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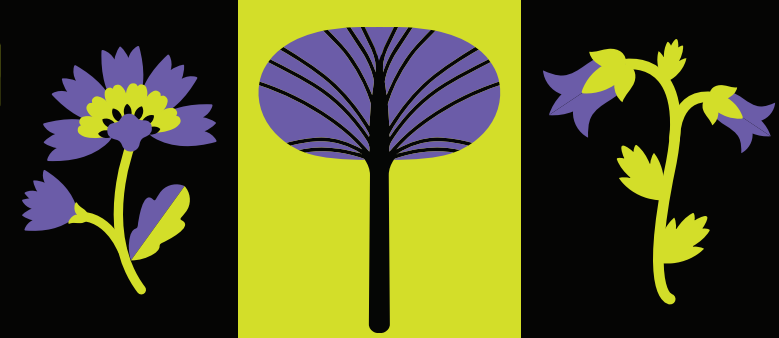
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04-06 JUNE



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# PROGRAMME

# DAY 2 (5. JUNE)

## DAY 1 (4. JUNE)

**BULGARIAN SOCIETY FOR THE PROTECTION OF BIRDS** 11:00 - 17:00 **BOOTH 1**

*CHILDREN'S WORKSHOP FOR WATER BIRDS*

WITH COLORED PENCILS, PAPER STRAWS, AND LOTS OF IMAGINATION, CHILDREN WILL CREATE THEIR OWN WATER BIRDS INSPIRED BY BULGARIAN NATURE. THE WORKSHOP INVITES YOUNG VISITORS TO DRAW, CUT, ASSEMBLE, AND INVENT FEATHERED CHARACTERS WHILE LEARNING MORE ABOUT BIRDS AND WETLANDS IN BULGARIA.

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AN INTERACTIVE EXHIBITION THAT TURNS THE CIRCULAR ECONOMY INTO A GAME. THROUGH RIDDLES, CHALLENGES, AND HANDS-ON MISSIONS, CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES WILL DISCOVER WHAT HAPPENS TO WASTE, HOW TO USE RESOURCES MORE WISELY, AND WHY SMALL EVERYDAY CHOICES MATTER FOR THE FUTURE OF THE CITY AND THE PLANET.

**SOFIA MUNICIPALITY** 11:00 - 17:00 **BOOTH 4**

*CLIMATE RESILIENCE*

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**THE SOFIANER** 11:00 - 17:00 **BOOTH 6**

*POP-UP EXHIBITION*

THROUGH ILLUSTRATIONS, HUMOR, URBAN ABSURDITIES, AND POETIC SCENES, THE SOFIANER CELEBRATES THE LOVE FOR SOFIA AND PRESENTS DIFFERENT — SOMETIMES UNEXPECTED — PERSPECTIVES ON THE CITY, EVERYDAY LIFE, AND ITS FUTURE. THE SOFIANER EXPLORES WHAT THE CITY IS TODAY, HOW WE IMAGINE IT TOMORROW, AND WHAT KIND OF SOFIA WE WANT TO LIVE IN.

**UNIVERSITY OF FORESTRY** 11:00 - 17:00 **BOOTH 7**

*WORKSHOP: "URBAN GARDENERS"*

A PRACTICAL WORKSHOP WHERE CHILDREN WILL LEARN MORE ABOUT NECTAR-RICH PLANTS, BEES, AND URBAN NATURE. PARTICIPANTS WILL CREATE SEED BOMBS THAT THEY CAN PLANT AT HOME, ON A BALCONY, OR IN THE CITY. THE PROGRAM ALSO INCLUDES FUN DEMONSTRATIONS FOR TESTING PH LEVELS AND NITRATES IN FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

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**WATI BY DIGITAL SPACES LIVING LAB** 13:00 - 17:00 **BOOTH 8**

*WATI - YOUR PERSONAL HEAT GUIDE IN THE CITY*

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**BULGARIAN RED CROSS** 11:00 - 17:00 **BOOTH 2**

*DEMONSTRATIONS: "RESCUERS IN ACTION"*

DEMONSTRATIONS OF FIRST AID AND RESCUE TECHNIQUES BY TEAMS FROM THE BULGARIAN RED CROSS AND THE MOUNTAIN RESCUE SERVICE. VISITORS WILL SEE HOW EMERGENCY SITUATIONS ARE HANDLED AND MEET A SPECIALLY TRAINED RESCUE DOG THAT PARTICIPATES IN MOUNTAIN RESCUE MISSIONS.

**RODANA FOUNDATION AND BEE PRODUCTION CO. MERIVEL** 11:00 - 17:00 **BOOTH 10**

*CRAFTS AND ORGANIC PRODUCTS*

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**MULTI KULTI COLLECTIVE** 11:00 - 13:00 **BOOTH 5**

*WORKSHOP: "HOMEMADE ECO LAUNDRY DETERGENT"*

A PRACTICAL ECO-WORKSHOP FOR PEOPLE AGED 65+, DEDICATED TO ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY ALTERNATIVES IN EVERYDAY LIFE. TOGETHER WITH IVANKA KULOVA FROM HELTA, PARTICIPANTS WILL LEARN HOW TO MAKE ECO LAUNDRY DETERGENT USING SIMPLE AND ACCESSIBLE INGREDIENTS. WE WILL DISCUSS SUSTAINABLE HABITS, SMALL CHANGES WITH A BIG IMPACT, AND WAYS TO REDUCE HARMFUL CHEMICALS AT HOME.

**WWF BULGARIA** 13:00 - 16:30 **BOOTH 5**

*INTERACTIVE GAMES FOR CHILDREN ABOUT LARGE PREDATORS AND THEIR ROLE IN NATURE*

THROUGH INTERACTIVE GAMES AND FUN CHALLENGES, CHILDREN WILL LEARN MORE ABOUT BULGARIA'S LARGE PREDATORS — BEARS, WOLVES, AND OTHER SECRET INHABITANTS OF THE FOREST. WE WILL SHOW WHY GREEN CORRIDORS ARE IMPORTANT FOR WILDLIFE AND HOW CLIMATE CHANGE AFFECTS NATURE.

**NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF METEOROLOGY AND HYDROLOGY** 15:00 - 17:00 **BOOTH 5**

*DEMONSTRATION: MEASURING TEMPERATURES AND EARLY WARNING SYSTEMS FOR HEAT WAVES*

HOW IS URBAN HEAT PREDICTED AND WHAT DOES "FEELS-LIKE TEMPERATURE" MEAN? HOW ARE EXTREME HEAT CONDITIONS IN BULGARIA FORECAST USING SPECIALIZED SOFTWARE, AND HOW IS THERMAL COMFORT AND DISCOMFORT CALCULATED DURING HEAT WAVES? THE DEMONSTRATION PRESENTS THE ROLE OF SCIENCE AND DATA IN UNDERSTANDING THE IMPACT OF HEAT ON PEOPLE AND THE URBAN ENVIRONMENT.

**BOYANA VOYNOVA, AUTHOR OF "GRIEVING FLAVORS"** 11:00 - 13:00 **BOOTH 8**

*CULINARY EXPERIENCE: "GRIEVING FLAVORS"*

"GRIEVING FLAVORS" IS AN UNUSUAL CULINARY COLLECTION AND RECIPE BOOK DEDICATED TO FOODS AND INGREDIENTS THREATENED BY EXTINCTION DUE TO CLIMATE CHANGE AND BIODIVERSITY LOSS. VISITORS WILL EXPLORE THE PROJECT, HEAR THE STORIES BEHIND THE RECIPES, AND TASTE SELECTED FLAVORS AND INGREDIENTS FROM THE COLLECTION. THE EVENT ENCOURAGES DISCUSSION ABOUT CLIMATE CHANGE AND THE FUTURE OF FOOD.

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**BULGARIAN BIODIVERSITY FOUNDATION** 13:00 - 17:00 **BOOTH 6**

*WORKSHOP: "SEED BOMBS"*

A CREATIVE WORKSHOP FOR MAKING SMALL "BOUQUETS" FROM SOIL, CLAY, AND SEEDS OF NECTAR-RICH PLANTS, WHICH AFTER PLANTING BECOME COLORFUL OASES FOR BEES AND OTHER WILD POLLINATORS. THE WORKSHOP SHOWS HOW SMALL ACTIONS CAN HELP NATURE RETURN TO THE CITY.

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*BADGE-MAKING WORKSHOP WITH A CAUSE*

A CREATIVE WORKSHOP FOR MAKING BADGES WITH MESSAGES ABOUT CLIMATE AND NATURE. VISITORS WILL BE ABLE TO CHOOSE FROM ILLUSTRATIONS OF SPECIES FROM BULGARIAN WILDLIFE AND INSPIRING MESSAGES FOR A MORE SUSTAINABLE LIFESTYLE, AND IN EXCHANGE FOR A DONATION THEY CAN TAKE THEIR BADGE HOME WITH THEM.

**BULGARIAN RED CROSS** 13:00 - 17:00 **BOOTH 2**

*DEMONSTRATIONS: "LEARN HOW TO HELP"*

INTERACTIVE DEMONSTRATIONS AND GAMES DEDICATED TO FIRST AID, EMERGENCY RESPONSE, AND CARING FOR PEOPLE AND NATURE. VISITORS WILL WATCH DEMONSTRATIONS OF CPR, DEFIBRILLATOR USE, AND FIRST AID IN VARIOUS SITUATIONS. THE PROGRAM ALSO INCLUDES ECO BINGO, CROSSWORDS, AND GAMES FOR CHILDREN FOCUSED ON SUSTAINABLE LIFESTYLES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.

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*AROMATIC ECO CULINARY WORKSHOP WITH MAHSA NOURAI*

AN AROMATIC CULINARY WORKSHOP FEATURING FLAVORS FROM THE MIDDLE EAST AND IDEAS FOR MORE SUSTAINABLE COOKING. TOGETHER WITH MAHSA NOURAI FROM IRAN, VISITORS WILL DISCOVER HOW DATE PITS CAN BE USED TO PREPARE A CAFFEINE-FREE DRINK, AS WELL AS VARIOUS DESSERTS MADE WITH DATES. THE WORKSHOP INCLUDES TASTINGS, CULINARY STORIES, AND CONVERSATIONS ABOUT SUSTAINABLE KITCHEN HABITS AND FOOD UTILIZATION. WORKING LANGUAGE: ENGLISH

**STUDIO VUZEL** 15:00 - 17:00 **BOOTH 5**

*WORKSHOP: "ORIGINAL PRINTS AND NEW DESIGN FOR OLD CLOTHES"*

CREATIVE WORKSHOP FOR TEXTILE PRINTING USING LINOCUT STAMPS THAT GIVES NEW LIFE TO OLD CLOTHES AND ACCESSORIES. VISITORS CAN BRING THEIR OWN T-SHIRTS, SHIRTS, BAGS, OR OTHER TEXTILE ITEMS AND TRANSFORM THEM WITH ORIGINAL PRINTS AND NEW DESIGNS. THE WORKSHOP COMBINES CREATIVITY, SUSTAINABILITY, AND THE IDEA THAT FAVORITE BELONGINGS CAN BE RENEWED INSTEAD OF THROWN AWAY.

# DAY 3 (6 JUNE)

**TOURISM MUNICIPAL ENTERPRISE OF SOFIA MUNICIPALITY** 08:00 - 09:30

*WALKING TOUR: "MEET THE BIRDS OF SOFIA"*

"MEET THE BIRDS OF SOFIA" IS A WALKING TOUR IN SOUTH PARK. PARTICIPANTS WILL LEARN MORE ABOUT DIFFERENT BIRD SPECIES, THEIR SONGS, AND HABITATS WHILE OBSERVING NATURE UP CLOSE. NECESSARY EQUIPMENT WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE ORGANIZERS. THE TOUR IS NOT SUITABLE FOR PEOPLE WITH MOBILITY IMPAIRMENTS. [ONLINE REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED. ONLY 15 PLACES ARE AVAILABLE.](#)

**SOFIA DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION AND GBM COMMERCE LTD.** 10:00 - 12:00

*"TAKE A PLANT AND MAKE SOFIA GREENER"*

THE INITIATIVE INVITES VISITORS TO TAKE PLANTS HOME FOR PLANTING ON BALCONIES, IN GARDENS, OR IN NEIGHBORHOOD SPACES, ENCOURAGING MORE GREENERY IN THE CITY AND DEMONSTRATING HOW SMALL ACTIONS CAN MAKE SOFIA MORE BEAUTIFUL, LIVELY, AND PLEASANT FOR EVERYONE. SEEDS ARE DONATED BY GBM COMMERCE.

## + GREEN TRANSITION FORUM 6.0 PARTNERSHIP

**SOFIA DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION** Day 1 (4.06) 16:30 - 18:00 Sofia Event Center

*ROUND TABLE: "COOLING CITIES: URBAN HEAT ISLANDS, CLIMATE RESILIENCE, AND THE FUTURE OF URBAN LIFE"*

AS PART OF THE SOFIA CLIMATE FESTIVAL AND IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE GREEN TRANSITION FORUM 6.0, AN INTERNATIONAL ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION WILL BE HELD ON URBAN HEAT ISLANDS, CLIMATE RESILIENCE, AND URBAN ADAPTATION TO CLIMATE CHANGE. THE DISCUSSION WILL BRING TOGETHER REPRESENTATIVES OF INSTITUTIONS, BUSINESSES, EXPERTS, AND INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS TO DISCUSS SOLUTIONS FOR COOLER AND MORE RESILIENT CITIES, THE ROLE OF NATURE-BASED SOLUTIONS, THE IMPACT OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON BIODIVERSITY AND WATER SYSTEMS, AND HOW BUSINESSES CAN SUPPORT PREVENTION AND ADAPTATION TO CLIMATE RISKS.

WORKING LANGUAGE: ENGLISH

# ARTISTIC PROGRAMME

**GUARDS BRASS BAND** Day 1 11:00 - 11:30

*FESTIVAL OPENING*

**PIM PAM CHILDREN'S CHOIR** Day 1 17:00 - 17:30

*CULTURAL PROGRAMME*

**SOFIA LIBRARY AND TOURIST INFORMATION CENTER TRAM №83** Day 1 11:00 - 13:00 Day 2 15:00 - 17:00

*"FAIRYTALE TRAM NO. 83"*

"FAIRYTALE TRAM NO. 83" INVITES THE YOUNGEST VISITORS TO A SPECIAL READING SESSION OF CHILDREN'S BOOKS DEDICATED TO NATURE, ANIMALS, AND IMAGINATION. IN THE COZY ATMOSPHERE OF THE RETRO TRAM — SOFIA'S TOURIST INFORMATION CENTER — ACTOR YULIYAN BALAHUROV WILL TAKE CHILDREN ON A JOURNEY THROUGH THE WORLD AROUND US. EACH CHILD VISITOR WILL RECEIVE A GIFT — A LIBRARY CARD AND A BOOK.

**EXP ART LAB** Day 2 17:00 - 17:30

*CREATIVE CHALLENGE*

AN IMPROV PERFORMANCE IN WHICH THE AUDIENCE PROVIDES THE CHALLENGES AND THE DANCERS TRANSFORM THEM INTO SPONTANEOUS IMPROVISED MINIATURES. FROM "A GIRAFFE IN THE OCEAN" TO "A TURTLE MELTING FROM THE HEAT" — EVERYTHING IS POSSIBLE WHEN IMAGINATION LEADS THE GAME.

## NEW EUROPEAN BAUHAUS ZONE

NEB projects, pilot solutions and new approaches for urban transformation, nature-based solutions and active participation of citizens are presented with exhibitions and visualizations.

- [NEW INHERIT & Common Grounds](#) by GRADOSCOPE
- [URBINAT, AQUALive & GreenEsteem](#) of the Department of Urban Planning at UACEG
- [the Christo and Jeanne-Claude Center](#) of the Municipality of Gabrovo
- [Climate Shelter in Draz Mahala](#) of the Sofia Development Association and BISI
- [LIFE BauhausingEurope](#) of the Municipality of Varaždin (Croatia)

# EXPO

**DEV HUB ONE** Day 1 11:00 - 17:00

*THE FIRST ARCADE MACHINE: "ARCADE WITH A MISSION"*

"ARCADE WITH A MISSION" TURNS RECYCLING INTO A GAME. VISITORS CAN PLAY ARCADE GAMES BY "PAYING" WITH PLASTIC BOTTLES AND ALUMINUM CANS FOR RECYCLING. ALL GAMES ARE DEVELOPED BY DEVHUBONE AND ENCOURAGE SUSTAINABLE HABITS AND ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS IN A FUN WAY. SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN AND ADULTS.

**SOFIA FIRE SAFETY AND CIVIL PROTECTION DIRECTORATE** Day 1 11:00 - 17:00

*DEMONSTRATION: HOW THE FIRE DEPARTMENT WORKS*

A DEMONSTRATION OF FIREFIGHTING EQUIPMENT AND TECHNIQUES WITH PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS. VISITORS WILL GET A CLOSE LOOK AT A LIGHT FIREFIGHTING VEHICLE, SPECIALIZED EQUIPMENT, AND LEARN HOW EMERGENCY AND FIRE SITUATIONS ARE HANDLED. THE DEMONSTRATION ALSO INCLUDES PRACTICAL FIRE SAFETY AND PREVENTION ADVICE FOR URBAN ENVIRONMENTS AND NATURE.

**MOBILE AUTOMATIC AIR QUALITY MONITORING STATION OF SOFIA MUNICIPALITY** Day 1 11:00 - 17:00

*DEMONSTRATION: MOBILE AUTOMATIC MONITORING STATION*

WHAT KIND OF AIR DO WE BREATHE EVERY DAY IN SOFIA? THROUGH THE MOBILE AUTOMATIC MONITORING STATION (MAMS), VISITORS WILL SEE HOW AIR QUALITY IS MEASURED IN REAL TIME AND HOW FINE PARTICULATE MATTER AND OTHER POLLUTANTS AFFECTING HEALTH AND THE URBAN ENVIRONMENT ARE MONITORED.

**CLEANTECH BULGARIA** Day 1 11:00 - 13:00

*EUROPEAN CLIMATE PACT AMBASSADORS*

THE AMBASSADORS OF THE EUROPEAN CLIMATE PACT IN BULGARIA ACTIVELY WORK TO INFORM, INSPIRE, AND ENCOURAGE CITIZENS TO TAKE ACTION AGAINST CLIMATE CHANGE. THROUGH VARIOUS INITIATIVES, CAMPAIGNS, AND EVENTS, THEY PRESENT CLIMATE TOPICS THROUGH PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND PROMOTE MORE SUSTAINABLE LIFESTYLES.

**TSVETELINA ILIEVA, FOUNDER OF FLOWER MAIL/DIRTY FINGERS** Day 1 11:00 - 17:00 Day 2 13:00 - 17:00

*SEED PRESERVATION AND SHARING*

MEET THE "TSVETNA POSHTA" (FLOWER MAIL) INITIATIVE — A COMMUNITY FOR FREE SEED SHARING AND SEED PRESERVATION. VISITORS WILL LEARN MORE ABOUT BIODIVERSITY, POLLINATORS, AND WAYS EVERYONE CAN HELP NATURE.

THE INITIATIVE ENCOURAGES THE EXCHANGE OF SEEDS AND IDEAS AND DEMONSTRATES HOW CARING FOR PLANTS CAN BECOME CARING FOR THE COMMUNITY AND THE CITY.

**DIRECTORATE OF SPORTS AND YOUTH ACTIVITIES OF SOFIA MUNICIPALITY** Day 1 11:00 - 17:00 Day 2 13:00 - 17:00

*"CHICHOPEY": INTERACTIVE CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND*

DEDICATED TO THE GREAT TIT BIRD, THE INTERACTIVE INSTALLATION "CHICHOPEY" TRANSFORMS CHILDREN INTO LITTLE EXPLORERS OF URBAN NATURE. THROUGH GAMES, MOBILE INSTALLATIONS, AND A SOUND SCULPTURE, CHILDREN AGED 3 TO 10 WILL DISCOVER THE WORLD OF BIRDS AND THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN NATURE, MUSIC, AND THE CITY IN A FUN AND INTERACTIVE WAY.

**IMP-ACT** Day 2 17:00 - 19:00

*CLOTHING AND ITEM SWAP HOSTED BY VALERI KIRILOV*

A COMMUNITY EXCHANGE EVENT FOR CLOTHES AND OBJECTS. GIVE YOUR OLD CLOTHES, SHOWS, HOUSEHOLD ITEMS NEW LIFE; THE MOST SUSTAINABLE TOOLS AND OBJECTS ARE THOSE IN USE. BRING SOMETHING AND LET IT START A NEW LIFE, AND DISCOVER SOMETHING NEW FOR YOURSELF.

**YOUTH SPACE MAGNIT** Day 2 17:00 - 19:00

*CLOTHING SWAP BY "MAGNIT"*

AN EXCHANGE OF CLOTHES AND IDEAS FOR A MORE SUSTAINABLE LIFESTYLE. BRING SEVERAL CLEAN AND WELL-PRESERVED CLOTHES FOR SWAPPING — OR SIMPLY COME BROWSE AND PARTICIPATE. VISITORS WILL ALSO LEARN MORE ABOUT OVERCONSUMPTION, FASHION, THE MAKE SOMETHING WEEK FESTIVAL, THE POWER OF COMMUNITIES, AND POSITIVE CHANGE CREATED BY YOUNG PEOPLE.

**"KOREN" FOUNDATION** Day 2 15:00 - 17:00

*SEED EXCHANGE*

AN EXCHANGE OF SEEDS, SEEDLINGS, AND GARDENING STORIES FOR ALL LOVERS OF PLANTS, URBAN GARDENING, AND BIODIVERSITY. VISITORS ARE INVITED TO BRING THEIR OWN SEEDS OR DISCOVER NEW VARIETIES OF FLOWERS, HERBS, AND PLANTS TO TAKE HOME.

**GREEN SOFIA** Day 1 & 2 EXHIBITION

*TRAVELING EXHIBITION*

A TRAVELING EXHIBITION TRACING SOFIA'S TRANSFORMATION TOWARD BECOMING A GREENER AND MORE CLIMATE-RESILIENT CITY. THROUGH VISUALIZATIONS, DATA, AND EXAMPLES, THE EXHIBITION PRESENTS THE CITY'S PROGRESS ACROSS THE 12 KEY INDICATORS OF THE EUROPEAN GREEN CAPITAL COMPETITION — FROM AIR QUALITY AND URBAN MOBILITY TO GREEN SPACES, ENERGY, AND CIRCULAR ECONOMY.

## SOFIA WATERS ZONE

The zone presents good practices and initiatives dedicated to water as a valuable resource in the city — from nature-based solutions for cooling and adaptation to the climate to the protection of fountains, micro-wetlands and access to clean drinking water.

The area will feature:

- The water installation "[Rain Zone](#)" of the Municipality of Kran, Slovenia
- The exhibition "[The Importance of Fountains and Microwetlands](#)" of the Bulgarian Biodiversity Foundation and
- The exhibition "[Drop by Drop](#)" of the BCause Foundation.