: building after building. mountains, sky, windows and human stories. CCCB. Montalegre, 5. www.cccb.org. Universitat (L1, L2). Sun 11am-8pm.



## **Tangier, unfiltered**

The Museu Nacional d'Art de Catalunya re-evaluates the work of Orientalist painter Josep Tapiró.

By Eugènia Sendra

In the history of art Josep Tapiró receives at best a passing mention; one more painter to add to the long list of artists and writers that imagined or re-created landscapes and characters of 'the Orient', following in the footsteps of Delacroix and Byron, His name often appears alongside that of the great Catalan Orientalist, Marià Fortuny. But it's hard to walk past his paintings of the Berber bride or the Darcawi holy man without stopping to wonder why you haven't heard of this artist before. To mark the centenary of his death, the MNAC hosts the exhibition Josep Tapiró, Painter of Tangier', with 30 little-known works

by the painter who arrived in Tangier with Fortuny, and remained there from 1877 until his death.

#### **Ethnographic painting**

For Jordi Angel Carbonell, the exhibition's curator, Tapiró was one of the most important Orientalist painters of the last third of the 19th century, comparable to second-generation painters such as Eugène Fromentin. He didn't invent his own version of the Orient, he painted Tangier as he saw it—individuals with their own identities—and closely observed a society that was beginning to disappear.'Tapiró documented the ancient city's Sufi



ceremonies, its rites and religious brotherhoods, recording them all meticulously, and excluding any elements that might remind the viewer of European society. He was a virtuoso watercolourist, and achieved incredible realism, which is why many have described his works as "ethnographic documents", in both a positive and a negative sense, 'says Carbonell.

Tangier was then full of colourful characters—like Walter Harris, a journalist for *The Times* and a friend of Tapiro's—but became an Islamic and then an international city, and this has contributed to Tapiro's obscurity. So did the dispersal of his works, enthusiastically snapped up in Victorian England, and currently collected by sheiks. According to Carbonell, it's high time he was restored to his rightful place in the history of art.

#### JOSEP TAPIRÓ. PAINTER OF TANGIER MNAC

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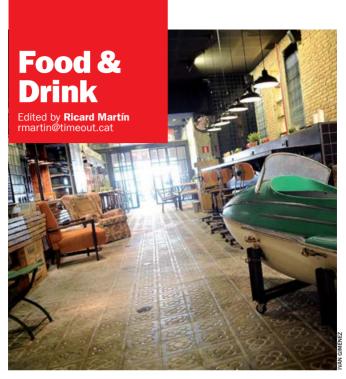
## Music Electronic homecoming



For the 21st year running, Sónar, the International Festival of Advanced Music and New Media Art, returns to Barcelona, Every year the line-up looks unbeatable, but then along comes the next to outdo the previous. Among this year's highlights, Massive Attack present the world première of their new show: Richie Hawtin, under his alias Plastikman, presents 'Objeckt', a new live concept featuring a spectacular obelisk of light; and disco legends Chic, whose hits 'Good Times' and 'Le Freak' have been setting dancefloors on fire for generations, will also be dropping in for a visit. One of the most hotlyanticipated appearances will be James Murphy with 2manydjs, at DESPACIO powered by McIntosh, an exclusive event at Sónar by Day – they will be playing a six-hour vinvl set over the three days of the festival. Not enough for you? The programme also includes some of the biggest names on the electronic music scene, including Four Tet, James Holden, Jon Hopkins, Nils Frahm, Laurel Halo and Ben Frost, The Scandinavian contingent are wellrepresented, with performances by Lykke Li, Röyksopp and Todd Terje. And that's just for starters.

#### SÓNAR 2014

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## Single file market

Forget everything you thought you knew about selfservice restaurants. Metric Market is something else! By **Ricard Martín** 

Two incontrovertible truths: life is what happens when you're making other plans. And Av. Diagonal, above Plaça Francesc Macià, is a desert. These facts are behind the opening of the Metric Market, a lively food venue that stays open in an area where everything else shuts before nine.

In theory, Metric Market is a selfservice restaurant. 'That was the original concept,' says Pipo Torres, one of the four business partners and friends behind the project (he emphasises the friendship). 'Selfservice is a business model with a negative image. Why can't we find the positive side?' Not a bad idea, especially given the affection with which most remember the self-service cafeterias of their childhood. Metric Market is 'a market in a straight line. We want to get away from the idea of a conventional restaurant,' adds Silvia Canela. The original idea was to open from 7.30am, with stalls open until 5pm. 'But we started out doing evening meals, and it's going really well. We want to make sure the self-service idea is working before we start it up.'

Within a month, they should have six



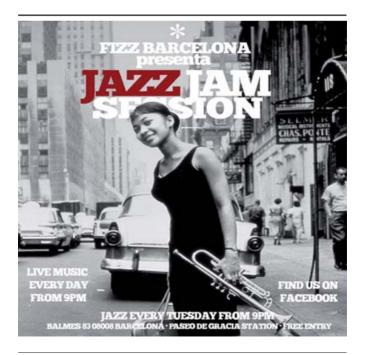
stalls up and running, all in line, one after the other, including a bakery, with pastries and sandwiches, a stand with the famous Espinaler vermouth and aperitifs, a salad stall, a rotisserie stall with take-away food you can eat in situ, with a set lunch menu—cooked at Metric—and a happy ending with fruit, desserts and ice-cream.

For the time being, the day starts at 5pm at the cocktail bar, and expands into a dinner menu where every dish looks like a hit: stir-fried octopus with

potatoes, allioli and honey, and international second courses, such as their Mexican cochimita pibil, or a Mediterranean ceviche. The design is gorgeous: Puig i Cadafalch tiles and exposed brickwork with a well-placed bar. 'Markets are all about the street: we wanted to take the best aspects of street food and bring them inside,' says Torres.

#### METRIC MARKET

**Diagonal, 505.** T. 93 419 31 91. 5pm-2am. €25-€30.



# The best eats!

Our themed selection of the city's best restaurants.

By Marcelo Aparicio

#### **Creative cuisine**

#### Coure

Creative, generous and nicely executed dishes at reasonable prices, from experienced chef Albert Ventura. Ptg. Marimon, 20. 93 200 75 32. Grācia (FGC). Expensive.

#### D.O. Vins i platillos

One of the first bars in Barcelona to offer a wine list and raise their tapas and tasting dishes to delicatessen level. It's next to the Verdi cinema, so you'll need a miracle to find a spot just before or after a film. They serve wines by the glass and elaborate tapas, such as their courgette flower tempura with cheese, or cod loins with tomato confit. It might not be the cheapest eatery in Barcelona, but the delicacies on offer will take your mind off your wallet. Verdi, 36. 93 218 96 73. Fontana (L3). Mid-range.

#### **Dos Palillos**

Albert Raurich, formerly of El Bullí, proves that Asian and Spanish tapas have a lot of common ground. His creativity and the quality of his output have won him his first Michelin star. Dos Palillos is the perfect fusion between a Spanish tapas bar and a Tokyo sushi house. Elisabets, 9. 93 304 05 13. Catalunya (L1, L3). Expensive.

#### Enoteca

Chef Paco Pérez, from the seaside town of Llançà, won his first Michelin star in Barcelona, but he did it by staying true to his roots, the traditions of the fishing villages of Cap de Creus, where cooks pride themselves on getting the very best from the finest seafood. His sea cucumbers with wild mushrooms are unmissable.

Marina, 19-21 (Hotel Arts). 93 483 81 08. Ciutadella/Vila Olímpica (L4). Deluxe.

## Basque restaurants

#### **Euskal Etxea**

One of the first bars in the city to offer San Sebastián—style pintxos (tapas on bread) and they've managed to stay ahead of the pack with those little elements of added value. For starters, if you find the forest of elbows at the bar intimidating, there's table service. And they have vegetarian pintxos, as well as gluten-free ones.

Plaça de Montcada, 1-3. 93 310 21 85. Jaume I (L4). Mid-range.

#### Gorría

One of Barcelona's essential Basque restaurants. Chef Javier Gorría serves up genuine delicacies like his mango salad with lobster, his Basque-style perretxikos (wild mushrooms), and Araitz pigeon.

Diputació, 42. 93 245 11 64. Rocafort (L1). Expensive.

#### Igueldo

A great Basque restaurant in an area that was crying out for one. Quality ingredients and impeccable cooking. Grilled meat and fish. Great atmosphere, especially in the eveing. Rosselló, 186. 93 452 25 55. Provença (FGC). Expensive.

#### Irati

When talking about the best pintxos, the expression 'haute cuisine in miniature' seems to sum it all up. At Irati you'll find inspired combinations like piquillo peppers with tuna, anchovy paste, and sautéed leeks. And for dessert, what could be better than what they' ve christened the 'Spicy Orgasm': goat's cheese with walnuts, jam, and crunchy peppers. Cardenal Casañas, 17. 93 302 30 84. Liceu (L3). Mid-range.

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## **Stepping out**

New Catalan footwear brand Mus&Roew is conquering feet all over the world, starting with Japan. By **Laia Beltran** 

Today's a day for sandals. It's June and I could head out for the day to Cadaques or Sau. But I wouldn't turn my nose up at Olost, Bruc or Sils. Those familiar with Catalan place names will appreciate how local geography has been turned into a campaign map for a young label with global ambitions. I love the idea of a Natsumi, a Magali or an Evelyn wearing designer sandals that bear the names of tiny Catalan villages that, in some cases, even the locals couldn't pinpoint on a map.

The idea of matching shoes to places comes from Mus&Roew, the footwear label created by Andorran Lambert Perrera and Catalan Jordi Aznar. It's only been a year since they set out on their own, but they've already got a foothold in Japan, and in the capitals that matter most on the fashion circuit: in Paris (at the Printemps department store), London (at none other than the revered Anthropologie) and New York (at Rita Brookoff's legendary Legacy store). Their products are



also on sale in countries as far apart as Italy and Australia. But what about Barcelona? You'll find the biggest range at Ivori, a treasure trove in the Born, and selected styles at RooM (Sant Gervasi) and Colmillo de Morsa (Gràcia).

What's the secret of their success? There's no magic formula, they tell us, just putting in a lot of hours of hard work, having many years of experience in the business behind them, working for the huge corporations, and lots of faith in their own product. The fact is that Mus&Roew shoes - made with craft techniques in Almansa, on the eastern edge of Spain's central plateau - have got something special, that X factor of footwear. The designs are timeless, deliberately restrained, modern classics built to last longer than the

six months of a given season. They know how to combine raw materials, forcing the interplay of textures, especially with various metallic leathers.

Perhaps there's also a Gallic influence, which would make sense: Lambert works with Sibylle, a fashion designer based in Paris. But you won't find a big selection of high heels. Mus&Roew believe in flats, which may account for the genuinely masculine air of their shoes. If Woody Allen's Annie Hall really existed, she'd walk through Manhattan in a pair of these shoes, which have already become an object of desire, not just here but all over the world as well.

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#### A vista d'hotel

#### **SUNDAY 01**

The roof terraces of Barcelona's hotels fill with life and music for the first week of June.

#### Catalan **festivities**

#### **SATURDAY 21**

Experience Catalan culture and traditions close up at the Plaça de la Catedral.

#### St. John's Eve

#### **MONDAY 23**

The summer solstice is celebrated with bonfires and fireworks.

## **Exhibitions**

Information and sales: Tourist Information Points and www.barcelonaturisme.cat

## Arxiu Fotogràfic de Barcelona

(Pl. Pons & Clerch, 2). M: Arc de Triomf (L1) & Jaume I (L4). T. 93 256 34 20. Mon-Sat 10am-7pm. Closed Sun and bublic holidays.

FREE About the 11th of September.
Declarations and rhetoric in
photography. 13 Jun-18 Oct.

#### Arxiu Històric de la Ciutat de Barcelona

(Santa Llúcia, 1). M: Jaume I (L4) & Urquinaona (L1, L4). T. 93 31 81 195. Mon-Fri 9am-7.30pm; Sat 9am-1pm. Closed Sun and public holidays.

FREE The 11th of September in Barcelona: the history of a commemoration. Until Dec.

#### CaixaForum

(Av. Francesc Ferrer & Guàrdia, 6-8). M: Espanya (L1, L3, FGC). T. 93 476 86 00. Mon-Sun 10am-8pm. Adults €4. Under 16s free.

Sorolla. The colour of the sea. 13 Jun-14 Sep. The Valencian artist's paintings of the sea.

Mediterranean. From myth to reason. *Until 15 Jun*. An exhibition in

which myths meet history.

Jesuit reductions in Paraguay
18 Jun-14 Sep.

"Contratemps'. Comisart: New perspectives on 'la Caixa's contemporary art collection. *Until* 24 Aug.

Windows on the world. Until 31

Aug. The realities of life in developing countries seen through a series of short films.

#### Can Framis. Fundació Vila Casas

(Roc Boronat, 116-126). M: Glòries (L1), Poblenou (L4) & Llacuna (L4). T. 93 320 87 36. Tue-Sat 11am-6pm; Sun 11am-2pm. Closed Mon, public holidays. Adults & S. Reduced & 2.

#### Permanent exhibition.

Contemporary painting in a former cotton mill in Poble Nou's 22@ district.

**Antoni Pitxot, Memory and time** *Until 20 Jul.* A journey through the work of this surrealist painter, collaborator and friend of Dalí.

Painting Prize Winners 2013 Until 20 Jul. Works by Jordi Lafon, Silvia Martinez-Palou and Lidia Masllorens.

#### Castell de Montjuïc

(Ctra. de Montjuïc, 66). M: Espanya (L1, L3, FGC). T. 93 256 44 45. Apr-Sep, Mon-Sun & public hols: 10am-8pm. 65. Reduced: 63.

Montjuïc, the construction of a castle. Permanent exhibition, telling the story of Montjuïc and its castle.

Doble Creu. Sculpture by Carles Berga. Permanent exhibition. Postwar Barcelona. 1939-1945 Until 30 Jun.

#### Centre de Cultura Contemporània de Barcelona

(Montalegre, 5). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). T. 93 306 41 00. Tue-Sun & public hols 11am-8pm. Closed Mon (except public hols). 66. Reduced (Wed except public hols): 64. Free under-16s & unemployed.

**Metamorphosis** *Until 7 Sep*. Essential figures in animated film-making.

**Big Bang Data.** *Until 26 Oct.* The phenomenon of the information explosion and its effects on society.

FREE The begining of tomorrow. The Commonwealth of Catalonia. Until 20 Jul.

#### CosmoCaixa

(Isaac Newton, 26). M: Av. Tibidabo (FGC). T. 93 212 60 50. Tue-Sun & public hols 10am-8pm. Closed Mon (except public hols) 64 (permanent and temporary exhibitions). Under -16s free; first Sun of month free.

Permanent exhibition No end date. Barcelona's science museum has over 50,000 m2 of exhibitions & activities.

Mediterranean. No end date.
The Mediterranean region, and the
conservation challenges it faces.

Let's talk about drugs. No end date. The effects of drug consumption on the brain, health and behaviour.

Top Science. No end date. A

new exhibition featuring groundbreaking research projects.

#### Cúpula del Centre Comercial Las Arenas

(Cúpula del Centre Comercial Las Arenas. Plaça diEspanya, s/n). M: Espanya (L2-L3-FGC). Mon-Sun & public hols, 10an-9pm. (Last admission 8pm). 612. Reduced: 67. Under -7s free. More info: www.humanbodies.eu

**Human Bodies** *Until 12 Oct.* A journey inside the human body.

#### **Disseny Hub Barcelona**

(Plaça de les Glòries, 37-38). M: Glòries (L1). T. 93 256 34 63. Guided tour: Sun 11am & 12.30pm. Info & bookings: 93256 68 01. Line open: Tue-Fri 10am-1pm. Thu 3pm-5.30pm. 63. Info: www.museudeldisseny.bcn.cat.

Disseny Hub Barcelona Guided tour by reservation in Catalan, Spanish and English, Sun, 11 & 12.30am. Visit Barcelona's design museum.

#### **El Born Centre Cultural**

(Plaça Comercial, 12). M: Jaume I (L4) & Barceloneta (L4). T. 93 256 68 51. Tues-Sun and public holidays, 10am-8pm. Closed Mon (except public holidays). 66. Reduced: 64. Under 16s free. Sun 3pm-8pm free. First Sun every month free, 10am-8pm. More info: www. elborncentrecultural.com.

El Born Centre Cultural Under the cast iron superstructure of one of the city's most striking 19<sup>th</sup> century markets lies an urban archaeological site that is unique in Europe.

Sala Villarroel Barcelona 1700. From stones to people. Permanent exhibition. Eighteenth-century Barcelona was dynamic and forward looking, but marked by the wars that affected the city from 1691 to 1714.

Sala Casanova Until it is done! The siege of 1714 Until 11 Sep. Exhibition on the Catalan War of 1713-1714, the epilogue to the War of the Spanish Succession.

#### Basílica de Santa Maria del Pi

(Pl. del Pi, 7). M: Liceu (L3). T.93 318 47 43. Until 10 Nov: Mon-Sat, 10am-7pm. Sun & public hols, 4-8pm. €4. Reduced: €3. Santa Maria del Pi 1714, a community under siege. Until 15 Oct. The siege of 1714.

#### Espais VolART-Fundació Vila Casas

(Ausiàs March, 22). M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). T. 93 481 7985. Tue-Fri 5-8.30pm; Sat 11am-2pm, 5-8.30pm; Sun 11am-2pm. Closed Mon and public holidays. &1. Reduced: 50¢.

Arquer Buigas: The return to painting Until 29 Jun. Paintings immersed in impressionist atmospheres.

Baldo Pié / 'From the balcony of my silence' (Espai Volart 2) Until 20

Mayte Vieta / 'Cycle' (Espai Volart 2) Until 20 Jul. The 'Cycle' installation, with three large-format photographs.

#### Fundació Antoni Tàpies

(Aragó, 255). M: Passeig de Gràcia (L2, L3, L4). T. 93 487 03 15. Tue-Sun 10am-7pm. Closed Mon. & T. Students and pensioners, & 5.60.

Kerry James Marshall. Painting and Other Stuff 11 Jun-26 Oct. One the US artists biggest European exhibitions to date.

**Antoni Tàpies. Collection, #8** 11 *Jun-26 Oct.* A renewed selection of artworks from the Foundation's collection.

#### Fundació Francisco Godia

(Diputació, 250). M: Passeig de Gràcia (L2, L3, L4) & Provença (FGC). T. 93 272 31 80. Mon-Sun 10am-8pm. Closed Tue. €7. Reduced €4.

Permanent exhibition. Specializing in Medieval art, ceramics, modern and contemporary painting, with works by Ramon Casas, Santiago Rusiñol, Isidre Nonell, Pablo Picasso, Joan Miró and Miquel Barceló.

#### Fundació Joan Miró

(Parc de Montjuïc, s/n). M: Espanya (L1, L3, FGC). T. 93 443 94 70. Tue-Sat 10am-8pm; Thu 10am-9.30pm; Sun & public holidays 10am-2.30pm. Closed Mondays. & 11. Temporary exhibition: & 7. Espai 13: & 2.50.

From Miró to Barcelona. Art in public spaces. *Until 2 Nov.* 

Roni Horn. Everything slept as if the universe were an error.  $19\, Jun\text{-}28$  Seb.

Espai 13: Lola Lasurt: Double authorization. Preventive archaeology cycle Until 24 June. Joaquim Gomis Until 5 Oct. Photographs in the vestibule.

#### Fundació Suñol

(Passeig de Gràcia, 98). M: Diagonal (L3, L5). T. 93 496 10 32. Mon-Fri 11am-2pm & 4-8pm; Sat 4-8pm. €6. Closed Sun and public hols. Reduced: €3.

Josep Suñol Collection. 'On Paper'. Until 10 Jan. Works on paper from artists including Picasso, Dalí, Chillida, Tàpies, among others.

**Susana Solano** 'Low-level flight' *Until 6 Sep.* Two works that trace horizontality and memory.

Martí Anson 'The Catalan
Pavilion. Anonymous Architect' Until
6 Sep. The Catalan pavilion that
Martí Anson presented at the
Palais de Tokyo in Paris.

#### Jardí Botànic

(Doctor Font i Quer, s/n). M: Espanya (L1, L3, FGC). T. 93 256 41 60. Every day, 10am-8pm. €3.50. Reduced €1.70.

Jardí Botànic (MCNB -Museu de Ciències Naturals de Barcelona) Plants from global Mediterranean climate zones.

#### La Pedrera, gallery

(Provença, 261-265). T. 902 202 138. M: Provenza (FGC) & Diagonal (L3, L5). T. 93 214 25 80 Mon-Sun, 10am-8pm. (last admission: 7.30pm). €3.

**Colita. Just because!** *Until 13 Jul.* One of the best-known contemporary Catalan photographers.

#### MACBA. Museu d'Art Contemporani

(Plaça dels Àngels, 1). M: Universitat (L1, L2) & Sant Antoni (L2). T. 93 412 08 10. Mon-Fri 11am-7.30pm; Sat 10am-9pm; Sun, public holidays 10am-3pm. 25 Jun-24 Sep: Mon-Fri 11am-8pm; Fri, 11am-10pm; Sat 10am-10pm; Sun, public holidays, 10am-3pm. Closed Tues, except public holidays. Whole museum ticket: €10 (reduced €8).

Grup R, the engine of modernity Until 24 Jun. The ideas and works of a group of architects that created their own version of the modern aesthetic, under the Franco dictatorship.

Antoni Abad. megafone. net/2004-2014 Until 24 Jun. The experiences and opinions of marginalised social groups seen through the use of mobile phones.

The eye listens. Eugeni Bonet: Screens, projections, writings. Until 31 Aug. A selection of audiovisual programmes created by Eugeni Bonet.

Col·lecció 2014: The Immaterial Legacy. *Until 2015*. Changes and ruptures in art and society at the beginning of the 1990s.

Xavier Ribas / 'Nitrat' 5 Jun-12 Oct. Recent history is re-read through photography, in a photographic projects with nitrate and its extraction as its central axis.

#### The Immaterial Legacy

investigates the cultural collisions and moments of rupture art practices were involved in from the end of the '70s to the start of the '90s.

#### MEAM: Museu Europeu d'Art Modern

(Barra de Ferro, 5). M: Jaume I (L4). T. 93 319 56 93. Tue-Sun, 10am-8pm. €7. Reduced €5.

21st century art. New exhibition from the museum's collection with almost 300 paintings and

80 sculptures.

□ Jorge Egea & Ramón Casanova / Martyrium Sanctae Eulaliae 5-27 Jun. Contemporary works reflecting on the martyrdom of Saint Eulalia.

Richard MacDonaldís sculpture Until 1 Jun. 60 works by this well-known US sculptor, whose largescale figurative works portray the human form, often focusing on dancers and circus performers.

#### MIBA. Museu d'Idees i Invents de Barcelona

(Ciutat, 7). M: Jaume I (L4). T. 93 332 79 30. Tue-Fri 10am-2pm, 4-7pm; Sat 11am-7pm; Sun, public holidays. Closed Mon (except public holidays) 10am-2pm. 68. Reduced 66.

Permanent exhibition. The fascinating world of creativity and inventing.

#### **MUHBA El Call**

(Placeta de Manuel Ribé). M: Liceu (L3) & Jaume I (L4). T. 93 256 21 22. Tue-Fri 10an-2pm, 4-7pm. Sat, Sun 11am-7pm. Public hols and Mon before a public hol (10am-2pm). Or dosed Mon. €2.20.

Salomó ben Adret (1235-1310). The Triumph of an Orthodoxy. Permanent exhibition.

#### MUHBA Fabra i Coats. Espai Josep Bota

(Sant Adrià, 20). M: St. Andreu (L1). T. 93 256 21 22. Tue-Fri, 5-8pm. Sat & Sun, 11am-2pm & 4.30-7.30pm.

Espai Josep Bota. The Fabra i Coats factory becomes a history museum. Laboratori 3: objects, words and images. *Until 27 Sep.* 

#### MUHBA Museu d'Història de Barcelona

(Pl. del Rei). M: Jaume I (L4). T. 93 256 21 22. Tue-Sat 10am-7pm; Sun 10am-8pm (Sun free after 3pm). Public hols 10am-2pm. Or dosed Mon. E7. Under-16s free. Sunday afternoon, free.

← Permanent exhibition. An archaeological tour of the Roman colony of Barcino.

The world of 1714 (Saló del Tinell) *Until 30 Sep.* The world of the early 1700s and the War of the Spanish Succession.

Monasteries in times of war. Sant Pere de les Puel·les & Santa Clara, 1701-1718 (Capella de Santa Àgata) Until 28 Sep.

#### **MUHBA Park Güell**

(Olot, s/n. Casa de la Guarda). T. 93 256 21 22. 25 Oct-23 Mar: daily, 8.30 am-6pm. 24 Mar. 10 Oct, 8.30 am-9.30 pm. The Casa de la Guarda museum is in Park Güell's 'monumental zone'; visits are covered by admission conditions. More info: www.parkguell.cat

MUHBA Park Güell Permanent exhibition. The Casa de la Guarda, Park Güell and modernista Barcelona.

#### **MUHBA Refugi 307**

(Nou de la Rambla, 175). M: Paral·lel (L2, L3). T. 93 256 21 22. Sun: guided visits by appt only. 10.30am, 11.30am, 12.30pm. Closed public hols. €3.40. MUHBA Refugi 307 Permanent exhibition. 400 metres of underground passageways constructed during the Civil War are a testimony of the city's experience of aerial bombardment.

#### **MUHBA Santa Caterina**

(Pl. de Joan Capri). T. 93 256 21 22. Mon-Sat 10am-2pm Closed Sun and public holidays.

**FREE** Permanent collection.

#### Museu Blau

(Pl. de Leonardo da Vinci, 4-5, Parc del Fòrum). M: El Maresme/Fòrum (L4). T. 93 256 60 02. Tue-Fri, 10am-Tpm. Sat & Sun, 10am-8pm. Closed Mon (except public hols). 66. Reduced: 62.70. Museum & Botanical Gardens 67. Reduced: 65.

**Planeta Vida** Permanent exhibition. History of life and its evolution on our planet, from its origins to the present.

Venomous! Nature's most poisonous animals. *Until Mar 2015*. The functions and uses of poison in nature with 50 live animals.

**Living pages** *Until 28 Sep.* A journey through the history of life, through a selection of fold-out books.

#### Museu de Badalona

(Pl. Assemblea de Catalunya, 1). Badalona. M: Pep Ventura (L2). T. 93 384 1750. Tue-Sat 10am-2pm, 5-8pm; Sun & public hols 10am-2pm. €6.48. Reduced: €2.16.

Baetulo, a Roman City Permanent exhibition. Visit the underground remains of the Roman baths and the Decumanus Maximus.

FREE I+D.lbers+Development Until 20 Jul. Tue-Sat, 5-8pm. Sun, 10am-2pm

#### Museu de Montserrat

(Abadia de Montserrat. 08199 Montserrat). Monistrol de Montserrat. T. 93 877 77 45. Mon-Sun 10am-5.30pm. €7. Reduced: €4.

Permanent exhibition. Paintings by El Greco, Caravaggio, Tiepolo, Monet, Sisley, Degas, Pissarro, Miró, Dalí and Picasso.

Coptic textiles from the Museu de Montserrat. The Soler Vilabella Collection. *Until Oct.* 

**Antonio Beneyto** *Until 6 Jun.* Pictorial works by the multi-faceted Spanish artist.

#### Museu de l'Eròtica

(La Rambla, 96). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). T. 93 318 98 65. Mon-Sun 10am-12bm. Adults €9. Reduced: €8.

Permanent exhibition. The world of eroticism and its representation in art.

\*Contradiction of Attraction' / Rob McDonald Until 12 May. Erotic sculptures in the museum garden.

#### Museu de la Moto de Barcelona

(Carrer de la Palla, 10). T. 933 186 584. Tue-Sat 10am-2pm, 4pm-8pm; Sun 10am-2pm. Closed Mon. €6. Reduced: €4.

The history of the motorbike in Catalonia. 36 of the most representative models.

**Unique and unusual motorbikes.** *Until Sep.* Prototypes, early bikes and specialized models.

#### Museu de la Música

(L'Auditori. Lepant, 150). M: Glòries (L1) & Marina (L1). T. 93 256 36 50. Tue-Sat 10am-6pm; Sun 10am-8pm. Closed Mon. E4. Reduced: E3. Free admission Sun from 3pm.

The music of 1714. *Until 19*Oct. Musical transformations during the War of the Spanish Succession.

#### Museu de la Xocolata

(Comerç, 36 - Antic Convent de Sant Agustí). M: Arc de Triomf (I.1). T.93 268 78 78. Mon-Sat 10am-7pm; Sun 10am-3pm. 65. Group ticket: 4 6.

Permanent exhibition. The story of chocolate, from its earliest origins to its arrival in Europe in the 19<sup>th</sup> century, with a special focus on its use in Barcelona and Catalonia.

#### Museu del Futbol Club Barcelona

(Aristides Maillol, s/n. Estadi FCB. Gates 7 or 9). M: Les Corts (L3). T. 902 18 99 00. Until 22 Jun: Mon-Sat 9.30amñ7.30pm; Sun, public holidays 9.30am2.30pm. E23. Children: €17. Under 6 and FCB members, free.

Camp Nou experience
Permanent exhibition. Discover 100
years of the club's history.

#### Museu del Mamut

(C/Montcada, 1). M: Jaume I (L4). T. 93 268 85 20. Mon-Sun 10am-9pm. €7.50. Reduced: €5. Children (6-15): €3.50.

Permanent exhibition. Remains of mammoths and other Ice Age animals.

#### Museu del Modernisme Català

(Balmes, 48). M: Passeig de Gràcia (L2, L3, L4). T. 93 272 28 96. Mon-Sat 10am-8pm; Sun, public hols 10am-2pm. & 10. Reduced: & 7.

Permanent exhibition. 350 works by the most important artists of the Catalan Modernisme movement.

#### Museu Egipci de Barcelona

(València, 284). M: Passeig de Gràcia (L2, L3, L4). T. 93 488 01 88. Mon-Sun 10am-8pm; Sun 10am-2pm. Adults €11. Reduced €8.

← Permanent exhibition. Almost a thousand exhibits from Ancient Egyptian civilisation.

#### **Museu Frederic Marès**

(Plaça de Sant Iu, 5). M: Liceu (L3) & Jaume I (L4). T. 93 256 35 00. Tue-Sat 10am-7pm; Sun, public hols 11am-8pm. Closed Mon except public hols. 64.20. Reduced: 62.40.

**Permanent exhibition**. The extraordinary collection of day-to-day objects and artworks that Frederic Marès amassed over his lifetime.

Rafael Casanova. The popularisation of a monumental sculpture.  $Until\ 14\ Dec.$ 

A look back at 1700. Drawing on engraving from the Gelonch Viladegut collection. 17 Jun-2 Nov.

#### Museu Marítim de Barcelona

(Av. de les Drassanes, s/n). M: Drassanes (L3). T. 93 342 99 20. Every day, 10am-8pm. & Reduced: & 4.

**Out to sea.** Until Dec. A tour of the museum's collection.

Antarctica, life at the limit.

Modern-day scientific voyages Until

8 Jun

Vikings. Beyond the legend *Until* 28 Sep. The Vikings' world and culture.

Josep Albert's seascapes *Until 8 Jun.* Marine landscapes of the Catalan and Valencian coast.

#### Museu Nacional d'Art de Catalunya

(Parc de Montjuïc). M: Espanya (L1, L3, FGC). T. 93 622 03 60. Tue-Sat 10am-8pm, Sun, public hols 10am-3pm. Closed Mon (expect public hols). €12. Sat from 3bm: free. Ind. visit to the terraces.

**Permanent exhibition.** The most important collections of Romanesque art and Catalan modernista style.

Josep Tapiró. Painter of Tangiers. *Until 14 Sept.* 

The painter Antoni Viladomat. 1678-1755. The graphic works of a precursor. Until 31 Dec.

## Museu Olímpic i de l'Esport Joan Antoni Samaranch

(Av. de l'Estadi Olímpic, 60). M: Espanya (L.1, L.3, FGC). T. 93 292 53 79. Apr. Sep. Tue-Sat 10am-8pm; Sun, public hols 10am-2.30pm. €5.10. Students: €3.20. Under-7s & over-65s; free.

Permanent exhibition: experience sport and the Olympic spirit.

#### **Museu Picasso**

(Montcada, 15-23). M: Jaume I (L4). T. 93 256 30 00. Tue-Sun 9am-7pm; Thu 9am-9.30pm. Closed Mon (except public hols). €14 (museum + temporary exhibition). Collection only: €11. Temporary exhibition only: €6.50.

**Permanent exhibition.** Over 3,800 works from periods in Picasso's life.

Post-Picasso: contemporary reactions. *Until 29 Jun.* 

Barcelona's landscapes. Until 14 Sep.

#### **Palau Robert**

(Pg. de Gràcia, 107). M: Diagonal (L3, L5). T. 93 238 80 91. Mon-Sat 10am– 7pm. Sun, public hols 10am-2.30pm.

FREE Sala 1: Prix Pictet. *Until 24*Aug. Prize-winning photographs, this year on the subject of consumption.

FREE Sala 2 'Love Me' Until 31 Aug. Photographer Zed Nelson's obsession with youth and beauty.

FREE Sala 3 Explaining El Bulli Foundation. 2 Jun - 27 Jul. Ferran Adrià's new project.

FREE Sala 4 1714: The graphic memory of a war. *Until 29 Jun.* Prints on the War of the Spanish Succession.

FREE Dance, Perelada Festival. Until 17 Jul. Photographic exhibition.

#### Pis-museu Casa Bloc Habitatge 1/11

(DHUB-Casa Bloc. C. d'Almirall Pròixida, 1-3-5). M: Torras i Bages (L1). Guided tour in Catalan, Spanish and English by appt. Tours: Sat 11am & 12.30pm. Book and info: T. 93 256 68 01, lines open Tue-Wed 10am-1pm, Thu 3-5.30pm. €3. www.museudeldisseny.cat

Casa Bloc (1932-1939) An outstanding example of rational social housing in Barcelona.

#### Reial Monestir de Santa Maria de Pedralbes

(Baixada del Monestir, 9). M: Reina Elisenda (FGC). T. 93 256 34 34. Tues-Fri, 10am-5pm; Sat & Sun, 10am-7pm. Public holidays, 10am-2pm. Closed Mon (except public holidays). & Reduced: & 4. Murals under the magnifying

glass. Paintings from the Sant Miquel Chapel. Permanent exhibition. Heritage in times of war, 1931-1941 *Until 8 Dec.* Declared a historic monument in 1931, Pedralbes Monastery became a storehouse for artworks.

#### Virreina Centre de la Imatge

(Rambla, 99). M: Liceu (L3). T. 93 316 10 00. Tue-Sun & public hols, 12-8pm.

FREE 25% Catalonia at Venice Until 27 Jun.

### **Theatre**

#### El Molino

(Vilà i Vilà, 99). www.elmolinobcn. com. M: Paral·lel (L2, L3). www. elmolinobcn.com.

**C** Life is a cabaret *Thu*, 9.30pm. Fri, Sat 6.30 & 9.30pm. €33.

#### Teatre Gaudí Barcelona

(Sant Antoni Maria Claret, 120). T. 93 603 51 52. www.teatregaudibarcelona. com. M: Sagrada Família (L2, L5). Ticket offices open an hour before show starts.

Magnetismes Dir. Pepa Fluvià. Until 8 Jun. Thu-Sat, 8.30pm. Sun, 6pm. €20. In Catalan.

Tu digues que l'estimes Thu-Sat, 10pm. Sun, 6pm. Until 8 Jun. €20. In Catalan.

GFWFQ A story of the

Universe-12-22 Jun. €20. In Spanish. Adaptation of Italo Calvino's 'Cosmicomicas'.

**Aquí va a pasar algo** Check times on website. 26-29 Jun. €20. In Spanish.

#### **Teatre Lliure: Montjuïc**

(Pg. Santa Madrona, 40-46). T. 93 289 27 70. www.teatrelliure.cat. M: Espanya (L1, L3, FGC) & Poble Sec (L3). Ticket offices open 9am-8pm on weekdays (in Sala Fabià Puigserver).

El hijo del acordeonista Wed-Fri, 8.30pm. Sat, 9pm. Sun, 6pm. 11-15 Jun. €22-€29. In Spanish and Basque.

La ronde de nuit Thu & Fri, 8.30pm. Sat, 9pm. Sun, 6pm. 19-22 Jun. 624.50-629. In French and Perisna, with subtitles in Catalan.

#### **Teatre Lliure: Gràcia**

(Montseny, 47). T. 93 238 76 25. www.teatrelliure.com. M: Fontana (L3). Ticket offices open Mon-Fri 5-8pm.

Happy days by Samuel Beckett. Tue-Wed, 8.30pm. Sat, 9pm. Sun, 6pm. Until 15 Jun. €22-€29. In Catalan.

## Teatre Nacional de Catalunya (TNC)

(Pl. de les Arts, 1). T. 93 306 57 00. www.tnc.cat. M: Glòries (L1). Ticket offices open Wed-Fri, 3-7pm. Sat, 3-8.30pm. Sun, 3-5pm.

Fronteres by Lluïsa Cunillé. Wed-Sat, 8pm Sun, 6pm. Until 8 Jun. €11.50-€23. In Catalan.

The game of love and chance by Pierre de Marivaux. Wed-Fri, 8pm. Sat, 5pm & 9.30pm. Sun, 6pm. Until 22 Jun. 614-628. In Catalan.

#### **Teatre Poliorama**

(La Rambla, 115). T. 93 317 75 99. www.bcn.cat/grec. M: Catalunya (L1, L3). Ticket offices: Tues-Fri from 5pm, Sat & Sun from 4pm, until performance starts.

Álvaro Carmona / 'YoSoy' Sat, 7, 14 & 21 Jun: 11pm. €14. In Spanish.

Men are from Mars and women are from Venus. Check times at www. teatrepoliorama.com. €17-€23. In Catalan. Adaptation of John Gray's hest-seller

#### **Teatre Principal**

(La Rambla, 27). Tel. 934 123 129. M: Drassanes (L3).

**Luna Flamenca** *Wed. No end date. Show only: €56. Show and dinner: €84.* Flamenco show.

#### Teatre Victòria

(Avinguda Paral·lel, 65-67). T. 93 329 91 89. www.teatrevitoria.com. M: Paral·lel (L2-L3). Ticket offices open Wed-Fri from 5pm, Sat, Sun from 4pm until performance starts...

**Voca People!** Wed & Fri, 8.30pm. Thu, 5pm & 8.30pm. Sat, 6.30pm & 9.30pm. Sun, 6.30 pm. Until 8 Jun. €20-€38. Musical theatre.

#### **Dance**

#### Mercat de les Flors

(Lleida, 59). T. 93 426 18 75. www. mercatflors.cat M: Poble Sec (L3). Ticket offices open one hour before performance starts.

**L'OBC-Mercat de les Flors** *Times tbc.* 6 & 7 *Jun.* €16.

The Inquisitive Middle (as part of Sònar 2014) / Sònia Gómez & Lucy Suggate 8.30pm. 13 Jun. €16 (price with Sònar ticket: €12).

#### **Teatre Victòria**

(Av. Paral·lel, 65-67). T. 93 329 91 89. www.teatrevitoria.com. M: Paral·lel (L2, L3). Ticket offices open Wed–Fri from 5pm, Sat, Sun from 4pm until performance starts..

**Śwan Lake** 9pm (except 22 Jun: 7pm). 19-22 Jun. €35 & €39. Russian Classical Ballet.

## INFORMATION AND SALES

Tourist Information Points and www.barcelonaturisme.cat



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## Day by day

Information and sales: Tourist Information Points and www.barcelonaturisme.cat

#### Sunday 1

#### Al fresco

FREE Plaça Sant Josep Oriol Art fair (Plaça Sant Josep Oriol & Plaça del Pi, s/n), M: Liceu (L.3). Sat, 11am-8pm. Sun, 11am-2pm. Let yourself be seduced by two charming squares, Plaça del Pi and Plaça Sant Josep Oriol, with 40 artists selling their works.

#### In the city

FREE Motoclàssica Barcelona Lilla Diagonal (Av. Diagonal, 669). M: Maria Cristina (L3). From 10.30am. www. museumoto.com. Classic motorbikes, with an urban rally around the city, an exhibition and activities for all.

#### Classical music

The OBC and Pictures from an Exhibition L'Auditori (Lepant, 150). M: Glories (L.1). 11am. €10-€51. Works by Ravel, Casablancas, Mussorgski and Dutilleux.

The Orfeó Català Girls Choir Palau de la Música Catalana (Palau de la Música, 4-6). M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). 6pm. €10-€15.

#### **Various**

A vista d'hotel Various hotels. Until 8 Jun. More info: www.avistadhotel.cat. Lap up the view, enjoy special menus, parties, concerts, chill-outs and more on the roof terraces of Barcelona's hotels.

#### **Festival**

Loop Festival Various venues. Until 7 Jun. More info: www.loop-barcelona. com. The only video art festival dedicated exclusively to images in motion, with short films and videos on display in various venues across the city.

Primavera Sound als Clubs: Chromeo + Cloud Nothings + Dave P + Ty Segall + Vâlius Sala Apolo (Nou de la Rambla, 113). M: Paral·lel (L.2, L.3). 9.30pm. Entry with Primavera Sound full festival ticket: www.primaverasound. es. Live shows in the city's clubs as part of the festival programme.

Primavera Sound als Clubs: Showcase Bcore | Cuello + Fuckiní Bollocks + No More Lies La [2] diApolo (Nou de la Rambla, 111). M: Paral·lel (L.2, L.3). Entry with Primavera Sound full festival ticket: www. brimaverasound.es.

#### Flamenco

◆ 'Oro Puro' at the Tablao Cordobes (La Rambla, 35). M: Drassanes (L3). 6.30, 8.15, 10 & 11.30pm. 642.50 (show + one drink). A host of talented performers, including Junco and Mercedes de Córdoba, who took first prize for dance at the Córdoba Flamenco Art Contest 2013.

#### Gospel

The Gospel Evolution Project / Twocats by Emmanuel Djob
L'Auditori (Lepant, 150). M: Glòries
(L1). 7.30pm. Performance of works by gospel composer Emmanuel Diob.

Vallgormusic Museu Nacional D'Art de Catalunya (Parc de Montjuïc). M: Espanya (L1, L3, FGC). Sala Oval. 12pm. Gospel concert.

#### Jazz

FREE Vermut Jazz L'Auditori (Lepant, 150). M: Glòries (L1), Monumental (L2) & Marina (L1). 12.45pm. Classic jazz in the Auditori's outdoor space.

#### **Kids**

**The musicians of Bremen** *Gran Teatre del Liceu (La Rambla, 51-59). M: Liceu (L3). 12pm. €12.* Dance for the whole family.

The world of little Berta Poble Espanyol (Av. de Francesc Ferrer i Guàrdia, 13). M: Espanya (L1, L3, FGC). Sun, 12.30pm. €12. Reduced: €7.



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In Catalan. Family show (with stories and songs).

#### Tour

#### **FREE Guided tour of Poble Nou**

Cemetery Cementiri de Poblenou (Av. Icària, s/n). M: Llacuna (L4). 1st and 3rd Sunday. 10.30am (Catalan) & 12.30pm (Spanish). A tour of 19th-century Barcelona via family mausoleums.

## **Monday 2**

#### Classical music

← Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Pedro J. González Basílica de Santa Maria del Pi (Pl. de Pi, 7). M: Liceu (L3). 9pm. €21.

#### Various

A vista d'hotel Various hotels in Barcelona, Until 8 Iun. See 1 Iun.

#### Flamenco

Flamenco at Sala Tarantos Tarantos (Pl. Reial, 17). M: Liceu (L3). 8.30, 9.30 & 10.30pm & 10 (ticket offices). & (online). An institution for the younger generation of Catalan flamenco musicians.

## **Festival**

**Loop Festival** *Various venues. Until 7 Jun.* See 1 Jun.

#### Jazz

➡ Jazz concerts at Jamboree Jamboree (Pl. Reial, 17). M: Liceu (L3). 8 & 10pm. €12 (ticket offices). €10 (online). The city's essential jazz club, with a cutting edge programme.

### Rock

Nasty Mondays Sala Apolo (Nou de la Rambla, 113). M: Paral·lel (L2, L3). Mon, 12am. €15 (ticket offices). €14 (advance). One of BCN's wildest parties.

## **Tuesday 3**

## Classical music

María Bayo, soprano Palau de la Misica Catalana (Palau de la Misica, 4-6). M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). 8.30pm. 611-680. Works by Humet, Mozart and Canteloube. Bcn Guitar Duo. 'Carmen' Església de Santa Anna (Santa Anna, 29). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). 9pm. €21. The Spanish guitar in concert with music by Albèniz, Granados & Rodrigo.

#### Various

**A vista díhotel** Various hotels in Barcelona. Until 8 Jun. See 1 Jun.

## **Festival**

**Loop Festival** *Various venues. Until 7 Jun. More info:* See 1 Jun.

#### Indie

The Pains of Being Pure at Heart La [2] diApolo (Nou de la Rambla, 111). M: Paral·lel (L2, L3). 8.15pm. 620 (ticket offices). 617 (advance). The NY indie combo has become one of the most-talked-about underground guitar bands of the moment.

#### **la77**

Jazz Concerts at the Milano Cocktail Bar (Ronda Universitat, 35). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). 8.30pm (double session). Cover charge, 68. Live jazz, blues and swing.

## Opera

The Valkyrie / Richard Wagner Gran Teatre del Liceu (La Rambla, 51-59). M: Liceu (L3). 7pm. 69.50-6168.75. Last chance to enjoy Wagner's great opera this season.

#### **Traditions**

← Guided visit to Castells rehearsal Various venues: Castellers de Sants, Castellers de La Vila de Gràcia & Castellers de Barcelona. Tue, Thu & Fri. More info: www.castellscat.cat. €24.20. Reduced: €20.50. Find out what goes into the creation of the human towers that have been recognised by UNESCO as an element of Intangible Human Heritage.

## Wednesday 4

## Classical music

➡ Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Ekaterina Záytseva Palau de la Música (Palau de la Música, 4-6). M: Urquinaona (L.1, L.4). 9pm. €28-€32. The Spanish guitar in concert.

#### **Various**

A vista d'hotel Various hotels in Barcelona. Until 8 Jun. More info: www. avistadhotel.cat. See 1 Jun.

#### **Festival**

**Loop Festival** Various venues. 29 May-7 Jun. More info: www.loop-barcelona. com. See 1 Jun.

## Flamenco

◆ Opera and Flamenco Teatre Poliorama (La Rambla, 115). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). 7pm. €25. An innovative show that mixes the Spanish traditions of opera, zarzuela and flamenco.

## Pop-rock

Estopa Teatre-Auditori Sant Cugat (Pl. de Victoria dels Angels, 1). M: FGC (Catalunya): S1, S2 Sant Cugat. 9pm. 632 & 642. The rumba rock duo presents new release 'Estopa a solas'.

#### Rock

The Flamin' Groovies La [2] d'Apolo (Nou de la Rambla, 111). M: Paral·lel (L2, L3). 8pm. €23 (on the door). €18 (advance). The legendary US rockers.

## **Thursday 5**

## Classical music

**Bcn216: English music** *L'Auditori* (*Lepant, 150*). *M: Glòries* (*L1*). *8.30pm. 66*. Works by Benjamin, Anderson and Adès.

♠ Masters of the Spanish Guitar.

Ekaterina Záytseva Basílica de Santa Maria del Pi (Pl. de Pi, 7). M: Liceu (L3).

9pm. €21. The Spanish guitar in concert

## Festival

**Loop Festival** *Various venues. Until 7 Jun.* See 1 Jun.

## Flamenco

**Cia. Ballet Flamenco /**'Flamenco Experience' Teatre
Apolo (Av. Paral·lel, 57-59). M:
Paral·lel (L3). Wed-Sat, 9pm. Sun,
7pm. €32. Wed: €26. 4-27 Jun. The
company's latest show presents the
main flamenco palos.

#### Folk

**25 Guitar Festival BCN: Joe Henry** *Luz de Gas (Muntaner, 246). M: Diagonal (L3, L5). 9pm. e28 & e36.* US singer-songwriter Joe Henry presents new album 'Invisible hour'.

## Opera

◆ Opera nights at Palau Dalmases Palau Dalmases (Montcada, 20). M: Jaume I (L4). Thu, 11pm. €20. The perfect venue for a night of opera.

#### Rock

Dan Baird & Home Made Sin La [2] d'Apolo (Nou de la Rambla, 111). M: Paral·lel (L2, L3). 8pm. 620 (on the door). 617 (advance). Dan Baird returns to Spain to present 'Circus Life'.

## **Traditions**

← Guided visit to a Castells (human tower) rehearsal Various venues: Castellers de Sants, Castellers de La Vila de Gràcia & Castellers de Barcelona. Tue, Thu & Fri. Check times and availability: www.castellscat.cat. €24.20. Reduced: €20.50. See 3 Jun.

## Friday 6

## Blues

Triday's blues al Palau Gomis
MEAM: Museu Europeu d'Art Modern
(Barra de Ferro, 5). M: Jaume I (IA).
6pm. 611. Reduced: 69. (includes
entrance to the Museum's art collection).

## Classical music

► Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Xavier Coll Basilica de Santa Maria del Pi (Pl. de Pi, 7). M: Liceu (L3). 9pm. €21. The Spanish guitar in concert.

## **Various**

Concerts at Casa Milà 'Veus Pedrera endins' La Pedrera (Provença, 261-265). M: Provença (FGC) & Diagonal (L3, L5). 9.30pm.6 & 13 Jun. 622. (Concert + one drink). Gospel, pop-rock and musical theatre in a unique concert in an apartment in La Pedrera.

A vista d'hotel Various hotels in Barcelona. Until 8 Jun. See 1 Jun.

### **Festival**

**Loop Festival** Various venues. Until 7 Jun. More info: www.loop-barcelona. com. See 1 Jun.

#### Flamenco

**Caran Gala Flamenco** *Teatre Poliorama (La Rambla, 115). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). 7pm. €25.* Peek into the thrilling world of flamenco dance.

#### Folk

Dani Flaco and band Sala Apolo (Nou de la Rambla, 113). M: Paral·lel (L2, L3). 8pm. &15 (ticket offices). &12 (advance). Spanish singer presents his last album.

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✓ Jazz concerts at Jamboree Jamboree (Pl. Reial, 17). M: Liceu (L3). 8 & 10pm. €12 (ticket offices). €10 (online).

## **Traditions**

Suided visit to Castells rehearsal Various venues: de Sants, de La Vila de Gràcia & de Barcelona. Tue, Thu & Fri. More info. www.castellscat.cat. €24.20. Reduced: €20.50. See 3 Jun.

## Saturday 7

## Al fresco

FREE Art fair in Plaça Sant Josep Oriol (Plaça Sant Josep Oriol & Plaça del Pt, s/n). M: Liceu (L3). Sat, 11am-8pm. Sun, 11am-2pm. See 1 June.

## Classical music

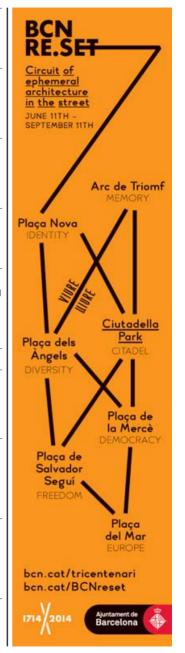
Classical music and teatime at Palau Gomis MEAM (Barra de Ferro, 5). M: Jaume I (L4). Sat, 6pm. 616. (With light meal and museum entrance). Classical music in a striking palace.

## Various styles

FREE Festival Simfònic Various venues. From 6pm. More info: www. simfonic.org. Over 100 simultaneous free concerts in 130 emblematic venues across Barcelona and Catalonia.

## Flamenco and cobla

Álvaro Vizcaíno & Paco Candela LíAuditori (Lepant, 150). M: Glòries (L1), Monumental (L2) & Marina (L1).



8pm. €20-€35. Traditional Catalan cobla music meets flamenco.

#### **Kids**

Digitopia at the Palau Palau de la Música Catalana (Palau de la Música, 4-6). M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). 12pm & 5pm. 611. Creating music with phones and computers.

#### **Traditions**

**FREE Sardanas** (*Plaça de la Catedral*). *Sat, 6pm.* Traditional Catalan dance.

FREE Catalan festivities / Performance by the Esbart Sant Martí traditional dance group (Av. de la Catedral). M: Catalunya (L1, L3, FGC). Sat, 7.30pm.

## **Sunday 8**

## Al fresco

FREE Art fair in Plaça Sant Josep Oriol (Plaça Sant Josep Oriol & Plaça del Pi, s/n). M: Liceu (L3). Sat, 11am-8pm. Sun, 11am-2pm. See 1 June.

#### **Various**

**A vista díhotel** Various hotels in Barcelona. Until 8 Jun. See 1 Jun.

#### Flamenco

Cia. Ballet Flamenco /

'Flamenco Experience' Teatre Apolo (Av. Paral·lel, 57-59). M: Paral·lel (L3). Wed-Sat, 9pm. Sun, 7pm. €32. Wed: €26. 4-27 Jun. See5 Jun.

#### **Traditions**

**FREE Castellers de Barcelona** *Plaça Sant Jaume. M: Liceu (L3) 12pm.* Spectacular human towers..

#### Tour

FREE Guided tour of Montjuïc Cemetery Cementiri de Montjuïc (Mare de Déu del Port. 56-58). 2nd 8

(Mare de Déu del Port, 56-58). 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sun in month. 11am (Catalan) & 11.15am (Spanish). Guided tour of this huge cemetery on Montjuïc.

## Monday 9

## Classical music

Masters of the Spanish Guitar.

Xavier Coll Palau de la Música Catalana (Palau de la Música, 4-6). M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). 9pm. 628-632. The Spanish guitar in concert.

#### Flamenco

Flamenco at Sala Tarantos *Tarantos* (Pl. Reial, 17). M: Liceu (L3). 8.30, 9.30 & 10.30pm €10 (ticket offices). €8 (online). See 2 June.

## **Tuesday 10**

## Classical music

← Bcn Guitar Duo. 'Carmen' Església de Santa Anna (Santa Anna, 29). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). 9pm. €21. See 3 Jun.

► Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Xavier Coll Basilica de Santa Maria del Pi (Pl. de Pi, 7). M.: Liceu (L3). 9pm. €21. The Spanish guitar in concert

## In the city

**Gumball 300** (*Pl. del Mar*). *M:*Barceloneta (*L4*). *7pm. More info: www. gumball 3000.com.* The celebrity international road rally has cars on show, DI sets and skateboard exhibitions.

#### Flamenco

#### Jazz

Jazz Concerts at the Milano Cocktail Bar (Ronda Universitat, 35). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). 8.30pm (double session). Cover charge, €8. See 3 Jun.

## Traditions

Guided visit to Castells

rehearsal Various venues: Castellers de Sants, de La Vila de Gràcia & de Barcelona. Tue, Thu & Fri. More info: www.castellscat.cat. €24.20. Reduced: €20.50. See 3 Jun.

## Wednesday 11

### Classical music

Classical guitar at the Museu de la Música. The greatest collection in the world Museu de la Música

(L'Auditori. Lepant, 150). M: Glòries (L1). Tue-Sun, 3.30 & 4pm. Guided tour and concert. £15. Reduced: £13. Discover the secrets of the classical guitar and enjoy live music by Albéniz and Tàrrega.

▲ Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Ekaterina Záytseva Basilica de Santa Maria del Pi (Pl. de Pi, 7). M: Liceu (L3). 9pm. €21. The Spanish guitar in concert.

## **Thursday 12**

## Classical music

FREE Music in the Parks: Barcelona Municipal Band Parc de les Aigües del Guinardó (Pl. d'Alfons el Savi). M: Alfons X (L4). 8pm. More info: www.bcn. cat/barcelonacultura. Summer concerts in the city's parks with classical music, jazz and more

The Orfeó Català and the the OBC at the Palau Palau de la Música Catalana (Palau de la Música, 4-6). M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). 8.30pm. €15-€25. Works by Schubert. Festival Palau Reial Pedralbes: Zubin Mehta / Maggio Musicale Fiorentino Orchestra Palau Reial de Pedralbes (Av. Diagonal, 686). M: Maria Cristina (L3). 10pm. 615-6197. The Barcelona Music Festival begins with a performance from one of classical music world's most charismatic conductors

#### Electronic music

**Sònar Festival** *Various venues.* 12-14 *Jun. More info: www.sonar.es.* Sònar is back! The International Festival of Advanced Music and New Media Art

#### Flamenco

Cia. Ballet Flamenco /

'Flamenco Experience' Teatre Apolo (Av. Paral·lel, 57-59). M: Paral·lel (L3). Wed-Sat, 9pm. Sun, 7pm. €32. Wed: €26. 4-27 Jun. See 5 Jun.

#### Opera

Copera nights at Palau Dalmases Palau Dalmases (Montcada, 20). M: Jaume I (L4). Thu, 11pm. €20.



## World music

Music of the Mediterranean: Yacine and the Oriental Groove L'Auditori (Lepant, 150). M: Glòries (L1). 9pm. €12.

## Friday 13

### Blues

Friday's blues al Palau Gomis MEAM: Museu Europeu d'Art Modern (Barra de Ferro, 5). M: Jaume I (L4). 6pm. 611. Reduced: 69 (ind. entrance to the Museum's art collection). See 6 lum.

## Classical music

FREE Music in the Parks: Barcelona Municipal Band Parc de la Guineueta (Pl. de Llucmajor). M: Llucmajor (L4). 8pm. More info: www.bcn.cat/barcelonacultura.

► Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Pedro J. González Basilica de Santa Maria del Pi (Pl. de Pi, 7). M: Liceu (L3). 9pm. €21. The Spanish guitar in concert

#### Various

Concerts at Casa Milà 'Veus Pedrera endins' La Pedrera (Provença, 261-265). M: Provença (FGC)9.30pm.6 & 13 Jun. €22. (Concert + one drink). See 6 Jun.

## Sport

MotoGP Monster Energy GP of Catalonia Circuit Barcelona Catalunya (Ctra. de Granollers a Parets Km 2). Montmeló. 13-15 Jun. More info: www. circuitcat.com.

## Pop

Miley Cyrus / Bangerz World Tour Palau Sant Jordi (Passeig Olímpic, 5-7). M: Espanya (L1, L3). 655-685. The ex-Disney star enters the pop with a bang.

#### Electronic music

**Sònar Festival** *Various venues. 12-14 Jun.* See 12 Jun.

#### **Traditions**

**♥□ Guided visit to a Castells rehearsal** Various venues: Castellers de

Sants, de La Vila de Gràcia & de Barcelona. Tue, Thu & Fri. More info: www.castellscat.cat. €24.20. Reduced: €20.50. See 3 Jun.

## Saturday 14

## Al fresco

FREE Art fair in Plaça Sant Josep Oriol (Plaça Sant Josep Oriol & Plaça del Pi, s/n). M: Liceu (L3). Sat, 11am-8pm. Sun, 11am-2pm. See 1 June.

## Classical music

Classical music at the Museu del Modernisme Museu del Modernisme Català (Balmes, 48). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). 7pm. &15 (ind. museum entrance).

The invisibles of cinema Palau de la Música Catalana (Palau de la Música, 4-6). M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). 7pm. 613-646. Soundtracks by Williams, Barry, Morricone and others.

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huge music
event is the **Sónar**Festival, where you'll
see some of the biggest
international stars in the
world of electronic
music. Get all the info
you need at: www.
sonar.es

## Electronic music

**Sònar Festival** *Various venues. 12-14 Jun.* See 12 Jun.

## Sport

Port de Barcelona:
Barcelona Night Run Portal
de la Pau, 6. M: Drassanes (L3). 10
km. Start time: 11.45pm. More info:
www.cursadelbortdebarcelona.com.

## Flamenco

Cia. Ballet Flamenco / 'Flamenco Experience' Teatre Apolo (Av. Paral·lel, 57-59). M: Paral·lel (L3). Wed-Sat, 9pm. Sun, 7pm. €32. Wed: €26. 4-27 Jun. See 5 Jun.

## Jazz

Festival Jardins Palau Reial Pedralbes: Buika / Giorquestra Symphonic Palau Reial de Pedralbes (Av. Diagonal, 686). M. Maria Cristina (L3). 10pm. 615-667. Buika, mixing flamenco, R&B, Afro-Cuban rhythms and jazz.

#### Kids

Connect with the Symphonic Orchestra Palau de la Música Catalana (Palau de la Música, 4-6). M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). 5.30pm. €11. Concert & workshop for the whole family.

## Traditions

**FREE Sardanas** (*Plaça de la Catedral*). *Sat, 6pm.* Traditional Catalan dance.

FREE Catalan festivities: Castellers de Sants (Av. de la Catedral). M: Catalunya (L1, L3, FGC). Sat, 7.30pm.

FREE Castellers de Barcelona Plaça de la Barceloneta. M: Barceloneta (L4). 12pm. Human towers.

## Sunday 15

## Al fresco

FREE Art fair in Plaça Sant Josep Oriol (Plaça Sant Josep Oriol & Plaça del Pi, s/n). M: Liceu (L3). Sat, 11am-8pm. Sun, 11am-2pm. See 1 June.

#### Classical music

'Musical Residencies': chamber concert La Pedrera (Provença, 261-265). M: Provença (FGC) & Diagonal (L3, L5). 6pm. €12.

## Flamenco

◆ 'Oro Puro' at the Tablao Cordobes (La Rambla, 35). M: Drassanes (L3) & Liceu (L3) 6.30, 8.15, 10 & 11.30pm. 642.50 (show + one drink). See 1 [un.

### Jazz

FREE Vermut Jazz L'Auditori (Lepant, 150). M: Glòries (L1). 1.15pm

#### **Traditions**

FREE Castellers Pl. de la Bonanova. M: Av. Tibidabo (FGC-L7). 11.30am. Human towers to celebrate Sant Gervasi's annual Festa Major.

#### Tour

FREE Guided tour of Poble Nou Cemetery Cementiri de Poblenou (Av. Icària, s/n). M: Llacuna (L4). 1st and 3rd Sunday. 10.30am (Catalan) & 12.30pm (Spanish). See 1 lun.

## **Monday 16**

#### Classical music

车 Masters of the Spanish Guitar.

**Barcelona 4 Guitars** Basílica de Santa Maria del Pi (Pl. de Pi, 7). M: Liceu (L3). 9pm. €21. The Spanish guitar in concert

La Real Cámara Palau de la Música Catalana (Palau de la Música, 4-6). M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). 7pm. 612-615. Concert to commemorate 1714.

## Soul-pop

Festival Jardins Palau Reial Pedralbes: John Newman Palau Reial de Pedralbes (Av. Diagonal, 686). M: Maria Cristina (L.3). 10pm. €15-€95. The talented singer from Yorkshire.

## Tuesday 17

## Classical music

Classical guitar at the Museu de la Música. The greatest collection in the world Museu de la Música (L'Auditori. Lepant, 150). M: Glòries (L1). Tues-Sun, 3:30 & 4pm. Guided tour + concert 615. Reduced: 613. See 11 Jun.

← Bcn Guitar Duo. 'Carmen' Església de Santa Anna (Santa Anna, 29). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). 9pm. €21. See 3 Jun.

## Balada pop

Festival Jardins Palau Reial Pedralbes: Raphael Palau Reial de Pedralbes (Av. Diagonal, 686). M: Maria Cristina (L3). 10pm. 615-688. A living legend: Spanish pop favourite Raphael.

#### Flamenco

**Cordobes** (*La Rambla*, 35). *M*: Drassanes (*L*3) 6.30, 8.15, 10, 11.30pm. €42.50 (show + 1 drink). See 1 Jun.

## **Traditions**

Guided visit to Castells

rehearsal Various venues: Castellers de Sants, de La Vila de Gràcia & de Barcelona. Tue, Thu & Fri. More info: www.castellscat.cat. €24.20. Reduced: €20.50. See 3 Jun.

## Wednesday 18

#### Classical music

► Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Manuel González Palau de la Música Catalana (Palau de la Música, 4-6). M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). 9pm. €28-€32.

#### Flamenco

Cia. Ballet Flamenco /

'Flamenco Experience' Teatre Apolo (Av. Paral·lel, 57-59). M: Paral·lel (L3). Wed-Sat, 9pm. Sun, 7pm. €32. Wed: €26. 4-27 Jun. See5 Jun.

#### Jazz

Jazz concerts at Jamboree

Jamboree (Pl. Reial, 17). M: Liceu (L3). 8 & 10pm. €12 (ticket offices). €10 (online).

## **Thursday 19**

## Chanson

Festival Jardins Palau Reial Pedralbes: Carla Bruni Palau Reial de Pedralbes (Av. Diagonal, 686). M: Maria Cristina (L3). 10pm. €15-€78.

## Classical music

► Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Pedro J. González Basílica de Santa Maria del Pi (Pl. de Pi, 7). M: Liceu (L3). 9pm. €21. The Spanish guitar in concert.

## Flamenco

25 Guitar Festival BCN: Diego El Cigala Palau de la Música Catalana (Palau de la Música, 4-6). M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). 9.30pm. €25-€52. One of the greatest contemporary flamenco singers on the scene.

## Opera

**<** Opera nights at Palau Dalmases Palau Dalmases (Montcada, 20). M: Jaume I (L4). Thu, 11pm. €20. See 12 Jun.

## Rock

**Caspian + Lehnen** La [2] d'Apolo (Nou de la Rambla, 111). M: Paral·lel (L2, L3). 8pm. €20 (ticket offices). €16 (advance).

## **Traditions**

Guided visit to Castells

rehearsal Various venues: Castellers de Sants, Castellers de La Vila de Gràcia & Castellers de Barcelona. See 3 Jun.

## Friday 20

## **Blues**

Friday's blues at the Palau Gomis MEAM (Barra de Ferro, 5). M:

*Jaume I (L4). 6pm.* €11. *Reduced:* €9. (incl. entrance to the art collection).

## Classical music

Classical guitar at the Museu de la Música. The greatest collection in the world Museu de la Música (L'Auditori. Lepant, 150). See 11 Jun.

## In the city

AFWB 2014: International African Fashion and Design Week Palau Robert (Pg. de Gràcia, 107). M: Diagonal (L3, L5). 20-22 Jun. More info: www.afwb.org. 20 designers present work inspired by the African continent.

#### Flamenco

Cia. Ballet Flamenco / 'Flamenco Experience' Teatre Apolo (Av. Paral·lel, 57-59). See 5 Jun.

#### **Traditions**

**Guided visit to Castells rehearsal** *Various venues.* See 3 Jun.

## Saturday 21

## Al fresco

FREE Art fair in Plaça Sant Josep Oriol (Plaça Sant Josep Oriol & Plaça del Pi, s/n). M: Liceu (L3). Sat, 11am-8pm. Sun, 11am-2pm. See 1 June.

## Classical music

**Carmen'** Església de Santa Anna (Santa Anna, 29). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). 9pm. €21. See 3 Jun.

► Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Barcelona 4 Guitars Palau de la Música (Palau de la Música, 4-6). M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). 9bm. €28-€32.

## Sport

**FIM CEV Repsol International** 

Championship Circuit Barcelona Catalunya (Ctra. de Granollers a Parets Km 2). Montmeló. 21-22 Jun. More info: www.circuitcat.com

#### Flamenco

Cia. Ballet Flamenco /

'Flamenco Experience' Teatre Apolo (Av. Paral·lel, 57-59). M: Paral·lel (L3).

*Wed-Sat, 9pm. Sun, 7pm. €32. Wed: €26. 4-27 Jun.* See 5 Jun.

#### lazz

Jazz Concerts at the Milano Cocktail Bar (Ronda Universitat, 35). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). 8.30pm (double session). Cover charge, & See 3 Jun.

## Swing

Coming to dance? Museu Nacional D'Art de Catalunya (Parc de Montjuïc). M: Espanya (L1, L3, FGC). Sala Oval. 5-7pm. Do some swing dancing at the MNAC museum, with live music from the Taller de Músics in an unbeatable setting.

### **Traditions**

**FREE Sardanas** (*Plaça de la Catedral*). *Sat, 6pm.* Traditional Catalan dance.

FREE Catalan festivities (Av. de la Catedral). M: Catalunya (L1, L3, FGC). Sat, 7.30pm. Discover traditional Catalan festivities, with giants and acrobats.

## Sunday 22

#### Al fresco

FREE Art fair in Plaça Sant Josep Oriol (Plaça Sant Josep Oriol & Plaça del Pi, s/n). M: Liceu (L3). See 1 Jun.

### Classical music

► Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Barcelona Guitar Trio Basílica de Santa Maria del Pi (Pl. de Pi, 7). M: Liceu (L3). 9pm. €21.

#### lazz

✓ Jazz concerts at Jamboree Jamboree (Pl. Reial, 17). M: Liceu (L3). 8 & 10pm. €12 (ticket offices). €10 (online).

## Opera

"Il prigioniero' by Luigi Dall. apiccola / 'Suor Angelica' by Giacomo Puccini Gran Teatre del Liceu (La Rambla, 51-59). M: Liceu (L3). 5pm. 25 & 27 Jun. 1 & 4 Jul: 8pm. 68.50-6141.75. Two intense operatic works that share a vision of the human









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## Traditions

FREE Castellers Pl. d'Orfila. M: Sant Andreu (L1). See: www.bcn.cat/agenda.

#### Tour

**FREE Guided tour of Montjuïc Cemetery** (Mare de Déu del Port, 56-58).

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sun each month. 11am (Catalan) & 11.15am (Spanish). See 8 Jun.

## **Monday 23**

#### Classical music

Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Barcelona Guitar Trio Basílica de Santa Maria del Pi (Pl. de Pi, 7). M: Liceu (L3). 9pm. €21.

## Flamenco

Art Flamenco: Maria de la O Palau de la Música Catalana (Palau de la Música, 4-6). M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). 23 & 26 Jun. 9.30pm. 630-648. Flamenco show tells the story of a humble gypsy girl who falls in love with a rich boy.

## **Traditions**

St John's Eve Various venues. More info: www.bcn.cat/agenda. A magical night in Barcelona and all over Catalonia, the festival of the summer solstice, with street parties, bonfires, traditional delicacies and lots of fireworks.

## **Tuesday 24**

## Classical music

Classical guitar at the Museu de la Música. The greatest collection in the world Museu de la Música (LiAuditori. Lepant, 150). M: Glòries (L1). Tue-Sun, 3.30 & 4pm. Guided tour + concert €15. Reduced: €13. See 11 Jun.

**➡ Bcn Guitar Duo. 'Carmen'**Església de Santa Anna (Santa Anna, 29). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). 9pm. €21. See 3 Jun.

## Flamenco

Flamenco at Sala Tarantos Tarantos (Plaça Reial, 17). M: Liceu (L3). 8.30, 9.30 & 10.30pm €10 (ticket offices). €8 (online). See 2 Jun.

## **Traditions**

← Guided visit to a Castells (human tower) rehearsal Various venues. Reduced: €24,20. See 3 Jun.

## Wednesday 25

## Classical music

► Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Barcelona Guitar Trio Palau de la Música Catalana (Palau de la Música, 4-6). M. Urquinaona (L1, L4). 9pm. €28-€32.

## In the city

Fad Fest Various venues. 25 Jun-10 Jul. More info: www.fadfest.cat. Exhibitions including 'The year's best design work' and 'Smart Flexibility.

#### Flamenco

← Cia. Ballet Flamenco /

'Flamenco Experience' Teatre Apolo
(Av. Paral·lel, 57-59). See 5 Jun.

## Opera

← 'Il prigioniero' by Luigi Dallapiccola / ëSuor Angelicaí by Giacomo Puccini Gran Teatre del Liceu (La Rambla, 51-59). See 22 Jun.

## **Thursday 26**

## Chanson

**Charles Aznavour** *Gran Teatre del Liceu (La Rambla, 51-59). M: Liceu (L3). 9pm.* £15-£190.

## In the city

**Fad Fest** Various venues. 25 Jun-10 Jul. More info: www.fadfest.cat. See 25 Jun.

## Classical music

**← Bcn Guitar Duo. 'Carmen'** Església de Santa Anna (Santa Anna, 29). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). 9pm. €21. See 3 Jun.

## Flamenco

**Cordobes** (*La Rambla, 35*). *M: Drassanes* (*L3*). See 1 Jun.

**Art Flamenco: Maria de la O** *Palau de la Música Catalana* .See 23 Jun.

## Friday 27

#### Blues

**← Friday's blues al Palau Gomis** MEAM: Museu Europeu d'Art Modern (Barra de Ferro, 5). M: Jaume I (L4). 6pm. €11. Reduced: €9.

#### Classical music

► Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Manuel González Basílica de Santa Maria del Pi (Pl. de Pi, 7). M: Liceu (L3). 9pm. €21. The Spanish guitar in concert

#### Flamenco

Great Flamenco Festival. Tablao Flamenco Cordobes presents 'Carmen, Carmen, Palau de la Música Catalana (Palau de la Música, 4-6). M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). 9.30pm. 623-653. Flamenco at its purest in a spectacular art nouveau setting, with performances by various 'bailaoras'.

← Cia. Ballet Flamenco / 'Flamenco Experience' Teatre Apolo (Av. Paral·lel, 57-59). M: Paral·lel (L3). Wed-Sat, 9pm. Sun, 7pm. €32. Wed: €26. 4-27 Jun. See 5 Jun.

#### Jazz

Summer nights at La Pedrera. La Pedrera (Provença, 261-265). M: Provença (FGC) & Diagonal (L3, L5). Thu, Fri & Sat, 9.45pm (concert at 10.30pm). 19 Jun - 6 Sep. €28. See 9 Jun.

#### Opera

"Il prigioniero' by Luigi Dallapiccola / 'Suor Angelica' by Giacomo Puccini Gran Teatre del Liceu (La Rambla, 51-59). M: Liceu (L3). 8pm. 25 & 27 fun. 1 & 4 ful. €9-€142. See 22 Jun.

## Pop

**Dani Martin** Poble Espanyol (Av. de Francesc Ferrer i Guàrdia, 13). M: Espanya (L1, L3, FGC). 9.30pm. 27 & 28 Jun. <del>6</del>23.

#### Traditions

Guided visit to Castells rehearsal Various venues. See 3 Jun.

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## Saturday 28

#### Al fresco

FREE Art fair in Plaça Sant Josep Oriol (Plaça Sant Josep Oriol & Plaça del Pi, s/n). M: Liceu (L3). Sat, 11am-8pm. Sun, 11am-2pm. See 1 June.

## **Performing arts**

Grec Festival de Barcelona: M.U.R.S. 1714-2014, La Fura dels Baus Castell de Montjuïc (Ctra. de Montjuïc, 66). M. Espanya (L1, L3, FGC). 28 lun - 4 Jul.

#### Classical music

Classical music and teatime at Palau Gomis MEAM: Museu Europeu diArt Modern (Barra de Ferro, 5). M: Jaume I (L4). Sat, 6pm. &16. See 7 Jun.

**⇐ Bcn Guitar Duo. 'Carmen'** Església de Santa Anna (Santa Anna, 29). M: Catalunya (L1, L3). 9pm. €21. See 3 Jun.

#### Flamenco

**Cordobes** (*La Rambla*, 35). *M: Drassanes* (*L3*). See 1 Jun.

## **Traditions**

**FREE Sardanas** (*Plaça de la Catedral*). *Sat, 6pm.* 

FREE Catalan festivities (Av. de la Catedral). M: Catalunya (L1, L3, FGC). Sat. 7.30pm.

## Sunday 29

## Al fresco

FREE Art fair in Plaça Sant Josep Oriol (Plaça Sant Josep Oriol & Plaça del Pi, s/n). M: Liceu (L3). Sat, 11am-8pm. Sun, 11am-2pm. See 1 June.

## In the city

Fad Fest Various venues. 25 Jun - 10 Jul. More info: www.fadfest.cat. See 25 Jun.

## Classical music

Summer concerts with the Barcelona Municipal Band: sardanas LiAuditori (Lepant, 150). M:

Glòries (L1)7.30pm. €14. Works by Ventura, Canals, Toldrà and more.

**← Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Manuel González** *Basílica de Santa Maria del Pi (Pl. de Pi, 7). M: Liceu (L3).* 9pm. €21.

### **Various**

Ferran Adrià and the Fàbrica de menjar solidari present: Barcelonan cuisine in 1700 Gran Teatre del Liceu (La Rambla, 51-59). M: Liceu (L3). 6pm. e10-e40. World-famous chefs Ferran Adrià, Carme Ruscalleda & Joan Roca take a culinary journey to the 18th century.

#### **Traditions**

FREE Castellers de la Vila de Gràcia (Pg. de Sant Joan / c. de la Indústria). M: Verdaguer (L4-L5). 12pm.

FREE Castellers (Pl. de Santa Caterina). M: Jaume I (LA). 12pm.

**FREE Castellers** (*Pl. del Rei*). *M: Jaume I (L4). Times: www.bcn.cat/agenda.* Spectacular human towers..

## Monday 30

## Classical music

Masters of the Spanish Guitar. Xavier Coll Basilica de Santa Maria del Pi (Pl. de Pi, 7). M: Liceu (L3). 9pm. €21.

## In the city

**Fad Fest** Various venues. 25 Jun-10 Jul. See 25 Jun.

## Pop-rock

Festival Jardins Palau Reial Pedralbes: Tom Jones Palau Reial de Pedralbes (Av. Diagonal, 686). M: Maria Cristina (L3). 10pm. 615-6190. The Welsh singer with enviable levels of charisma and energy sings his hits and songs from his latest albums.

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## **Sights**

#### **Architecture**

#### Basílica de la Sagrada Família

(Mallorca, 401). M: Sagrada Família (L2, L5). 93 20 804 14 9am-8pm. €14.80. Guided tour / with audio guide: €19.30. Barcelona's most famous landmark, begun by Gaudí in 1891 and still unfinished to this day. Ticket sales help fund the ongoing construction of the most popular tourist attraction in Spain.

#### Basílica de Santa Maria del Pi

(Plaça del Pi, 7). 93 318 47 43. M: Liceu (L3), Jaume I (L4). 10am-7pm. Sun 4-7pm. €4. Reduced. €3. Guided tour (including belltower): €12. Reduced: €8. Visit one of Barcelona's grandest Gothic churches, and enjoy the views from its belltower.

#### Casa Batlló

(Pg. de Gràcia, 43). M: Passeig de Gràcia (L3, L4). 93 216 03 06. 9am-9pm. €21.50. Reduced: €18.50. Last admission: 8pm. More info: www. casabatllo.cat. Gaudi's most poetic and creative work. The sensuality and harmony of its interior, combined with his use of colours, shapes and light make this building a must-see for everyone who admires Gaudi's work. Visit with audio guide, including interactive content.

#### Magic nights at Casa Batlló

(Passeig de Gràcia, 43). M: Pg. de Gràcia (L2, L3, L4). T. 93 216 03 06. Wed-Sat, from 9pm. 18 Jun - 27 Sep. Discover all the magic of this jewel among Gaudi's works in a dreamlike late-night atmosphere. Gastronomy, shows and live music.

## The Gaudí Crypt at the Colònia Güell

(Claudi Güell, 6-Santa Coloma de Cervelló, 93 630 58 07. M: Pl. Espanya (1.1, L3) + FGC (S33, S8 or S4): Colònia Güell station. May-Oct: 10am-7pm. Sun: 10am-3pm. €9 (ticket price includes audio guide). Reduced: €7.50. Discover Gaudí's hidden treasure, a UNESCO World Heritage site, situated in the Colònia Güell, a planned textile factory and residential area only 20 minutes outside Barcelona.

#### Gran Teatre del Liceu

(La Rambla, 51-59). 93 485 99 14. M: Liceu (L3). Express visit: 11.30am, 12am, 12.30am & 1pm. €5.50. Guided tour: 10am. €1.150 (including Cercle: Mon-Fri). €10.50 (excl Cercle: Sat & Sun). Visit one of the world's great opera houses: discover the impressive concert hall and the exclusive rooms of its private club, the Cercle del Liceu, which make this one of Barcelona's most emblematic buildings.

#### La Pedrera

(Provença, 261-265). M: Diagonal (L3, L5). 902 202 138.3 Mar- 2 Nov: 9am-8pm. Last admission: 7.30pm. €16.50. Reduced: €14.85. Many Barcelona residents consider this building to be Gaudí's masterpiece. In fact, some of its apartments are still private homes. The roof terrace is one of Catalan Modernisme's hidden gems.

#### Nights at La Pedrera

(Provença, 261-265). M: Diagonal (L3-L5). T. 902 202 138 Thu-Sat, 9,45pm. Entrance to the Espai Gaudí, concert + glass of cava: €28. A unique chance to enjoy La Pedrera at night, with live jazz on the roof terrace and spectacular views of Barcelona.

#### Palau Güell

(Nou de la Rambla, 3-5). M: Drassanes (L3) & Barceloneta (L4), 93 472 57 75. 10am-8pm. Last admission: 7pm. £12. Reduced: £8. Built by Gaudf in the late 19th century, this palace belonged to his principal patron. As at the Pedrera, a visit to the roof terrace is highly recommended.

#### Palau de la Música Catalana

(Palau de la Música, 4-6). 93 295 72 00. M: Urquinaona (L1, L4). 10am-3.30pm. €18. Reduced: €11. Under 10s free. Step inside one of the most unusual Art Nouveau creations in the world, architect Lluís Domênech i Muntaner's extraordinarily ornate concert hall, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

## Sant Pau, Modernista monument

(St Antoni Maria Claret, 167). 93 268 24 44. M: Sant Pau (L5). Mon-Sat, 10am-6.30pm. Sun and public holidays: 10am-

## **Sights**

2.30pm. Self-guided tour: €8. Reduced: €5.60. Guided tour: €14. Reduced: €9.80. Under 16s free. More info: santpaubarcelona.org. Discover the buildings and grounds of the hospital of Sant Pau, one of the largest Art Nouveau monuments in the world, and Lluís Domènech i Muntaner's most important work, recently restored and opened to the public.

#### Torre Bellesguard

(Bellesguard, 6-9). M̄: Av. Tibidabo (FGC). Mon-Sat, 10am-3pm. Panoramic visit: €7. (audio guide to exterior + remains of Martin the Humane's palace + audiovisual centre). Guided visit: €16: (exterior and interior of the Tower + roof terrace access). Discover the Modernista castle Gaudí built at the foot of Tibidado.

#### Leisure

#### Aire de Barcelona, Arab Baths

(Pg. de Picasso, 22). M: Barceloneta (L4) & Jaume I (L4). Mon-Thu: first session: 10am, last session, 10pm to 12am. Sat & Sun and days before public holidays: last session, from 12pm to 2am. More info: www.airedebarcelona.com. In the Born neighbourhood, in the centre of the city, these Arab baths revive the ancient tradition of bathing as a form of relaxation, in a unique building.

#### Barcelona Urban Forest

Barcelona Bosc Urbà (Plaça del Fòrum, s/n). 93 117 34 26 M: El Maresme/Fòrum (L4). Until 5 May: daily 5-9pm. 6 May- 35 May: weekends, 10am-3pm & 4-8pm. 26 May-1 Jun. closed for Primavera Sound. €8 - €19 (prices vary depending on age and circuit chosen). Get some high-adrenaline exercise in an urban adventure park with more than 30 attractions.

#### Poble Espanyol

(Av. Francesc Ferrer i Guàrdia, 13). M: Espanya L1, L3). 935 086 300. Mon, 9am-8pm. Tues-Thur, 9am-2am. Fri, 9am-4am. Sat, 9am-5am. Sun, 9am-12am. €11. Reduced: €6.25. Built for the exhibition of 1929 by Modernista architect Puig i Cadalfach, the Poble Espanyol is an open-air museum on Montjuic with replicas of traditional

streets, squares and buildings from all over Spain.

#### **Imax Port Vell**

(Moll d'Espanya). M: Drassanes (L3) & Barceloneta (L4). 93 225 11 11. Check times and programme at www. imaxportvell.com. Put on your glasses, and take a seat for the most exciting virtual reality experience that the latest 3-D technology can provide.

#### Gaudí Experiencia

(Larrard, 41). M: Lesseps (L3). 93 285 44 40. Mar-Oct: 10am-7pm. € 9. Reduced: €7.50. A fascinating interactive journey that uses 4-D technology to take you inside Antoni Gaudi's creative universe. A new way to discover Gaudi and his world.

#### Tibidabo Funfair

(Plaça del Tibidabo, 3-4).T.93 211 79
42. Weekends and public holidays only.
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#### ■ PortAventura

(Av. Alcalde Pere Molas. Km. 2. Vila Seca, Tarragona). Train: Port Aventura. 977 779 000. For timetables and prices see: www.portaventura.es PortAventura is a theme park located one hour south of Barcelona, between Vila-seca and Salou. Its six themed zones (Mediterranean, Far West, SesameAdevnture, Mexico, China and Polynesia) cover 119 hectares, with 30 attractions, 100 live processions every day, as well as 75 restaurants and snack bars. craft and gift shops.

#### Barcelona Zoo

(Parc de la Ciutadella, s/n). M: Arc de Triomf (L1) & Ciutadella, Vila Olimpica (L4). 93 225 67 80. 16 May − 15 Sep. 10am-8pm. (ticket offices close: 7pm). €19.90. Children (3-12): €11.95. Barcelona Zoo, in Ciutadella Park, has a 100-year history and is one of the city's best-loved attractions. At present it is home to more than 2,000 animals, representing some 315 species.



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