

cover story

2019 NTPC Children's Art Festival - Futuristic Monsterland

The 2019 New Taipei City Children's Art Festival will take you to the "Futuristic Monsterland." Not only will you be visiting the outer space station and a futuristic park, you will also be treated to the creative works of top-rate local and international artists and performance troupes. Make sure you don't miss out!

Spanish E-Flow Powers the Paper Windmill

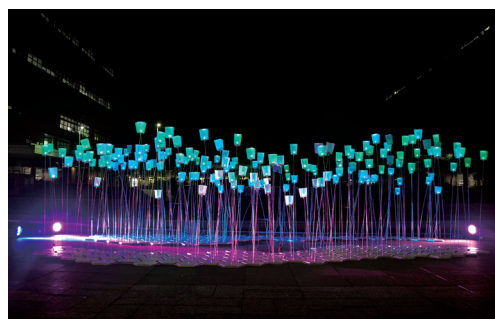
For ten consecutive days, you will be regaled with memorable busker performances. We will meet, for the first time, the six 4-m high giant puppets brought by Big Dancers, who are known for their exciting street performance back in Spain. These puppets, loved for their colorful outfit made with light, will bring the energy and excitement of a street party through their dance and music, and inspire the performer in you. Paper Windmill, the most notable Taiwanese theater for children, brings "The Witchery World," a program that comprises five types of mise-en-scene, including drama, dance, multimedia, black light and puppetry. A mysterious feel of the witches' world is thus created, hence the message that "love" is the origin of all civilization. In addition, you will get to see ten more excellent pieces of children's drama, including "Little Assistant" by Feng Shen Bao Bao and the circus of FOCA.

Travelling Museums Celebrate Community Flair

Yingge Ceramic Museum invites you to piece together the "Ceramic Jigsaw" they developed through the 3D technology. Tamsui Heritage Museum takes you back



to the battlefield and the thrill of warfare of Franco-Sino War with building blocks and drawings. Visitors will get a glimpse into the life of prehistoric Taiwanese as they rock to the rustic rhythm, prayer and interactive activities organized by the Shisanghang Museum. The Gold Museum has launched their unique goldmine trip, and the time machine will take you back to the mining town for an entire day. In Pinglin, the Tea Museum will turn you into a delicate tea bag, and experience the pleasure of alternative "teamaking." The Lin Family Mansion and Gardens is a living museum of traditional building material and structure. Their program will inspire you with the wisdom of our ancestors.



Let's Parade with the Monsters!

The masquerade this year has been given a makeover! Apart from the new route, we will, for the first time, ask you to parade with all performers on the day of the parade. You will join the riot with all the monsters along with more than 20 topmost performance groups, such as Energy Dance Ensemble, Oriental Dance Huyn, Huagogo and Bloco Força!



2019 NTPC Children's Art Festival

08/02-08/11
New Taipei City Square, New Taipei City Hall Lobby (161 Zhongshan Road, Banqiao District, New Taipei City)
02-2950-9750#103
www.newtaipei-summer.tw

Treasure of Golden Mountains Exhibition of Shuijinjiou Geoheritage

The most glistering mining exhibition in Taiwan is in the Gold Museum! In "Treasure of Golden Mountains Exhibition of Shuijinjiou Geoheritage", you will be able to explore the unique geology of the Shuijinjiou region, and the secret of its beautiful mineral deposits.



Date Now Until 10/27
Venue Gold Museum, New Taipei City Government



No. 8, Jinguang Road, Ruifang District, New Taipei City
02-2496-2800
09:30-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
Taipei-Jinguashi: Taking bus route 1062 at the Exit 2 of Zhongxiao Fuxing MRT Station via Jiufen and get off at Jinguashi.

A Tale of Food and Tableware-Ceramics and Culture in Daily Lives

The heaven of porcelain tableware aficionados is here! Ranging from the retro items used by the grandmothers to the ones in vogue, you can find tableware of various types here at once. What's more? This show gives you the perspective of porcelain artists and the approach of master chefs, plus the participation of crossover artists. This is an eye-opening event, and you will have to refrain yourself from taking all the artworks home!



Date Now Until 09/15
Venue New Taipei City Yingge Ceramic Museum



No. 200, Wenhua Road, Yingge District, New Taipei City
02-8677-2727
09:30-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
Take a commuter train to Yingge train station, the museum is a 10-minute walk from the Wenhua Rd. exit.

The Great Tea Alchemists : Craftsmanship of Tea Production in Taiwan

Combining interactive technologies, this exhibition approaches the spirit of generations of Taiwanese tea-makers with a new perspective. It will unveil the mystery of the tea making craft, and explore the topics such as the planting tea trees, development of tea making technique, legacy of old tea factories, and most of all, the heritage and innovation of master tea makers.



Date Now Until 09/01
Venue Pinglin Tea Museum of New Taipei City



No. 19-1, Shuisongqikeng, Pinglin Dist., New Taipei City
02-2665-6035
09:00-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
Take the MRT to Xindian Station. Transfer onto the Xindian Bus Service, and take the 923 or Green 12 (G12). Get off at the stop for Pinglin Junior High School. The Museum is a 5-minute walk away.

freeze Hóo-bué- Tamsui Historic photography exhibition

This exhibition sees the convergence of the work of three renowned photographers. They are Shuang-Jue, Bo, Zan-Chuan Zhang and Kun-Huang, Cai. Their work captures the Tamsui ambiance they saw in the 1960s to 90s. These images present a clear picture of the change of the Tamsui landscape throughout several decades, and search for the expression of the era of Tamsui as a small town.



Date Now Until 09/01
Venue Fort San Domingo



No. 1, Ln. 28, Zhongzheng Rd., Tamsui Dist., New Taipei
02-2623-1001
09:30-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
MRT Tamsui station is the terminal station. Once you arrive, you can take buses R26, 836 or 857 to Fort San Domingo

Indigenous Rituals - Taiwanese Indigenous Annual Ritual Exhibition

They are Mangayau of the Baian Tribe, Mayasvi of the Tsou Tribe, Illisin of the Amis Tribe, and Mgay Bari of the Truku Tribe. Underlying these rituals are the profound cultural tradition and worldview, all of which convey the value and meaning of the intangible cultural asset.



Date Now Until 09/15
Venue Shihsanhang Museum of Archaeology



- 📍 No. 200, Museum Road, Bali District, New Taipei City
- ☎ 02-2619-1313
- 🕒 09:30-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 🚶 MRT → Tamsui MRT Station → Ferry → Shuttle Bus Red No. 13 Shihsanhang Museum of Archaeology; or Ferry → Shuttle Bus Red No. 22, Bus No. 704 → Ren'ai

2019 Yue Lai in new Taipei- Chinese Romance in the garden

The Garden This Chinese Valentine's Day, the Lin Family Mansion and Garden is yer in another mission with the Xia-Hai City God Temple, and expand the route of Gods Procession in August 3. On that day, a wide range of traditional cultural activities are available. You will be able to taste the Xiao Pan pineapple cake through our check-in activity, and to walk around the Garden in traditional costume. Don't miss out!



Date 08/03-08/11
Venue he Lin Family Mansion and Garden



- 📍 No. 9, Ximen Street, Banqiao District, New Taipei City
- ☎ 02-2965-3061#23
- 🕒 09:00-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 🚶 Take Banqiao Line (Blue line) to Fuzhong MRT Station, and leave by Exit 1. The Garden is an 8-minute walk from the station.

Greetings in the year of pig- international Arts Exhibition

We are here to acknowledge the intelligence, cuteness, and delightfulness of piglets in the year of Boar, we adore the cuteness and intelligence of the piglets. The artists celebrate the great fortune brought by boars through their masterful brushstrokes. This exhibition comprises a wide variety of ink paintings as . This is a tour de force of artistic technique and artistry. You will not be disappointed.



Date 08/21-09/09
Venue New Taipei City Arts Center



- 📍 No. 62, Zhuangjing Rd., Banqiao Dist., New Taipei City
- ☎ 02-2253-4417
- 🕒 09:00-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 🚶 Take the MRT Bannan Line (Blue Line) and get off at Xinpu Station, turn right after exit from exit 4. Get across the street, walk straight until reaching the Lane182, Sec.2, Wenhua Raod and turn right. Continue walking along the way for about 3 minutes before you arrive.

Ming Hua Yuan Tien Taiwanese Opera "Karma"

Ming Hua Yuan Tien Taiwanese Opera was established in 1983, and has since committed all its resources to promoting traditional Taiwanese opera arts ever since. "Karma" is the tale of Dr. Hua Yuen Hua, who, despite being kind and generous, suffered an ill-fated end to his mortal life. This turns Hua into a spirit full of grudge, until the intervention of Ksitigarbha, who shows him karma of his mortal experience.



Date 08/23-08/24
Venue Xinzhuang Cultural Arts Cente



- 📍 No. 133, Zhongping Rd., Xinzhuang Dist., New Taipei City
- ☎ 02-2276-0182
- 🕒 09:00-17:30 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 🚶 Take "Nangang Exhibition Hall-Yongning" line and get off at Xinpu Station. Then, take bus No. 805 or Blue No. 18 at MRT exit No. 5 and get off the bus at the "Xintai Swimming Pool" Stop.

Coppery Art- Artistic Gong Exhibition

Wu Zhong-lin is the one and only copper gong master-maker. His handmade gong is equipped with the A440HZ international pitch standard, and elevated the traditional gong into a musical, artistic, spiritual instrument. His oeuvre demonstrates the affluent energy and unique philosophy.



Date Now Until 12/31
Venue Air Force San-Chong Village



- 📍 Ln. 86, Zhengyi S. Rd., Sanchong Dist., New Taipei City
- ☎ 02-2979-1815
- 🕒 10:00-18:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 🚶 Take the "Zhonghe Xinlu Line - Luzhou Line" and get off at "St Ignatius High School Station" or "Sanhe Junior High School". Transfer to Bus No. 221 or 306 to get off at "the end of Zhenyi South Road"

The symphony of fabric

Amongst the Taiwanese indigenous communities, the Atayal people are known for their weaving skills. Their traditional costumes are mostly woven with ramie, then interwoven with colored wool or with shell decoration. The costumes includes top, vest, kerchief, skirt and headdress. Colors vary from region to region.



Date Now
Venue Wulai Atayal Museum New Taipei City



- 📍 No. 12, Wulai St., Wulai Dist., New Taipei City
- ☎ 02-2661-8162
- 🕒 09:30-17:00
- 🚶 Take the MRT Xindian Line to the last stop at Xindian Station, transfer to Sndian Bus No. 849 and get off at Wulai, the terminal station.

Contemporary German Animation Masterpiece

In collaboration with German Institute for Animated Film (DIAF), Fuzhong 15 is proud to present a series of international masterpieces through its partnership with "Palme d'or de Cannes Short Films" and "Top 100 Global Animation Films."



Date Now Until 11/24
Venue Fuzhong 15



- 📍 No 15, Fuzhong Road, Banqiao District, New Taipei City
- ☎ 02-2968-3600#211
- 🕒 09:00-18:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 🚶 Taking MRT Line 5 to Fuzhong Station, Exit via Exit No 2. The Gallery is located approximately 40 meters at the rear of the Exit. Alternatively, exit MRT station via Exit 1, turn right at the rear of the Gate, cross the Road and proceed straight ahead. Approximately 3 minutes to the Gallery.

The Secret of Python- Wu Pei-Ming's Interactive Installation

Taiwan was once celebrated as an "island of fish diversity." In recent years, overfishing and inadequate environmental protection have disrupted the food chain in our marine environment. This show explores the causes behind the disappearing fishes. The 3-D artworks are designed to raise awareness for the protection of our ocean.



Date 08/16-09/03
Venue 435 Art Zone



- 📍 No. 435, Zhongzheng Rd., Banqiao Dist., New Taipei City
- ☎ 02-2969-0366
- 🕒 09:00-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 🚶 Take the MRT Blue Line and get off at Banqiao Station. Leave the station from Exit 2 and transfer to the Bus No. 310, 307, 810, 857 or 786 and get off at "Banqiao Junior High School, Banqiao 435 Art Zone."

Memory through Paint- Chen Yu hua Solo Exhibition

The beauty inspires our passion for artistic creation. In this exhibition, Chen's work, although rustic, displays a high level of sincerity. Using meticulous brushwork and bright color palette, Chen manages to draw out a sunny, positive energy from his work; he is exemplary in conveying the truth, honesty and beauty of the arts.



Date Now Until 09/17
Venue Hakka Museum New Taipei City Government



- 📍 No. 239, Longen Street, Sanxia District, New Taipei City
- ☎ 02-2672-9996
- 🕒 09:00-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 🚶 MRT → get off at Yongning station (Blue line), then take Taipei Bus No. 917, get off at Dingpu station (Blue line), then take Taipei Bus No. 981.

Story Wonderland- Let's Bring Stories to Live!

Naughty Play Studio is powered with extensive and comprehensive experience in drama and performing arts education. In this program, they will guide you into a story, bring you exceptional sound and visual pleasure, and ultimately, a unique experience in drama and performing arts.



Date 07/26-08/20
Venue New Taipei City Yongan Arts Center



- 📍 2F., No. 390, Zhonghe Rd., Zhonghe Dist., New Taipei City
- ☎ 02-2929-8830
- 🕒 11:00-19:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 🚶 Take the MRT Orange Line and get off at Yongan Market Station.