



Main events in the Gers for 2009

EXHIBITION Zdzislaw RUSZKOWSKI (1907-1991)

Abbey of Flaran – Valence sur Baïse

Until 15/01/2009

To prolong the success of the Ruszkowski exhibition that took place over the summer, a selection of approximately 15 paintings and sculptures by Z. Ruszkowski (1907-1991), coming from the Simonow Collection, is presented on the first floor of the abbatial dwelling. Ruszkowski was inspired by the light and the movement of forms that he recreated in a saturated palette in his paintings.

• Information:

Service d'Action Culturelle - Conservation Départementale du Patrimoine

32310 VALENCE SUR BAISE

Telephone 00 33 (0)5-62-28-50-19 - Fax 00 33 (0)5 62 28 97 76

E-mail: mhue@cg32.fr

Website: www.gers-gascogne.com

CHRISTMAS CRIB FIGURES FROM PROVENCE – LAVARDENS

From 28/10/2008 until 6/01/2009

Exhibition and sale of Christmas crib figures: discover 20 Christmas crib artist manufacturers as well as 18,000 Christmas crib figures and cribs in a traditional Provençal decor. Tasting at the Château of the 13 desserts reviewed by the Chefs of the Ronde des Mousquetaires.

Information:

Château de Lavardens

Tel.: 00 33 (0)5 62 58 10 61

Website: www.chateaulavardens.com

LA RONDE DES CRECHES (A tour of cribs) – CANTON OF MIRADOUX

An event not to be missed in the canton of Miradoux and animations in the villages.

From 13/12/2008 until 18 /01/2009

Discover the Ronde des Crèches in the canton of Miradoux.

• Information:

Syndicat d'Initiative

32340 MIRADOUX

Telephone 00 33 (0)5 62 28 63 62 / 00 33 (0)5 62 28 63 08

Site : www.abaeffect.com/rondedescreches



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COUPE DE PAQUES SUPER SERIE F.F.S.A (motor-racing cup) - NOGARO

Action, profusion, innovation in Nogaro.

From 11/04/2009 until 13/04/2009

Information:

CIRCUIT PAUL ARMAGNAC

Circuit Automobile

BP 24

32110 NOGARO

Telephone 00 33 (0)5 62 09 02 49 - Fax 00 33 (0)5 62 69 05 44

E-mail: circuit-nogaro@circuit-nogaro.com

Website: www.circuit-nogaro.com

FOURCES FLOWER MARKET

Flower market around 80 exhibitors.

From 25/04/2009 until 26/04/2009

Flower market : horticulturists, nurserypersons, landscape gardeners, craftsmen with flowers as a theme.

Information:

ASSOCIATION ARREBISCOULA

Au Village

32250 FOURCES

Telephone 00 33 (0)5 62 29 40 13 - Fax 00 33 (0)5 62 29 47 44

Website: <http://www.arrebiscoula.com>

FESTIVAL INTERNATIONAL DE BANDAS Y PENAS - CONDOM

From 08/05/2009 until 10/05/2009

The biggest gathering of brass bands in France... A great festive, musical and convivial moment!

Information:

Festival européen de Bandas y penas

32100 CONDOM

Telephone 00 33 (0)5.62.68.31.38 - Fax 00 33 (0)5.62.68.27.22

E-mail: festival-de-bandas@wanadoo.fr

Website: www.festival-de-bandas.com



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PENTECOTE A VIC - FERIA DEL TORO – VIC-FEZENSAC

Bullfights, street music in Vic-Fezensac

From 29/05/2009 until 01/06/2008

Information:

Club Taurin Vicois Allées Gabarrot 32190 Vic-Fezensac

Tel.: 00 33 (0)5 62 06 56 55 / fax: 00 33 (0)5 62 06 48 20.

E-mail: ctv@clubtaurinvicois.com

Website: <http://www.clubtaurinvicois.com>

FESTIVAL ECLATS DE VOIX

Festival dedicated to vocal art at St Mary's Cathedral and at the theatre in Auch

From 12/06/2009 until 28/06/2009

Dedicated to vocal art in all its diversity, the festival welcomes the best soloists and international ensembles.

3 weekends, 3 themes, 3 times more pleasure, 3 reasons to come and share our happiness.

Information:

ECLATS DE VOIX

Mr. Patrick DE CHIREE

Clairfont

32810 PREIGNAN

Telephone 00 33 (0)5.62.05.20.82 - Fax 00 33 (0)5.62.05.20.83

E-mail: eclatsdevoix@wanadoo.fr

Website: www.eclatsdevoix.com

CHAMPIONNAT D'EUROPE DE CAMIONS - NOGARO

Truck Racing European Cup, Amazing show in Nogaro

Period : june

1000 hp driving at 160 km/h. You will not believe it and you will come back!

Other races include the famous Legend Cars and Kart 250.

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E-mail: circuit-nogaro@circuit-nogaro.com

Website: www.circuit-nogaro.com



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FESTI' DROLE - SIMORRE

12th festival of children's creation in Simorre

From 4/07/2009 until 5/07/2009

Festi'drôle has the will to make children grow up. How? By devising a festival centred on discovery, expression and creation.

• **Information:**

Asta'Drole

mairie

32420 SIMORRE

Telephone 00 33 (0)5 62 65 37 29

E-mail: festidrole.Astadrole@wanadoo.fr

Website: <http://festidrole.free.fr>

FESTIVAL COUNTRY MUSIC MIRANDE - 56 concerts over 5 days

From 09/07/2009 until 14/07/2009

1st festival of this kind in Europe – Meetings: 30 hot air balloons, 250 American cars, 2,000 bikes.

• **Information:**

Festival de Country Music Mirande

Villa Bajon

Rue Alsace Lorraine

32300 MIRANDE

E-mail: info@country-musique.com

Website: www.country-musique.com

CUIVRO'FOLIZ – FLEURANCE

Brass band festival, "Bozart" style, and music in the streets.

From 17/07/2009 until 19/07/2009

Hours: 9.30 am to 2.00 am

Soak up the festive and enchanting atmosphere of the Saturday evening aperitif concert, of the music in the streets and of acoustic concerts.

• **Information:**

Les Inséparables

Engilis

rte d'Auch

32500 FLEURANCE

Mobile 00 33 (0)6 73 92 99 02

E-mail: contact@cuivroliz.com

Website: www.cuivroliz.com



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L'ETE PHOTOGRAPHIQUE DE LECTOURE (photo exhibition)

Festival of visual art.

From 18/07/2009 until 23/08/2009

Numerous discoveries will be available for the visitor to discover.

• Information:

Centre de photographie de Lectoure

5, rue Ste Claire

32700 LECTOURE

Telephone 00 33 (0)5.62.68.83.72 - Fax 00 33 (0)5.62.68.83.03

E-mail: contact@centre-photo-lectoure.fr

Website: www.centre-photo-lectoure.fr

NUITS MUSICALES EN ARMAGNAC (Musical nights in the Armagnac region)

From 20/07/2009 until 06/09/2009

Festival of classical music.

• Information:

NUITS MUSICALES EN ARMAGNAC

32100 CONDOM

Telephone 00 33 (0)5.62.68.71.07

Website: <http://perso.wanadoo.fr/nma> ;

FESTIVAL TEMPO LATINO – VIC-FEZENSAC

Festival of Latin Afro-Cuban music.

From 23/07/2009 until 26/07/2009

Festival offering free and paying concerts as well as classes (dance, multi-instruments, percussions and songs for children).

• Information:

TEMPO LATINO

Rue du Général Delort

32190 VIC FEZENSAC

Telephone 00 33 (0)5 62 06 56 66 - Fax 00 33 (0)5 62 06 49 22

E-mail: tempo-latino@wanadoo.fr

Website: www.tempo-latino.com



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JAZZ IN MARCIAC

Fortnight dedicated to jazz with the biggest international artists.
From 31/07/2009 until 16/08/2009

• **Information:**

JAZZ IN MARCIAC

Place de l'hôtel de ville

32230 MARCIAC

Telephone 00 33 (0)8 92 69 02 77 - Fax 00 33 (0)5 62 09 38 67

E-mail: info@jazzinmarciac.com

Website: www.jazzinmarciac.com

FESTIVAL DE LA BD EN GASCOGNE - EAUZE (Comic strips festival)

3/08/2009

Meeting of international cartoonists in the Gers.

Book signing, bookshops, second-hand booksellers, exhibitions, recurrent theme...

Information :

Festival de bande dessinée

Telephone : 05 62 09 75 83

Email : bandedessineegascogne@wanadoo.fr

Website : <http://www.zappeurs.com>

FESTIVAL MUSIQUES ET DANSES ANCIENNES - SARRANT

Period : august

Old music and dances, classes, dance shows – meetings for violinists

Concerts, dance, street animations

• **Information:**

Association Renaissance du Donjon

Au Presbytère

32120 SARRANT

Telephone 00 33 (0)5 62 65 04 58 - Fax 00 33 (0)5 62 65 01 93

E-mail: aragondaniel@hotmail.com

Website: www.sarrant.com



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FESTIVAL D'ASTRONOMIE DE FLEURANCE

Introduction to astronomy, improvement.

From 8/08/2009 until 14/08/2009

The Astronomy Festival in Fleurance invites children and adults, inquisitive and passionate people to the discovery of the world through an exciting activity: astronomy.

• Information:

Festival d'astronomie de Fleurance

Au moulin du Roy

32500 FLEURANCE

Telephone 00 33 (0)5.62.06.62.76 - Fax 00 33 (0)5.62.06.24.99

E-mail: contact@fermedesetoiles.com

Website: www.fermedesetoiles.com

BIO-GASCOGNE SALON DU BIEN-ETRE ET DU BIEN VIVRE - CONDOM (exhibition on well-being and well-living)

From 28/08/2009 until 30/08/2009

Food, organic produce, healthy habitat, the environment, arts and crafts.

Information:

Office de tourisme de la Ténarèze

place bossuet

32100 CONDOM

Telephone 00 33 (0)5 62 28 00 80 - Fax 00 33 (0)5 62 28 45 46

E-mail: otsi@condom.org

FESTIVAL CINE 32, INDEPENDANCES ET CREATION (film festival)

2^{sd} october

Around 40 previews or previously unreleased feature-length films, meetings with film directors, producers, actors, technicians.

• Information:

Festival Ciné 32

17 rue Lafayette

32007 AUCH CEDEX

Telephone 00 33 (0)5 62 63 50 62 - Fax 00 33 (0)5 62 60 61 15

E-mail: festival@cine32.com

Website: www.cine32.com



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FESTIVAL CIRCA - AUCH (Circus festival)

From 23/10/2009 until 31/10/2009

By welcoming various shows, young or more renowned companies, circus schools and show business professionals, Circa supports creation and encourages meetings. The public can discover all the vitality of modern circus as well as the mixing of the arts which characterise it: when theatre, dance, music and circus associate themselves to become a living show.

• Information:

Circuits - Scène conventionnée

Centre Cuzin

Rue Guynemer

32000 AUCH

Telephone 00 33 (0)5 62 61 65 00 - Fax 00 33 (0)5 62 05 38 29

E-mail: circuits.scene@mairie-auch.fr

Website: www.circa.fr.st

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