



A culture night, as the word says, takes place long after the normal closing time.

Free entry to museums, galleries and concert venues.

Culture Night at the Maritime Museum

19:00 Guided tour of the Viking ship exhibition.

20:00 Guided tours of the exhibitions on various themes.

English-language tours are also available.

20:45 Bergen Stompers, jazz and tap-dance enthusiasts, present the history of tap dancing through their own feet

18:00-22:00: Activities for children: Rat hunt and a simple craft activity.

18:00-21:00: Continuous screening of the documentary The Burned Ship, about the famous Viking Age Myklebust ship discovered in Nordfjordeid (22 min).

Norwegian speech with English subtitles.

Location: Haakon Shetligsplass 15

Time: 18:00-22:00

Exhibition at Hordaland kunstsenter

Hordaland kunstsenter is open late with the exhibition Like a hole in the wall where a picture used to hang by Martine Flor, Moana Le Meur and Tobias Kvendseth, and the project Conference of the Birds by Benedicte Dahm and Oda Tungodden.

Refreshments available for purchase at the bar. Welcome!

Location: Klosteret 17

Time: 18:00-22:00

Culture Night at KODE

KODE keeps its exhibitions open from 18:00 to 23:00 with free admission. The evening also includes a book launch, drawing bar, concert and pop-up guided tours.

Rasmus Meyers samlinger:

Highlights of historic Norwegian painting, featuring works by J.C. Dahl, Christian Krohg, Harriet Backer, Kitty Kielland, Nikolai Astrup and, of course, Edvard Munch.

Stenersen: Vibeke Tandberg - De lever

De lever is the largest presentation of Vibeke Tandberg's artistic career to date. The exhibition spans more than three decades, from iconic works of the 1990s to brand-new pieces.

Concert in the exhibition at 20:00: Inspired by Vibeke Tandberg's work, toy pianist Késia Decoté explores questions of identity and the self in this performance on toy piano.

Permanenten: Book Launch and Discussion in the Banquet Hall, 4th Floor at 18:00

Steffen Kvernland and Ragnar Hovland discuss their new Gonzo-style biography of Nikolai Astrup

Permanenten: The Workshop, 1st Floor, 18:00-22:30, Drawing Bar

The Drawing Bar is for everyone. Drawing materials are provided.

Time: 18:00-23:00

CULTURE NIGHT AT SCHØTSTUENE AND BRYGGEN

Welcome to the world of the Hanseatic merchants at Bryggen and Schøtstuene, where we take you on a short walk through Bryggen and up to the Hanseatic assembly rooms, Schøtstuene.

Schøtstuene Museum is open from 19:00 to 22:00.

19:40 Concert with Duo Syrx in Schøtstuene.

20:00 Guided tour in English of Bryggen and Schøtstuene. Starts at Bryggen 33.

Walk through the Bredsgården passage up to Schøtstuene (approximately 40 minutes)

20:40 Concert with Duo Syrx in Schøtstuene.

21:40 Concert with Duo Syrx in Schøtstuene.

Location: Bryggen 33 for the tour, Schøtstuene for the concert

Time: 19:00-22:00

Opening of Three New Exhibitions at Kunsthall 3,14

Join us for the opening of three new exhibitions at Kunsthall 3,14 during Culture Night. Simone Hooymans' experimental animation, Lars Staffan Evjen's charcoal installation, and a sound work by Nicola Renzi and Mai Britt Utsi invite reflections on humanity's place in nature's interconnected cycles.

Programme:

18:15 Artist presentations by Simone Hooymans and Lars Staffan Evjen

19:15 Mini-lecture From Small Creatures to Nature Policy by Monica Marcella Kjærstad

Location: Kunsthall 3,14, Vågsallmenningen 12

Time: 18:00-23:00

Bryggens Museum During Culture Night

Discover the hidden stories of Bryggen as we invite you to an atmospheric evening above and below ground. Explore Forteljinger i tråd, a textile exhibition where Ragna Breivik's woven tapestries bring the medieval ballad of Åsmund Frægdegjeva to life.

Continue Underground, where genuine archaeological finds such as rune sticks, shoes and trade goods tell the story of everyday life in the medieval city.

Short introductions throughout the evening offer fresh perspectives on everything from love runes and city fires to textile art.

A film about the excavations at Bryggen will be shown in the auditorium every half hour.

Location: Bryggens Museum

Time: 18:00-21:00

Imperfect Gravity Gamecard Playday

Join us on our play day!

Imperfect Gravity is a card game that is neither about winning nor losing. The game consists of 50 cards with original illustrations. These 50 cards are divided into 12 decks of 4 cards and 1 deck of 2 cards. Each deck is assigned a symbol. Together these symbols form a fictitious vessel used to play a game similar to Crazy Eights, Hanafuda and Tarot.

Taking inspiration from places of worship and the act of playing board and card games, the aim of this game is to create a space for reflection and curiosity, and to ask questions about how the symbols in our lives help shape our personal belief systems.

We hope you enjoy playing the game with us.

Location: Northing, Østre Skostredet 10

Time: 18:00-22:00

KRAFT Welcomes You

KRAFT is an exhibition venue and knowledge centre for contemporary craft. During Culture Night, we warmly welcome you to a deep dive into the fascinating world of fungi through an installation created by craft artist and mushroom expert Herdis Torsvik.

In our retail concept Studio, visitors can discover both high-quality artworks from selected and distinctive artistic practices, as well as cups and functional objects made by skilled local ceramicists.

Location: Vågsallmenningen 12

Time: 18:00-20:00

Open House at Stranges stiftelse

Stranges Stiftelse is one of Bergen's oldest institutions. Its women's poorhouse was established in 1609 by Alderman Strange Jørgensen and has been rebuilt several times since then. The building served as a nursing home until 1972. By that time, the interior had remained more or less unchanged for 220 years.

At 19:00 and 20:00 there will be short theatrical performances featuring characters from the history of the house. During Culture Night there will be an open exhibition and light refreshments.

Location: Klostergaten 28

Time: 18:00-21:00

Kim Hankyul – Art of Making God

What does it really take to create and sustain belief? In this new kinetic artwork, acclaimed artist Kim Hankyul invites audiences into a soundscape of rain rituals, unfinished idols and stories of sacrifice.

Location: Lydgalleriet, Strandgaten 195

Time: 18:00-22:00

Culture Night with Bergen Assembly at Korskirken

Join us for an evening at Korskirken featuring film, listening experiences and a concert. Watch Chiemi Shimada's short film mmm, which traces the history of clouds through Japanese cinema; take part in Nolan Oswald Dennis' listening exercise Earth/Sky using sounds from the

earth and sky; and experience a concert by Simone Ghetti, exploring the meeting point between harmony, dissonance and noise.

Location: Korskirken, Nedre Korskirkeallmenningen 20

Time: 18:00-19:30

reserve a free ticket here: <https://bergen-assembly.hoopla.no/event/811809799>

Bergen Technical Museum

Bergen Technical Museum is open during Culture Night from 18:00 until midnight, with free admission as always.

The tram will also be running from 18:00-19:30 and 21:30-24:00.

Location: Thormøhlens gate 23

Time: 18:00-00:00

Mobile City Walk

Bergen Technical Museum is organizing a “mobile city walk” connecting two volunteer-run, technically related cultural institutions in central Bergen.

Participants will travel by vintage bus to three unique cultural heritage sites in Bergen:

Bergens Tekniske Museum, located in the former tram depot at Møhlenpris from 1913, and the former MIL petrol station in Lars Hilles gate from 1928.

The event is free but requires registration. Visit www.bergenstekniskemuseum.no for registration and more information.

Workshop with Wool, Water and Calligraphy

Workshop 1: Calligraphy

Experience how the brush moves and creates different expressions as you try it yourself.

Explore the Latin alphabet through the meeting of Eastern and Western calligraphy traditions with instructors Minh Thu Pham and Bas Vlam.

Workshop 2: Wool and Water

Join a creative introduction to wet felting, where wool, water and craftsmanship come together to create unique forms and expressions. Participants will learn basic techniques and explore how wool fibres can be shaped and bonded using warm water, soap and movement, guided by instructor Zhengcui Guo.

Time: 17:30-19:00

The door will be closed once the workshop begins, and entry will not be possible after start.

Location: Bergen kulturskole, Room 318, Strømgaten 19

Time: 17:30-19:00

Culture Night at Gestapohuset

Experience Gestapohuset in Veiten with authentic prison cells and digital storytelling about resistance and oppression. Hear about prisoners’ experiences of harsh interrogations and torture. Enter the cells with flashlights, illuminating the walls, and discover hundreds of inscriptions carved by those who were imprisoned here.

Location: Gestapomuseet (Entrance: Chr. Michelsens gt. 10)

Time: 18:00-21:00

MIL Veteran Station, Lars Hilles gate

At the protected petrol station in Lars Hilles gate 27, visitors will receive an introduction to the work of restoring the station to its original appearance from its opening in 1928.

The historic visible fuel pumps from the 1920s will be demonstrated.

Afterwards, we will visit the basement level, which houses a large collection of pumps, advertising signs, petrol station equipment, uniforms and more.

Location: Lars Hilles gate 27

Time: 18:00-23:00

Muren – An Unknown Bergen Story

Muren is one of Bergen's historic protected buildings, yet it is rarely mentioned in Bergen literature. Discover its story in Christopher Harris' lecture, filled with vivid stories and fascinating details. Who built Muren, when was it constructed, and why?

This lecture tells the story of a building that has survived city fires, demolition threats and changing times. Muren has served as a banquet venue, residence, liquor outlet, public office and museum.

Location: Buekorpsmuseet, Muren (by the entrance to Gågaten)

Time: 18:00-22:00

Exhibition on the Life and Work of Bergen Author Torborg Nedreaas

In addition to exploring texts and photographs about the author and her literary interests, visitors will have the opportunity to purchase newly published editions from this enduring and fascinating authorship.

Location: Trikkehallen, Bergens Tekniske Museum, Thormøhlens gate 23

Time: 18:00-24:00

Entrée Presents Mathijs van Geest: Early

Entrée presents Early, a solo exhibition by Bergen-based artist Mathijs van Geest. The exhibition brings together new and reworked works and unfolds as a careful exploration of shifts in perception. The subtle and open gestures in his works arise from small everyday moments of hesitation, possible failure, doubt or "what almost happens", moments which quietly disrupt established structures and open up new ways of relating to the world.

Location: Markeveien 4b

Time: 18:00-00:00

Resistance Movement 1940-1945

This year marks 20 years since Bergenhús festningsmuseum was established and opened its main exhibition, Resistance in the Bergen Region 1940-1945.

18:00: Lecture, The Year of Total Defence, status and developments with a focus on Bergen.

Presented by Christian Irgens, Bergens Forsvarsforening.

Cake will be served from 16:00.

Location: Bergenhús 30

Time: 16:00-20:00

BERGEN'S OLDEST BUILDING, Nonneseter, the base of the monastery church tower

Fortidsminneforeningen Bergen local branch invites you to an open house in the Tower Base. The Tower Base is the oldest surviving part of the monumental monastery church and also serves as a memorial hall for victims of war.

The beautiful sculpture Mother and Child was created by sculptor Hans Jacob Meyer.

Step into the Middle Ages and explore the monastery church tower base dating from 1130.

18:00 Bergen Mannskor concert.

19:00-21:00 Guided tours and mini-lectures.

Location: Kaigaten, between Jernbanestasjonen and Bergen Storsenter

Time: 18:00-21:00

Choir Concerts in the Tower Hall at Universitetsmuseet

During Culture Night, Universitetsmuseet opens the doors to the beautiful Tower Hall for an evening of choral singing and atmospheric musical experiences.

The Tower Hall is normally not open to the public and is only used on very special occasions. Culture Night is one such occasion.

Programme:

18:00 Doors open, Trappekoret performs

18:30 Alt for damene

19:00 Sapfonia, Norway's only queer choir for women and non-binary singers

19:30 Ole Bull Kammerkor

20:00 Fyllingsdalskoret

Location: Muséplass 3

Time: 18:00-21:30

Film Screening in the Tower Hall: An Indian Love Story (2024)

During Culture Night, Universitetsmuseet opens the atmospheric Tower Hall for a screening of the documentary An Indian Love Story by Dipesh Kharel and Frode Storaas. Based on research by social anthropologist Kathinka Frøystad.

Kuldeep is in love, but the woman he wishes to marry belongs to a higher caste than he does. No matter how much he prays to the goddess Kali, the woman's father remains difficult to convince.

Many Bollywood films tell Romeo-and-Juliet-style stories about young lovers. Unlike these films, this documentary follows a real story from the perspective of a young man rather than the woman.

Location: Tårnsalen, Universitetsmuseet, Muséplass 3

Time: 20:30, duration: 60 minutes

City Walk: Sculpture Walk

Get to know the stories of the people you normally just walk past. Meet the farmers in the city, the statue that walked, and the greatest PR genius of the 19th century.

Time: 18:30

Meeting Point: Holbergstatuen, Vågsallmenningen

End Point: Lysverket

City Walk: Born in Marken on a Tin Plate?

Join a walk through a “small medieval village in the middle of the city”. Along the way we encounter porters, lepers and those who have “seen better days”.

Time: 19:00

Meeting Point: Jernbanens hovedinngang

End Point: Gamle rådhus

City Walk: Bergenhus

We follow the fascinating history of Holmen from royal estate to fortress, focusing on those who once lived there: kings, governors and, not least, the forgotten queens.

Time: 18:00

Meeting Point: The gateway to Bergenhus (by Thon Hotel Orion)

End Point: Bergenhus Festningsmuseum

City Walk: Nygårdshøyden, From Outfield to Campus

From lions and blue whales to monkey scares and ski jumping. The walk passes patrician villas and apartment buildings, pleasure gardens and university buildings.

Time: 20:00

Meeting Point: Christiestatuen, Muséplass (the Lion)

End Point: Bergen Tekniske Museum, with opportunities for a guided tour.

City Walk: From Skuteviken to Fredens Bolig

Walk from Skuteviksbryggen via Balaklava to Stølekirkegården and Fredens Bolig.

Guide: Jo Gjerstad

Time: 19:00-20:30

Meeting Point: Skuteviksbryggen

End Point: Fredens Bolig

City Walk: A Journey Through the History of Nykirken and Erkebispegården

Nykirken is the Phoenix bird of Nordnes. Three times it has been rebuilt according to Reichborn's 1758 drawings. Beneath the church lie the ruins of the Archbishop's grand complex from around 1300. A continuous thread links the medieval princely residence to the present-day church.

Guide: Mons Kvamme

Time: 18:00 to approximately 19:30

Meeting Point: KIWI Strandgaten (No. 204)

End Point: Nykirken

Shanties and Cuban Music on the Historic Steamship Stord I

D/S Stord I is a museum vessel representing the large fleet of passenger boats that operated between 1880 and 1960.

From 19:00 through 21:00, Harald Sætre will give lectures in the Second-Class Gentleman's lounge entitled Vågen, a Busy Harbour for the Fjord Boats.

The lecture reflects on the work of preserving important historic ferries and fjord boats registered in Bergen and lasts approximately 30 minutes.

Studentersangforeningen i Bergen will perform on the midship deck at 20:30.

Cuban Music on Stord I: A concert featuring Latin American traditional music and jazz.

The programme ranges from traditional Latin American music to jazz.

Food service and guided tours will also be available on board.

Location: Bergen Nasjonale Veteranskipshavn, Shetlands-Larsens brygge

Time: 18:00-00:00

Bagpipe Parade at Bryggen

Bergen Pipes and Drums was established in 2005 under the name Bergen Pipeband and has since been an active contributor to the local cultural scene. During Culture Night, you can join them in a parade from Vågsallmenningen via Fisketorget to Håkonshallen.

Location: From Vågsallmenningen to Paradeplassen, Bergenhus festning

Time: 19:00

Culture Cruise on Beffen

The traditional Beffen ferry will of course be running this evening.

On board, visitors can enjoy beautiful viola performances by Hans Gunnar Hagen.

Location: Between Bradbenken (Bryggen) and Nykirkekaien (Nordnes)

Time: 19:00-23:00

Open Ship on D/S Oster

Visitors are welcome aboard for entertainment, food and refreshments, including beet soup, pastries, beer and wine.

18:00 Gubbekoret

18:30 Åsalåten toraderlag

19:00 Fortunens Musikkorps

Location: Bryggen

Time: 18:00-00:00

M/S Granvin at Bryggen

Øye & The Spark Plugs will provide musical entertainment on the promenade deck.

Food and drinks will be available for purchase, featuring flavours from Hardanger.

Location: Bryggen

Time: 20:00-00:00

Songs and Music on M/S Vestgar

From 19:00, music and songs will be performed by Hummer & Canary.

On board there will be sales of beet soup, freshly baked cinnamon buns and refreshments.

Location: Bryggen

Time: 18:00-00:00

Music and Dance at Gimle

Throughout the evening there will be a crash course in folk dancing, beautiful choral singing by Kor e' tonen, and opportunities to dance.

18:15 Folk dance crash course

19:00 Bergen Juniorspelemannslag plays for dancing

19:30 Kor e' tonen performs

19:50 Annual raffle draw

20:10 Audhilds plays for dancing

20:40 Flatsabbane plays for dancing

21:10 Kvedargruppa sings for dancing

Location: Gimle, Kong Oscarsgate 18

Time: 18:00-21:30

Nedreaas on the Tram

This year features two young actors from Vestlandske teatersenter, Ingrid Raspotning and Edith Marie Aalberg, who will perform excerpts from Trylleglasset at tram stops along the route. The four planned tram journeys each last approximately 30 minutes. Departures are from Bergen Technical Museum at 19:30 and 20:30, and from Teaterparken at 20:00 and 21:00.

Each trip is limited to 22 passengers. Free tickets can be reserved here:

https://kulturnattbergen.ticketco.events/no/nb/e/nedreaas_paa_trikken_2026

Location: Between Bergen Technical Museum and Teaterparken

Time: 19:30-21:30

Swing Evening: Balboa & Lindy Hop

Join introductory swing dance classes in Lindy Hop and Balboa.

These beginner-friendly sessions require no previous experience or partner. After the classes, there will be social dancing with wonderful swing music.

18:30-19:30 Lindy Hop introductory course

19:30-20:30 Balboa introductory course

20:30-23:00 Social dancing

Location: Litteraturhuset, Amalie Alver

Time: 18:30-23:00

PAB OPEN SESSION

PAB Open Session is a public-space performance inspired by Bbeyond's monthly meetings in Belfast. The concept is inclusive and open, allowing performance artists to test new ideas and work freely with intuition and collaboration. The initiative also aims to stimulate exchange between improvisation across different disciplines, including visual arts, dance, music, theatre and vocal arts.

Time: 18:00-19:00

Location: The underground tunnel by Bergen Storsenter

Hildemors Dansesenter: A Taste of Dance

Would you like to try various dance styles? No previous experience is required.

19:00 Jazz in Heels

19:20 K-pop

19:40 Modern

20:00 Ballroom/Latin

20:20 Hip Hop

20:40 Latin Solo

Time: 19:00-21:00

Location: Hildemors Dansesenter, Torggaten 7

Enter through Bunnpris and take the stairs on the right.

Bergen Internasjonale Kultursenter

The programme is filled with exotic flavours, colourful dances and a great atmosphere.

18:00-22:00 Cultural café and delicious food by Karemba's Swahili Pot

18:00-20:00 Children's activities

18:15-18:45 Rhythm games for children with Abu and a drawing table

19:15-20:00 Dance performances by various contributors from the cultural centre.

20:30-22:00 Social dancing with DJ Mena

Location: Bergen Internasjonale Kultursenter, Fensal, Kong Oscars gt. 15

Time: 18:00-22:00

Chamber Concerts in Mariakirken

Eikanger-Bjørsvik invites audiences to an evening of chamber music.

Concerts begin at 18:30 and 20:00.

Location: Mariakirken

Time: 18:00-21:00

Culture Night at Gamle Hovedbrandstasjonen

Enjoy swinging musical entertainment from Løen Storband.

Special performances by Bergen Mannskor during the breaks.

Soup and refreshments will be available for purchase.

Location: Gamle Hovedbrandstasjonen

Time: 20:00-00:00

Sa ka la (Culture Night Special!)

“Sa ka la,” said Jon Fosse when naming his 2004 play about what happens when people lose language. We must not lose it. Public readings remain an important part of Norwegian literature, and Bergen is home to many young and exciting literary voices.

In this special edition, Mats Tønjum Alfsen invites two established and two emerging writers to read their own poetry and prose.

Location: Litteraturhuset i Bergen, 1st floor

Time: 19:00

Culture Night at Lille DNS

During Culture Night, Lille DNS presents musical favourites and an entertaining half-hour look at the Black Death.

18:00-18:30 Lecture: The Black Death and Other Plagues

19:00-19:35 Musical Treasures

20:15-20:50 Musical Treasures

Location: Lille DNS, Fortunen 7

Time: 18:00-21:00

Tango Abrazo: Drop-in Introductory Class and Milonga at Litteraturhuset!

The evening begins with a 75-minute drop-in introductory course in Argentine tango.

No previous experience is required, and you can learn your very first dance steps.

After the course, the evening continues with a milonga (social dance evening), where Buenos Bergen presents its social tango scene.

18:30 Tango course with Tango Abrazo, Solveig & Bogdan

20:00 Milonga with DJ

Location: Olav H. Hauge-salen, Litteraturhuset i Bergen, Østre Skostredet 5-7

Time: 18:30 until approximately 23:00

Romeo and Juliet

You have never seen Romeo and Juliet quite like this before. With very few theatrical devices, one room, two performers and only a handful of props, the famous story of the Capulet and Montague families unfolds before the audience. Along the way, spectators become involved in simple and elegant ways. By Steinar Thorsen and Jorunn Lullau.

Location: Cornerteateret, Kong Christian Frederiks plass 4

Time: 18:00

Jazz Jam at Skifte

Jazz students from Griegakademiet take over SKIFTE Bar for an evening of jam sessions.

Expect various line-ups featuring improvisation, original compositions and standards. The house band starts at approximately 22:30 and continues well into the night.

Location: Skifte Bar, 3rd floor, Det Vestnorske Teateret

Time: From 22:30

Culture Night in Musikkpaviljongen

The beautiful Musikkpaviljongen will be filled with performances throughout the evening. Enjoy lively choral singing, brass bands, accordion music and swinging rhythms.

18:00 Fortunens Musikkorps

18:30 Bergens Musik Corps

19:00 Bergen Mannskor

19:30 Åsalåten Toraderlag

20:00 Alt for damene

20:30 Sapfonia

21:00 Haukeland Songlag

21:45 Paradis Bigband

Location: Musikkpaviljongen

Time: 18:00-22:30

The Johannes Church

Welcome inside the scaffolding at the Johannes Church.

Visitors will have the opportunity to climb the tower, both on the outside of the church and up inside the bell tower. In the church itself, guests can enjoy a cup of church coffee while listening to a varied series of concerts.

18:00 Bergens Salongorkester

19:00 Bergen Kammerkor

19:30 Rhapsody in Blue for grand piano (Knut Christian Janssen) and organ (Mariko Takei, cantor of the Johannes Church)

20:30 Ole Bull Kammerkor

21:00 St. Sunniva Kammerkor

Location: the Johannes Church

Time: 18:00-22:00

Culture Night at Kulturhuset Danckert Krohn

Welcome to a guided journey entitled "From Chamber to Chamber", featuring classical music performed by young string musicians throughout the rooms of Kulturhuset Danckert Krohn. The walks last approximately thirty minutes and begin at 18:00 and 19:00.

Location: Kulturhuset Danckert Krohn, Kong Oscars gate 54

Time: 17:30-20:00

Culture Night at Statsraaden Bar & Reception

During the Culture Night, Statsraaden Bar & Reception presents both music and dance.

18:30 Gubbekoret: An octet and a guitar performing shanties and pop songs.

19:00 Mexico Lindo: Colourful dance performance.

19:30 Bergenhus entusiastkor: Pure enthusiasm in song.

Time: 18:00-00:00

Location: Bradbenken 2

Culture Night at Bergen Cathedral

Welcome into the cathedral's hidden spaces.

Experience young and adult organists performing on the grand organ, hear stories from the church's history, and visit Skrudhuset, the beautiful chapel at the rear of the church, where Bergen Domkor will perform mini-concerts.

18:00 Stories from the church

18:05 Organ concert

18:30 Mini-concert in Skrudhuset with members of Bergen Domkor

18:45 Stories from the church

18:50 Organ concert

19:15 Mini-concert in Skrudhuset with members of Bergen Domkor

19:30 Stories from the church

19:35 Organ concert

20:00 Mini-concert in Skrudhuset with members of Bergen Domkor

20:15 Stories from the church

20:20 Organ concert

Location: Bergen Cathedral, church nave and Skrudhuset

Time: 18:00-21:00

GRIEGAKADEMIET'S CULTURE NIGHT

This year, Griegakademiet at KMD has the privilege of using The University Aula in Bergen during Culture Night and invites audiences to concerts performed by its students in this beautiful venue.

The programme is not completely finalized at the time of writing, but audiences can expect solo piano performances, chamber music and a variety of other musical offerings. Four concerts will take place, starting every hour at 18:00, 19:00, 20:00 and 21:00. Each concert lasts approximately 30 minutes.

Location: The University Aula, Muséplass 3

Time: 18:00-22:00

Bergen Kjøtt: Open House!

Bergen Kjøtt opens its doors for an evening of music, conversations and guided tours of its music studios. Discover historical stories, enjoy behind-the-scenes access to studios that have produced award-winning music, and experience live music along the way.

18:00 Guided tour: Bergen Kjøtt Behind the Scenes with Maik Ronz

19:00 Bergen Kjøtt Bar: Concert – Flukten

20:00 Guided tour: Bergen Kjøtt Behind the Scenes with Maik Ronz

20:30 Fabrikkhallen: Launch event for the BT podcast Mysteriet i taket, produced by studio tenant Henrik Svanevik

22:00 Bar and Fabrikkhallen: Bergen Kjøtt DJs

Location: Skutevikstorget 1

Time: 17:00-00:00

The Archbishop's Palace beneath Nykirken

Step inside a medieval ruin!

In the Middle Ages, the king and the archbishop dominated opposite sides of the entrance to Bergen. On the eastern side of Vågen stood the royal estate, Håkonshallen. On the western side stood the archbishop's magnificent palace.

Part of the ruins of the old Archbishop's Palace can still be found in the basement of Nykirken, and during Culture Night you can experience them for yourself.

Location: The Archbishop's Palace beneath Nykirken, Strandgaten 197B

Time: 19:00-21:30

NYKIRKEN

Welcome to beautiful Nykirken!

18:00-19:00 Children especially welcome. Quiz trail with prizes and performances by Bergen Domkirkes Jentekor.

19:30-21:30 Open house with quiz activities, pop-up concerts and coffee.

Location: Nykirken, Strandgaten 197B

Time: 18:00-21:30

Møtepunkt V – Re-sounding

Performers: Vocal Ensemble Tabula Rasa and Stephan Meidell

Welcome to a concert exploring sound and groove through the interaction of voices and electronics.

Stephan Meidell is a composer, guitarist and sound artist. Tabula Rasa is a professional vocal ensemble from Bergen specializing in improvisation and contemporary music. In this concert, Zsuzsa Zseni and Arild Rohde perform on behalf of the ensemble.

Location: Griegakademiet, Lars Hilles Gate 3, Studio A

Time: 19:30