

Culture Live in South Tyrol

Highlights 2011

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SÜDTIROL
The other side of Italy

My Way to Hell

16th, 18th, 19th February

Municipal Theatre, Bolzano/Bozen

For strong ears in the Bolzano/Bozen opera season: the Italian premier of the Elektropera by Matteo Franceschini, the young artist from Trentino.

Two singers/actors and three musicians on the stage form a baroque ensemble and a rock group.
www.ntbz.net | tickets +39 0471 053 800

VALIE EXPORT

19th February – 1st May

Museion, Bolzano/Bozen

Waltraud Höllinger is VALIE EXPORT – an art concept, a logo and an international performance and media art pioneer. Her subjects: woman, identity, examining one's role, all with consistency.
www.museion.it | phone +39 0471 223 411

Ötzi 20

1st March 2011 – 15th January 2012

South Tyrolean Museum of Archeology, Bolzano/Bozen

Celebrating the 20th anniversary of the sensational find, 20 years of science, media reports and oddities surrounding the 5,300 year-old "Man from the Glacier" dubbed "Ötzi". The special exhibition presents a new reconstruction with 3-dimensional computer images obtained through tomographic scans.
www.oetzi20.it | phone +39 0471 320 100

25th Bolzano Film Days

13th – 17th April

Capitol Cinema, Bolzano/Bozen

Visitors to the intimate Bolzano Film Festival have the opportunity to meet the stars. It is a popular platform for auteur films in German and Italian.
www.filmclub.it | tickets +39 0471 059 090

Masterworks do not exist

14th May – 28th August

Diocesan Museum, Bressanone/Brixen

Spotlight on 60 sculptures and pictures collected

by Federico Zeri (1921-1998). He was a legendary as well as controversial art historian who attracted attention by classifying anonymous paintings and discovering long-lost or forgotten works.
www.hofburg.it | phone +39 0472 830 505

Hair

14th – 29th May

Municipal Theatre Bolzano/Bozen

Long hair – so retro, so trendy! The musical is regarded as the epitome of joie de vivre and social criticism. The United Stages of Bolzano/Bozen are reviving Hair on the stage, rocking, sensuous and committed to ideals.
www.theater-bozen.it | phone: +39 0471 065 320

South Tyrolean Jazz Festival

24th June – 3rd July

In town, on mountain, in vineyard

As free as Jazz is: played and vamped in concert halls, on the street and in town squares, on alpine pastures and in vineyards. Locations as diverse as South Tyrol could offer.

www.suedtiroljazzfestival.com

tickets +39 0471 053 800

Ich Wolkenstein

9th July – 27th November

Tirol Castle, near Merano/Meran

Oswald von Wolkenstein (1377-1445), war horse and diplomat, is regarded as one of the finest medieval lyric poets. He provides material for an exciting special exhibition, focusing on his inspiring songs and his complete life.
www.casteltirol.it | phone: +39 0473 220 221

Gustav Mahler Music Weeks

16th July – 5th August

Alto Adige Festival

16th – 25th September

Grandhotel Dobbiaco/Toblach

30 years of the very best interpretations of Mahler: the Music Weeks celebrate the 100th anniversary of the great composer's death. Mahler

spent three summers in Dobbiaco where he wrote musical history: his Song of the Earth and 9th Symphony are fixtures in the Alto Adige Festival.
www.gustav-mahler.it | www.altoadige-festival.it
phone +39 0471 976 151

58th International Piano Competition "Ferruccio Busoni"

24th August – 2nd September

Conservatory & Concert Hall, Bolzano/Bozen

The eagerly awaited final of the international competition held every two years: where Alfred Brendel and Martha Argerich have both excelled.
www.concorsobusoni.it | tickets +39 0471 053 800

Merano Music Weeks

25th August – 22nd September

Kurhaus & Teatre, Merano/Meran

The international meeting for classical music in the spa resort of Merano: symphony concerts, chamber music and a separate space for musical experiments – all in the style of the Merano Jugendstil.
www.meranofestival.com | tickets +39 0473 212 370

Transart

14th September – 8th October

Industrials areas in South Tyrol

The festival of contemporary art has been at the forefront of current creativity for ten years. Each year it explores new sounds and points of view in music, dance and visual art.
www.transart.it | phone +39 0471 673 070

The Abandoned Stable

8th October 2011 – 8th January 2012

Merano arte/kunst Meran, Merano/Meran

An overall view of the architecture and sociology of the farm stable and cowshed in Graubünden (Grisons), Vorarlberg and South Tyrol: how rural society has changed and why the love of the cowshed and stable is experiencing a renaissance in the metropolises.
www.kunstmeranoarte.org | phone +39 0473 212 643