

Vaduz, 7th April 2022

Facts and Figures Operettas in Liechtenstein

Exhibition: Operettas in Liechtenstein

Duration: From Thursday, 14th April until Wednesday,

8th June 2022.

Place: Liechtenstein NationalMuseum

Städtle 43, Postfach 1216

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Principality Liechtenstein

Opening hours: Tu, Th to So 10 am to 5 pm, We 10 am to

20pm, Mo closed

Tickets: Regular CHF 10.00

Reduced CHF 7.00

Concept of the exhibition:

The tradition of the Volkstheater in

Liechtenstein dates back to around 1920. At that time, many male choirs began to perform folk theater during the carnival season. The only purpose was to entertain the audience -

and that has remained so to this day.

Demands increased: in 1940 an operetta was staged in Vaduz for the first time, followed by Balzers in 1946. These operettas were the

highlights of Liechtenstein's cultural life.

Visitors came in droves from all

over the region. But the men's choirs were overwhelmed by the constantly growing demands. The operettas had to be

placed on a new footing, and for this purpose the operetta societies were founded. Today they are facing new challenges: In order to secure the future of the operettas, it needs the loyalty of the audience, a good anchoring in the village and in the region, the goodwill of the sponsors and the public sector as well as the participation of well-known stars.

Live-Stream Vernissage:

Wednesday, 13th April 2022, 6 pm Liechtenstein NationalMuseum

You are welcomed by Prof. Dr. Rainer Vollkommer, Director of the Liechtenstein NationalMuseum. Manuel Frick, Minister of Social Affairs and Culture, give the opening

words.

Paul Vogt, Curator of the exhibition,

introduces the topic.

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