



Heritage
Malta

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



2026

WHO WE ARE

**Heritage Malta proudly manages
over 90 museums, landmarks,
national monuments and
underwater sites.**

It seeks to provide its various audiences with an enhanced experience during visits to these museums and sites. From prehistoric caves to subterranean passageways, geology to ethnography, from the management of seven World Heritage Sites to industrial and underwater heritage, there is no interest that is not catered for. The national agency is also committed to bringing culture closer to the people by facilitating interpretation and accessibility, both physical and intellectual, and curating museums and sites into spaces for the exchange of ideas and knowledge. With its professional team of highly respected curators and archaeologists, architects, digital and scientific experts, conservators and restorers, Heritage Malta welcomes you to be part of a spectacular past.

Heritage Malta: Extraordinary Work for Our Country's Cultural Heritage

Heritage Malta is an entity blessed with employees who are passionate about Malta's history, culture, and heritage. They demonstrate this in the extraordinary work carried out by the entity.

Heritage Malta consistently punches above its weight, and its success is both visible and appreciated by the Maltese and tourists alike.

The word "thank you" is hardly sufficient when it comes to Heritage Malta. Its track record is imposing: a success story built on significant achievements, ambitious projects, and a strengthened commitment to preserve and celebrate our country's rich cultural heritage.

The major restoration projects, carried out to the highest standards — including those at the Grand Master's Palace, Villa Guardamangia, and the Main Guard, to mention just three among many — bear the unmistakable hallmark of Heritage Malta and showcase its considerable expertise and capabilities.

Heritage Malta has made our historical sites, majestic palaces, buildings, and monuments accessible to all. It has democratised Malta's cultural heritage. As a result, the number of visitors today exceeds one million in a single year, ensuring that awareness of Malta's rich historical heritage is reaching an ever-wider audience. Heritage Malta's commitment remains that of continuing

to spread this knowledge among even more Maltese citizens and tourists.

The organisation of the first-ever Art Biennale held in Malta, *maltabiennale.art 2024*, which will be held again, was a tremendous success. It transformed some of the most popular historical sites in Malta and Gozo into spaces for artistic expression, while strengthening the relevance of museums and historical sites for 21st-century audiences.

Heritage Malta's calendar for the new year is full of activities that will continue to showcase the cultural beauty and historical greatness of our country. It is an ambitious programme, the result of intensive work by all of Heritage Malta's employees. A diverse range of activities catering for all tastes and all ages — from children to adults. A calendar that, through its

implementation, will continue to disseminate knowledge and further educate Maltese citizens and tourists alike about Malta's history.

As the Minister politically responsible for Heritage Malta, it is a great honour for me to extend my heartfelt thanks to the organisation which, under the leadership of Mr Mario Cutajar, has made giant strides forward. Today, Heritage Malta is widely recognised for the outstanding work it carries out — with great passion and with an even greater love for Malta, its history, and its culture.

As a government, we reaffirm our full support for Heritage Malta.

Owen Bonnici
Minister for Culture, Lands
and Local Government



A diverse programme for all audiences

A rich and diverse programme of activities designed to engage audiences of all interests. I can state from experience that Heritage Malta is among the most active government entities. This is not solely due to the breadth of its portfolio – which encompasses over 90 sites, ranging from museums and historical landmarks to underwater heritage – but also because the agency consistently extends its reach beyond this portfolio to engage wider and more varied audiences. At times, this engagement takes place directly within the community, as exemplified by initiatives such as Your MUŻA, which brings artistic heritage closer to the public. Heritage Malta does not merely wait for visitors to come to its museums; rather, it recognises that museums carry a profound responsibility to narrate the stories of a nation, enabling people to better understand themselves in the present while simultaneously presenting a reflection of that identity to visitors from elsewhere.



Mario Cutajar
Chairman – Heritage Malta
President – Malta Biennale 2026

These initiatives also represent a broader interpretation of “accessibility”, identified in the National Cultural Heritage Act as a core function of the agency. The Malta Biennale itself may be understood as an instrument of accessibility. This calendar features a substantial number of activities that are directly linked to and form an integral part of the Malta Biennale, whose second edition will be held this year between March and May. Following the success of its inaugural edition in 2024, the Biennale – launched by Heritage Malta – firmly positioned Malta on the international contemporary art scene. It has since become a flagship biennial event presented by Heritage Malta to both local and international audiences. A benchmark has now been established and must be upheld. The extensive preparations currently underway behind the scenes for the Malta Biennale 2026 are intended to meet, and indeed exceed, the expectations of many. This includes a comprehensive programme of educational and artistic appreciation activities, outlined within this calendar, offering a preview of the breadth of initiatives being developed for the Biennale. Two years ago, these educational activities, entirely curated by Heritage

Malta, proved to be highly successful. There is strong confidence that they will once again achieve similar levels of engagement. Indeed, preparatory educational initiatives already delivered have demonstrated participation levels exceeding those recorded during the first edition.

While the Malta Biennale constitutes a major highlight of Heritage Malta’s programme for this year, it is equally evident that the agency does not prioritise a single event to the detriment of others. Rather, this international contemporary art event complements the extensive body of work that Heritage Malta delivers annually. Through this sustained programme, the agency continues to encourage individuals to pause from the pace of modern life and to engage more deeply with the cultural heritage that surrounds them – a patrimony often described as ours, yet one that ultimately transcends individual ownership and obliges us to transmit it to future generations in an improved state. This enduring responsibility lies at the heart of Heritage Malta’s mission and underpins all other aspects of its work.

Heritage is not only something we preserve. It is something we experience, share, and pass on. Above all, our heritage is alive.

As we look ahead to 2026, Heritage Malta's calendar of events – brimming with more than 200 activities – reflects this belief more than ever, offering a rich and varied programme that invites everyone to connect with Malta's cultural legacy in meaningful, inclusive, and engaging ways.

Throughout the year, our sites will once again become spaces of discovery, creativity, reflection, and enjoyment. From carefully curated exhibitions and special openings to immersive re-enactments and behind-the-scenes glimpses, our calendar offers fresh perspectives on familiar places while uncovering stories that deserve to be told. Families and younger audiences can look forward to hands-on activities, discovery tours, and creative workshops designed to inspire curiosity and learning, while wellbeing sessions set within historic environments offer moments of calm and reconnection with both heritage and self.

Our **Heritage** is
Alive



Noel Zammit
Chief Executive Officer

Food, too, continues to play a central role in how we explore the past. Our popular Taste History events and appetizing cookalongs invite participants to rediscover traditional flavours, techniques, and stories, turning history into a shared sensory experience. Guided walks, cruises, and themed tours will take visitors beyond museum walls, encouraging them to experience heritage across landscapes, streetscapes, and coastlines. We remain equally committed to accessibility and inclusion, with events specifically designed for persons with special needs, as well as dedicated members' events that bring our growing community closer to the work we do.

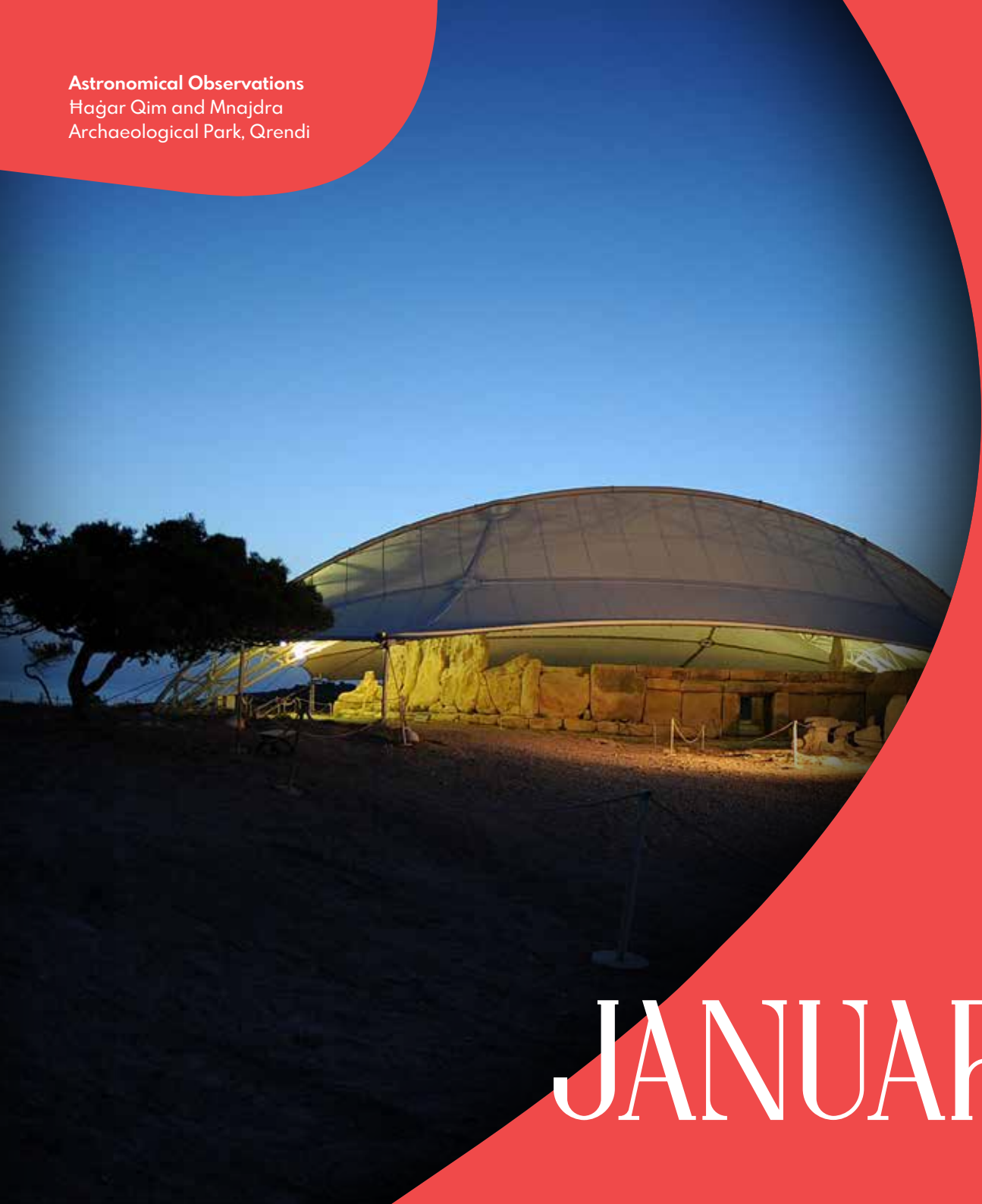
A major highlight of 2026 will be the second edition of the Malta Art Biennale, which will once again position Malta at the centre of contemporary artistic dialogue. Building on the success of its inaugural edition, the

Biennale will transform heritage spaces into platforms for international and local artistic expression, fostering conversations between past and present, tradition and innovation.

We are also delighted to confirm the return of Museums by Candlelight, following the overwhelming success of previous editions. This much-loved event offers visitors a rare opportunity to experience our museums in an intimate and atmospheric setting, where flickering candlelight reveals history in a truly unforgettable way.

As you explore this calendar, we invite you to join us – to learn, to reflect, to taste, to imagine, and to experience heritage as something vibrant and alive. We look forward to welcoming you throughout 2026.

Astronomical Observations
Haġar Qim and Mnajdra
Archaeological Park, Qrendi



JANUARY

04

Experience Villa Frere

Pietà
Special Opening

06

Goya's Disasters of War

Grand Master's Palace, Valletta
Tour for Art Teachers

06

Juniors' Discovery Tour

National Museum of Archaeology, Valletta
Student Passport

10

Goya's Disasters of War - Curator's Tour

Grand Master's Palace, Valletta
Members' Event, Tour

10

Goya's Disasters of War - Curator's Tour

Grand Master's Palace, Valletta
Tour

11

Mixja ma' Mario Coleiro

Hal Tarxien and Paola
Walk

13

That "dreadful awful hole" in Pietà

Malta Enterprise Conference Room, St Luke's Hospital, Guardamangia
Lecture

18

In the Grand Masters' Footsteps

Grand Master's Palace, Valletta

Student VISA

23

Astronomical Observations

Haġar Qim and Mnajdra Archaeological Park, Qrendi

Night, Tour

24

Hats Off! – Curator's Tour

Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu

Members' Event, Tour

25

Explore Ta' Bistra

Ta' Bistra Catacombs, Mosta

Special Opening

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In the Grand Masters' Footsteps
Grand Master's Palace, Valletta

Mad Hats!
Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu



FEBRUARY

01

Experience Villa Frere

Pietà

Special Opening

07

Juniors' Discovery Tour

National Museum of Natural History, Mdina

Student Passport

07

Private Tour of the Manoel Theatre

Valletta

Members' Event, Tour

10

In the Steps of the Apostle

San Pawl Milqi, St Paul's Bay

Mass, Tour

14

Hat Making, Hat History

Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu

Family Activity, Workshop

14

Mad Hats!

Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu

Family Activity, Workshop

14

Taste History Valentine's Dinner

Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu

Gourmet, Taste History

16

Carnival Masks
Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu
Family Activity, Workshop

18

Exploring Nature and Culture Through Maltese Folklore
National Museum of Natural History, Mdina
Lecture

21

Unravelling Historical Secrets Through Science
Heritage Malta Head Office, Kalkara
Members' Event

22

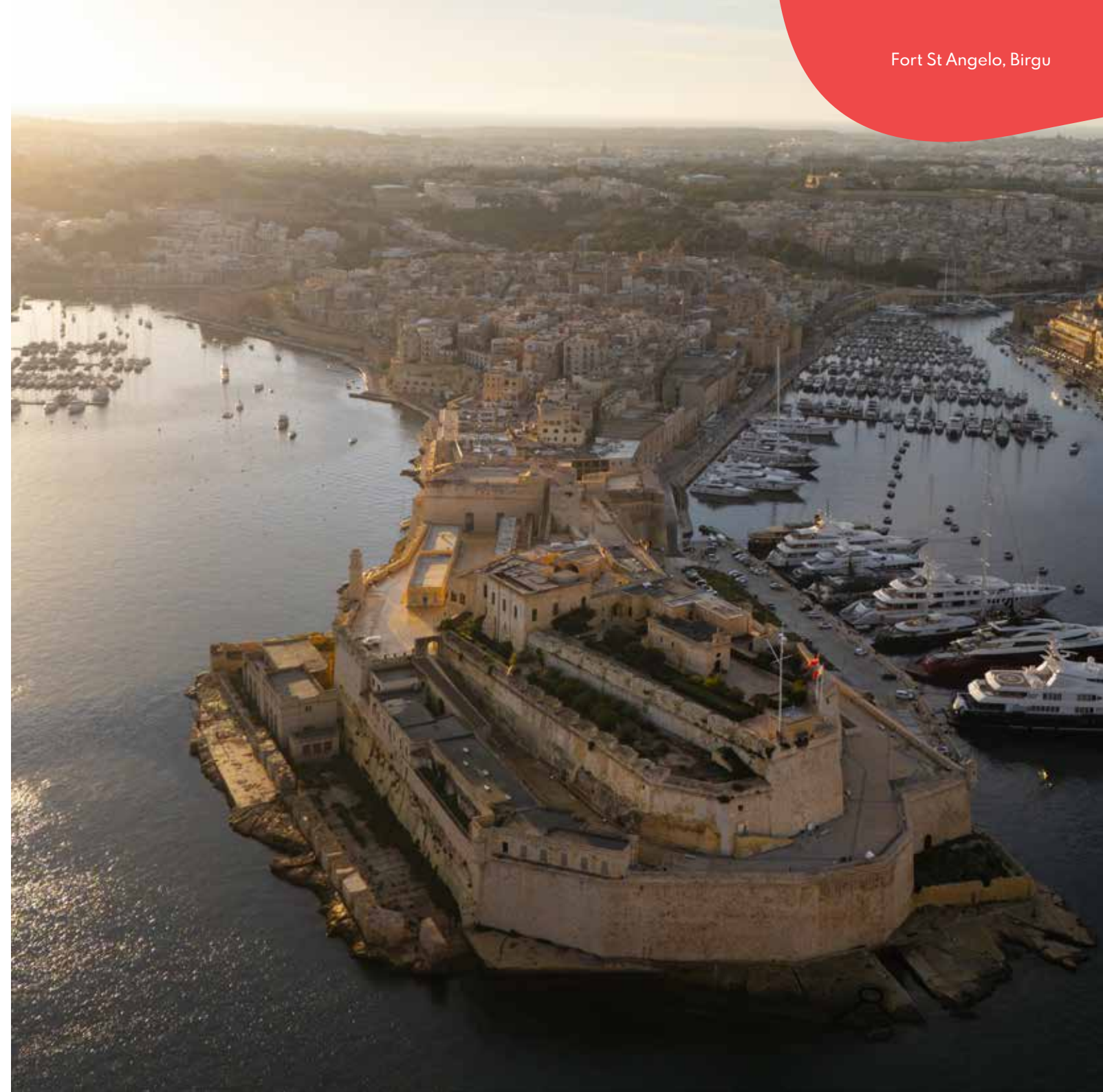
Code Breaking
Fort St Elmo, Valletta
Family Activity

22

Explore Ta' Bistra
Ta' Bistra Catacombs, Mosta
Special Opening

28

Hats Off!
Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu
Seminar



Sip & Paint
Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu



MARCH

01

Experience Villa Frere

Pietà

Special Opening

07

Echoes of Calm - Yoga Session

National Museum of Natural History, Mdina

Wellbeing

14

Maths Trail

National Museum of Archaeology, Valletta

Student Passport

15

The Farsons Brewery Experience

The Brewhouse, Mriehel

Members' Event

18

Nature in Maltese Folklore

National Museum of Natural History, Mdina

Lecture

19

Mixja ma' Mario Coleiro

Ħaż-Żebbuġ

Walk

19

Weaving & Traditional Crafts

Ta' Kola Windmill, Xaghra, Gozo

Family Activity, Workshop

19-22

Spring Equinox

Haġar Qim and Mnajdra Archaeological Park, Qrendi
Seasonal

20

Sip & Paint

Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu
Workshop

22

The Farsons Brewery Experience

The Brewhouse, Mrieħel
Members' Event

29

Explore Ta' Bistra

Ta' Bistra Catacombs, Mosta
Special Opening

31

Freedom Day and Regatta

Fort St Angelo, Birgu
Re-Enactment, Special Opening



Fireworks Festival
Fort St Angelo, Birgu



APRIL

04

Private Tour of the Manoel Theatre

Valletta

Members' Event, Tour

05

Experience Villa Frere

Pietà

Special Opening

06

Easter Egg Hunt

Għar Dalam Cave and Museum, Birżebbuġa

Family Activity, Seasonal

06

Easter Egg Hunt

Gozo Nature Museum, Ċittadella, Gozo

Family Activity, Seasonal

08

Behind the Scenes:

Caring for Museum Collections

Gozo Museum of Archaeology, Ċittadella, Gozo

Tour

08

Touch Nature!

National Museum of Natural History, Mdina

Accessible Heritage

08

Turtle Tales: The Life Cycle of our Shelled Friends

National Museum of Natural History, Mdina

Family Activity

09

Lent & Easter Traditions in Malta

Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu

Family Activity

10

Mermaids, Unicorns, and other Fantastic Creatures

National Museum of Natural History, Mdina

Family Activity

11

Juniors' Discovery Tour

Fort St Angelo, Birgu

Student Passport

15

Touch Nature!

National Museum of Natural History, Mdina

Accessible Heritage

18

The Many Faces of Hal Saflieni

Hal Saflieni Hypogeum, Paola

Tour

18

Museums by Candlelight

Various sites in Birgu

Special Opening

24

Taste History Wine-Tasting Session

Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu

Gourmet, Taste History

26

Explore Ta' Bistra

Ta' Bistra Catacombs, Mosta

Special Opening

30

Fireworks Festival

Fort St Angelo, Birgu

Festival, Seasonal

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Breathwork with Neil Agius
St Paul's Catacombs
Gardens, Rabat

MAY

01

Mixja ma' Mario Coleiro
Żejtun
Walk

03

Experience Villa Frere
Pietà
Special Opening

14

Serje ta' Taħditiet: L-Inkwizizzjoni
Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu
Lecture

15

Nature in the Archives
National Museum of Natural History, Mdina
Evening, Tour

16

Juniors' Discovery Tour
Grand Master's Palace, Valletta
Student Passport

17

Breathwork with Neil Agius
St Paul's Catacombs Gardens, Rabat
Wellbeing

18

Touch History!
St Paul's Catacombs, Rabat
Accessible Heritage

20

Echoes of Calm - Yoga Session

Fort St Angelo, Birgu

Wellbeing

22

Sip & Paint

Fort St Angelo, Birgu

Workshop

26

Fattartha - Ftira Cookalong

Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu

Gourmet

29

Ġgantija Evening Tour

Ġgantija Archaeological Park, Xagħra, Gozo

Evening, Gourmet, Tour

30

Making Meaning: An Interpretation Workshop

Haġar Qim and Mnajdra Archaeological Park, Qrendi

Members' Event, Workshop

31

Explore Ta' Bistra

Ta' Bistra Catacombs, Mosta

Special Opening

Ġgantija Evening Tour
Ġgantija Archaeological Park,
Xagħra, Gozo





JUNE

06

Museums by Candlelight

Various sites in Valletta

Special Opening

06

World Environment Day Fair

Għar Dalam Cave and Museum, Birżebbuġa

Open Day

07

Experience Villa Frere

Pietà

Special Opening

07

Mixja ma' Mario Coleiro

Sansuna's Rock, Xagħra, Gozo

Walk

09

Fattartha - Ftira Cookalong

Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu

Gourmet

12

Guardians of the Night: The Carafa Enceinte

Fort St Elmo, Valletta

Tour

13

Juniors' Discovery Tour

Domvs Romana, Rabat

Student Passport

13

Tour of 19th-Century Galleries

MUŻA, Valletta

Members' Event, Tour

16

World Sea Turtle Day

National Museum of Natural History, Mdina

Seasonal

18

Serje ta' Taħditiet: L-Inkwizizzjoni

Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu

Lecture

19

An Architectural Journey

Haġar Qim and Mnajdra Archaeological Park, Qrendi

Sunset, Tour

19

Vuċijiet mill-Passat

Hal Tarxien Prehistoric Complex, Hal Tarxien

Lecture, Tour

19-22

Summer Solstice

Haġar Qim and Mnajdra Archaeological Park, Qrendi

Seasonal

21

Ask the Curator!

St Paul's Catacombs, Rabat

Lecture

21

Breathwork with Neil Agius

Fort St Elmo, Valletta

Wellbeing

27

Echoes of Calm - Yoga Session

Haġar Qim and Mnajdra Archaeological Park, Qrendi

Wellbeing

27

Private Tour of the Manoel Theatre

Valletta

Members' Event, Tour

27

Seafaring in Prehistory

Hal Tarxien Prehistoric Complex, Hal Tarxien

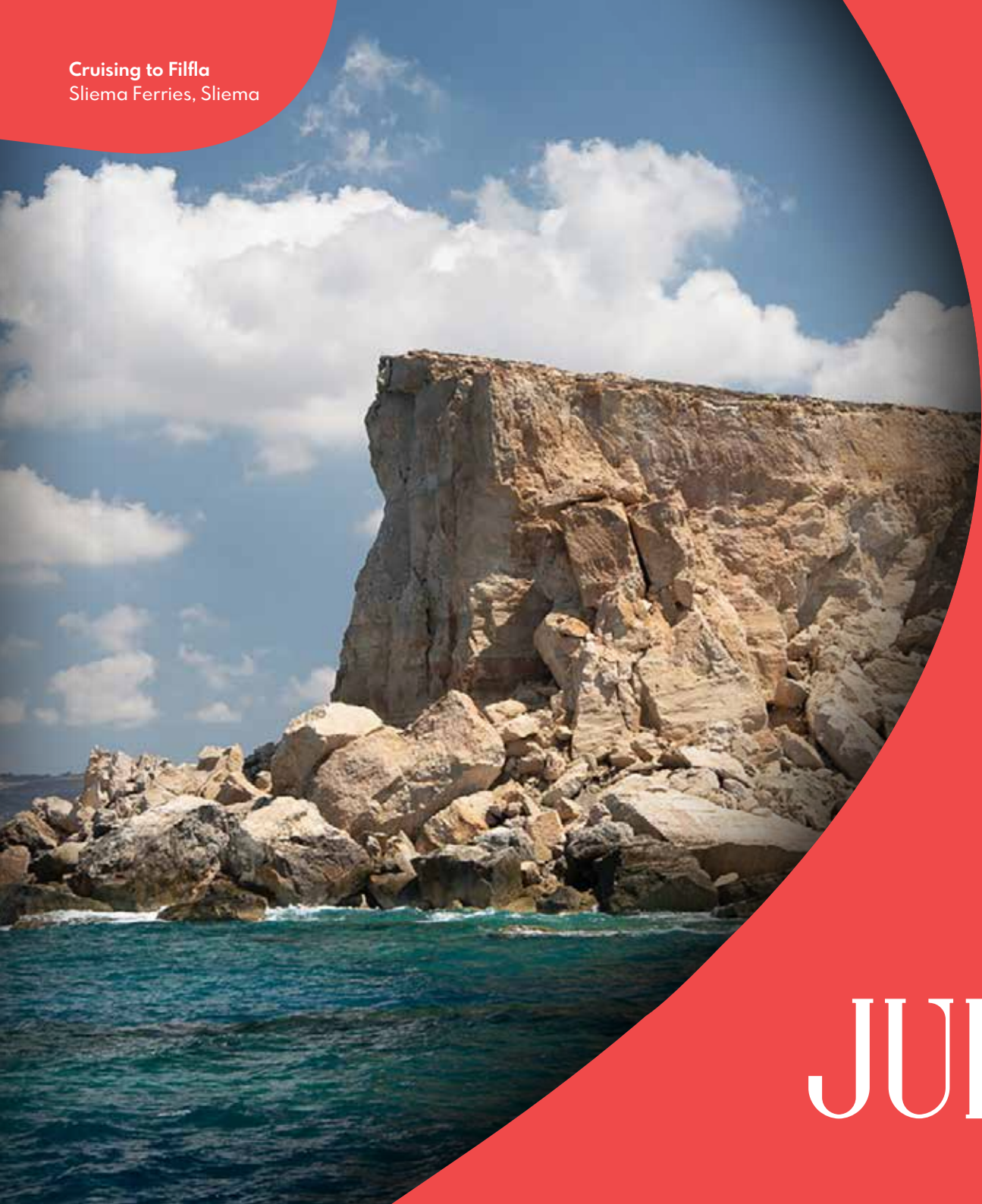
Family Activity, Workshop

28

Explore Ta' Bistra

Ta' Bistra Catacombs, Mosta

Special Opening



JULY

03

Reliving the Tales of Kottonera
Kalkara
Student Passport, Walk

04

Bingo at the Museum
Fort St Elmo, Valletta
Family Activity, Student Passport

05

Cruising to Filfla
Sliema Ferries, Sliema
Cruise

07

Sorbet for the Inquisitors
Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu
Gourmet

10

Collection in Focus - Prints
MUŻA, Valletta
Workshop

11

Ghost Tour
Fort St Angelo, Birgu
Family Activity, Night, Tour

11

Maltese Lace Work
Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu
Members' Event, Workshop

12

Cruising to Filfla
Sliema Ferries, Sliema
Cruise

15

Touch Nature!
National Museum of Natural History, Mdina
Accessible Heritage

17

Nature in the Archives
National Museum of Natural History, Mdina
Evening, Tour

18

Ftira Cookalong
Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu
Family Activity, Gourmet

20

Ancient Minds, Modern Moves
Hal Tarxien Prehistoric Complex, Hal Tarxien
Gaming

22

85th Anniversary of the E-boats Attack
Fort St Elmo, Valletta
Evening, Tour

22

Collection in Focus - Prints
MUŻA, Valletta
Workshop

22

Fortitude at the Fort - Fitness Class
Fort St Angelo, Birgu
Wellbeing

26

Explore Ta' Bistra
Ta' Bistra Catacombs, Mosta
Special Opening

31

Turn of the Century Textiles
Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu
Workshop

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AUGUST

01

Claudius, Roman Emperors and Malta
Ta' Bistra Catacombs, Mosta
Lecture

01

Coat of Arms
Fort St Elmo, Valletta
Family Activity

07

Reliving the Tales of Kottonera
Senglea
Student Passport, Walk

14

Collection in Focus - Prints
MUŻA, Valletta
Workshop

15-16

Xlendi Tower Weekender
Munxar, Gozo
Special Opening, UCHU

16

Cruising to Ta' Ċenċ
Bugibba Jetty, St Paul's Bay
Cruise

22

Sorbet Cookalong
Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu
Family Activity, Gourmet

23

Cruising to Filfla
Sliema Ferries, Sliema
Cruise

28-29

Underwater Cultural Heritage Unit Festival
Xlendi Bay, Gozo
Festival, UCHU

29

Collection in Focus - Prints
MUŻA, Valletta
Members' Event, Workshop

30

Explore Ta' Bistra
Ta' Bistra Catacombs, Mosta
Special Opening





SEPTEMBER

05

Echoes of Calm - Yoga Session
Hal Tarxien Prehistoric Complex, Hal Tarxien
Wellbeing

05

Revisiting the Excavations of Haġar Qim and Mnajdra
Haġar Qim and Mnajdra Archaeological Park, Qrendi
Gourmet, Lecture

07

Reliving the Tales of Kottonera
Birgu
Student Passport, Walk

08

Victory Day Regatta
Fort St Angelo, Birgu
Seasonal, Special Opening

10

Flow & Focus Among the Stones - Pilates Session
Haġar Qim and Mnajdra Archaeological Park, Qrendi
Wellbeing

11

Sip & Paint
St Paul's Catacombs Gardens, Rabat
Workshop

12

Archaeologist for a Day
Kordin III Megalithic Site, Paola
Lecture

12

Breathwork with Neil Agius

Fort St Angelo, Birgu

Wellbeing

12

Private Tour of the Manoel Theatre

Valletta

Members' Event, Tour

12

Step into the Turkish Military Cemetery

Marsa

Members' Event, Tour

15

Unravelling Secrets Through Science

Heritage Malta Head Office, Kalkara

Student VISA, Tour

19

Astronomy & Prehistory

Ħaġar Qim and Mnajdra Archaeological Park, Qrendi

Family Activity

19

Museums by Candlelight

Various sites in Rabat & Mdina

Special Opening

19

Spinning Yarns

Gran Castello Historic House, Ċitadella, Gozo

Family Activity, Workshop

19

Step into the Turkish Military Cemetery

Marsa

Members' Event, Tour

21

Mixja ma' Mario Coleiro

Ħal Lija

Walk

21-23

Autumn Equinox

Ħaġar Qim and Mnajdra Archaeological Park, Qrendi

Seasonal

27

Explore Ta' Bistra

Ta' Bistra Catacombs, Mosta

Special Opening

27

Wander Through Tas-Silġ

Tas-Silġ Archaeological Complex, Marsaxlokk

Open Day

30

Turn of the Century Textiles

Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu

Workshop



OCTOBER

01

Serje ta' Taħditiet: Storja Militari ta' Malta

Fort St Elmo, Valletta

Lecture

03

Notte Bianca

Various Heritage Malta sites in Valletta

Festival

03

Unravelling Historical Secrets Through Science

Heritage Malta Head Office, Kalkara

Members' Event

04

Experience Villa Frere

Pietà

Special Opening

10

Ask the Curator!

Skorba Prehistoric Site and Ta' Hagarat Megalithic Site, Mgarr

Special Opening

10

Echoes of Calm - Yoga Session

St Paul's Catacombs, Rabat

Wellbeing

13

Il-Kult tal-Gimgha Mqaddsa

Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu

Tour

15

Serje ta' Taħditiet: L-Inkwizizzjoni
Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu
Lecture

17

Picnic in the 1800s
Borġ in-Nadur Prehistoric Complex, Birżebbuġa
Family Activity

17

Sail & Savour
Fort St Angelo, Birgu
Gourmet, Seasonal

17

Sailing Spectacle: Middle Sea Race Viewing
Fort St Elmo, Valletta
Seasonal, Special Opening

18

In Guardia
Fort St Elmo, Valletta
Re-Enactment

21

Alien Earth - Evolution's Strangest Experiments by David Cilia
National Museum of Natural History, Mdina
Lecture

24

Modern and Contemporary Galleries
MUŻA, Valletta
Members' Event, Tour

25

Explore Ta' Bistra
Ta' Bistra Catacombs, Mosta
Special Opening

25

In Guardia
Fort St Elmo, Valletta
Re-Enactment

25

Ta' Mintna Catacombs
Mqabba
Open Day, Tour

30

Sleepover
The Old Prison, Victoria, Gozo
Dark History, Night, Tour

31

Funerary Meals
Ta' Bistra Catacombs, Mosta
Dark History, Taste History

31

The Lost Pig of the Catacombs
St Paul's Catacombs, Rabat
Dark History, Seasonal

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Skeletal Secrets
St Paul's Catacombs, Rabat



NOVEMBER

01

Experience Villa Frere
Pietà
Special Opening

01

In Guardia
Fort St Elmo, Valletta
Re-Enactment

01

Mixja ma' Mario Coleiro
Haz-Zabbar
Walk

02

Skeletal Secrets
St Paul's Catacombs, Rabat
Dark History, Family Activity

03

Traditional Gozo Cheese
Gran Castello Historic House, Victoria, Gozo
Workshop

06

Curator Insights
National Museum of Natural History, Mdina
Evening, Members' Event, Tour

07

Private Tour of the Manoel Theatre
Valletta
Members' Event, Tour

15

In Guardia
Fort St Elmo, Valletta
Re-Enactment

19

Reliving the Tales of Kottonera
Cospicua
Student Passport

19

Serje ta' Tahditiet: L-Inkwizizzjoni
Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu
Lecture

19

Serje ta' Tahditiet: Storja Militari ta' Malta
Fort St Elmo, Valletta
Lecture

27

Sip & Paint
Grand Master's Palace, Valletta
Workshop

29

Explore Ta' Bistra
Ta' Bistra Catacombs, Mosta
Special Opening

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In Guardia
Fort St Elmo, Valletta



DECEMBER

04

Taste History Wine-Tasting Session

Grand Master's Palace, Valletta

Gourmet, Taste History

06

Experience Villa Frere

Pietà

Special Opening

06

In Guardia

Fort St Elmo, Valletta

Re-Enactment

13

Mixja ma' Mario Coleiro

Naxxar

Walk

13

In Guardia

Fort St Elmo, Valletta

Re-Enactment

20-21

Winter Solstice

Haġar Qim and Mnajdra Archaeological Park, Qrendi

Seasonal

27

Explore Ta' Bistra

Ta' Bistra Catacombs, Mosta

Special Opening

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EXHIBITIONS

January

Valletta Cultural Agency Exhibition

National Museum of Archaeology, Valletta

January - February

Galina Troizky Exhibition

MUŻA, Valletta

March - May

Malta Biennale '26

Various Sites across Malta and Gozo

April - June

**Nature in Maltese Folklore
(Espresso Exhibition)**

National Museum of Natural History, Mdina

June

Tapestry Collection Exhibition

Grand Master's Palace, Valletta

June - August

Farnesina Collection Exhibition

MUŻA, Valletta

June - September

Giorgio Preca Exhibition

National Museum of Archaeology, Valletta

August - September

Fashion & Conservation

National Museum of Natural History, Mdina

August - October

**Edward Caruana Dingli
Commemorative Exhibition**

MUŻA, Valletta

September

MUŻA Hdejk - George Fenech

Mellieha

October

100th year - School of Art Exhibition

MUŻA, Valletta

October - January

Alien Earth (Espresso Exhibition)

National Museum of Natural History, Mdina

October - March

Egyptian Exhibition

National Museum of Archaeology, Valletta

November - February

Tas-Silġ Phoenician Exhibition

National Museum of Archaeology, Valletta

10/01

Art for Social Justice

MUŻA, Valletta
Workshop

24/01

Young Voices in Museums

MUŻA, Valletta
Workshop

21/02

Fake Newssss!

MUŻA, Valletta
Workshop

28/02

What is Contemporary Art?

MUŻA, Valletta
Workshop

11/03 – 12/04

Woman Grace above the Battle

Tal-Biskuttin area, Floriana
Exhibition

11/03 – 29/05

Sitting on Waste

The Bored Peach Club, Xagħra, Gozo
Exhibition

12/03 – 9/04

Entry Denied

Christine X Art Gallery, Sliema
Exhibition

12/03 – 16/05

Ground 99

Ground 99, Senglea
Video Installation

13/03 – 25/04

Materia Prima

Jo Borg Gallery, Sliema
Exhibition

16/03 – 17/04

The Crowd

Fort St Elmo, Valletta
Workshop

21/03

Juniors' Discovery Tour

MUŻA, Valletta
Student Passport, Tour

26/03

Em Rebmemer - How Do We Keep Meaning Alive?

Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu
Workshop

27/03 – 31/05

Nothing is Clear

Attard
Exhibition

1/04

Poetry from the Future

Rumi, Valletta
Open Mic Poetry

6/04

The Intentional Frame

MUŻA, Valletta
Workshop

7/04

Soundscapes & Paintings

MUŻA, Valletta
Workshop

8/04

Meditations in Clay

MUŻA, Valletta
Workshop

9/04

Voices for Freedom

MUŻA, Valletta
Family Activity, Workshop

10 - 11/04

The Social Blanket

MUŻA, Valletta

Workshop

17/04

Biennale Art & Wine

Inquisitor's Palace, Birgu

Members' Event

20 - 25/04

Generational Wishes

Fort St Elmo, Valletta

Workshop

22/04

Memorialisation in Public Space

Upper Barrakka Gardens Fountain, Valletta

Workshop

4 - 7/05

Generational Wishes

Fort St Elmo, Valletta

Workshop

5/05

Poetry from the Future

Rumi, Valletta

Open Mic Poetry

7 - 8/05

The Last Nation

The Migration Summit Monument, Valletta

Interactive Installation

9/05

Primal Gestures

Ġgantija, Xagħra, Gozo

Workshop

9/05

The Last Nation

Victory Square, Birgu

Interactive Installation

9 - 10/05

Darija Divan

Pjazza tal-Parroċċa ta' San Pawl, Rabat

Dance Solo

10/05

The Last Nation

Independence Square, Victoria, Gozo

Interactive Installation

11/05

The Last Nation

The Migration Summit Monument, Valletta

Interactive Installation

11 - 22/05

What is Contemporary Art?

MUŻA, Valletta

Workshop

12/05

Textures

MUŻA, Valletta

Workshop

16/05

Protest Art

MUŻA, Valletta

Workshop

20 - 21/05

Sonic Sediments

Hagar Qim and Mnajdra Archaeological Park, Qrendi

Performance Art

25 - 29/05

Generational Wishes

Fort St Elmo, Valletta

Workshop

28/05

Danse Macabre

Herbert Ganado Gardens, Floriana

Participatory Performance Workshop

ACCESSIBILITY

Making our cultural
heritage as accessible
as possible



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Museums & Sites



Valletta

- 1. Fort St Elmo and the National War Museum
- 2. Fortress Builders Interpretation Centre
- 3. Grand Master's Palace
- 4. MUŻA - The National Community Art Museum
- 5. National Museum of Archaeology
- 6. Underground Valletta



Three Cities

- 7. Fort St Angelo
- 8. Ħal Saflieni Hypogeum
- 9. Ħal Tarxien Prehistoric Complex
- 10. Inquisitor's Palace



South Region

- 11. Borġ in-Nadur Prehistoric Complex
- 12. Għar Dalam Cave and Museum
- 13. Ғaġar Qim and Mnajdra Archaeological Park



Rabat & Mdina

- 14. Domvs Romana
- 15. National Museum of Natural History
- 16. Skorba Prehistoric Site
- 17. St Paul's Catacombs
- 18. Ta' Ғaġrat Megalithic Site



Gozo

- 19. Ġgantija Archaeological Park
- 20. Gozo Museum of Archaeology
- 21. Gozo Nature Museum
- 22. Gran Castello Historic House
- 23. Ta' Kola Windmill
- 24. The Old Prison

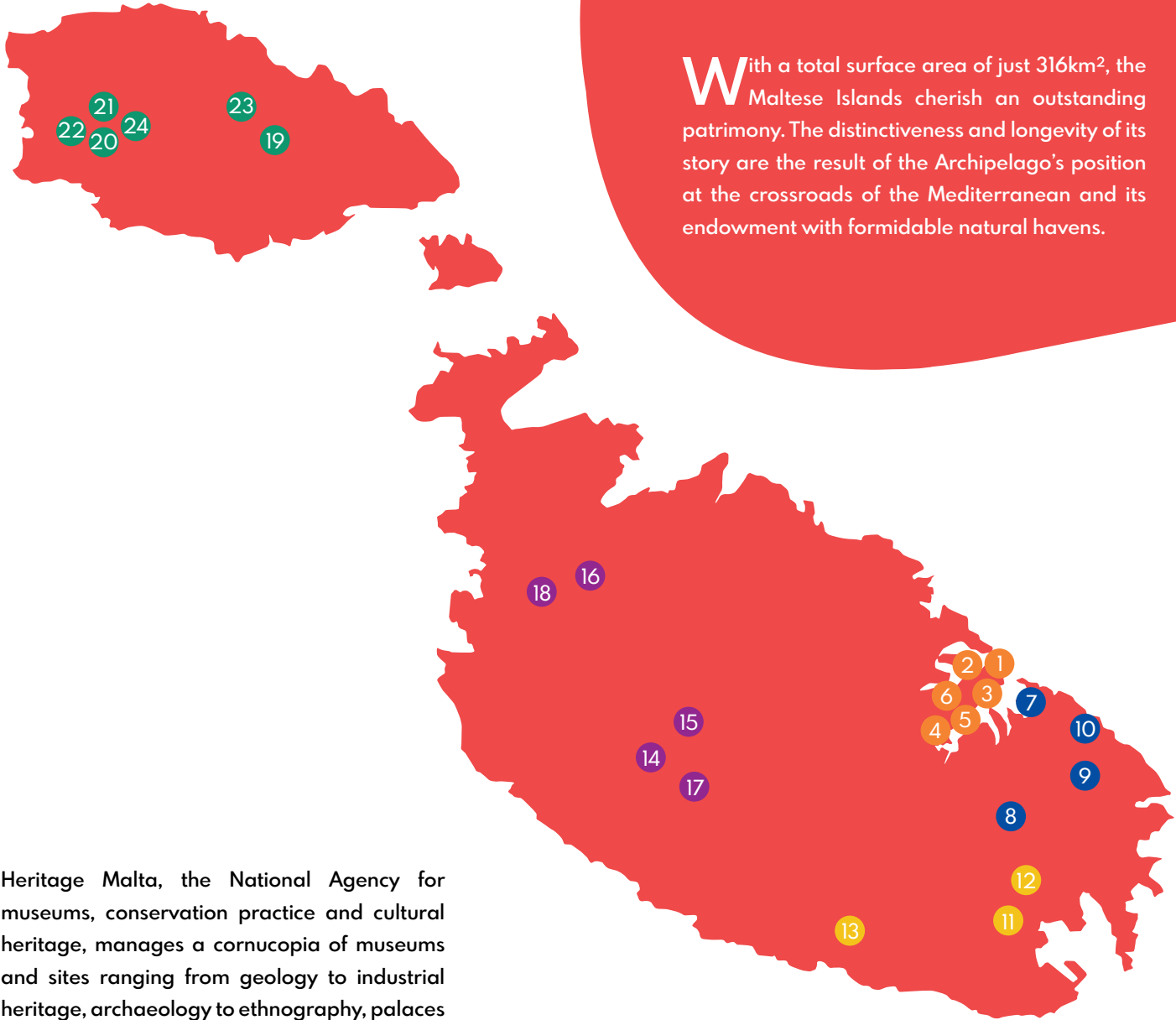
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Ta' Bistra Catacombs

Open every first Sunday of the month
Villa Frere

Open every Sunday
Villa Portelli

With a total surface area of just 316km², the Maltese Islands cherish an outstanding patrimony. The distinctiveness and longevity of its story are the result of the Archipelago's position at the crossroads of the Mediterranean and its endowment with formidable natural havens.



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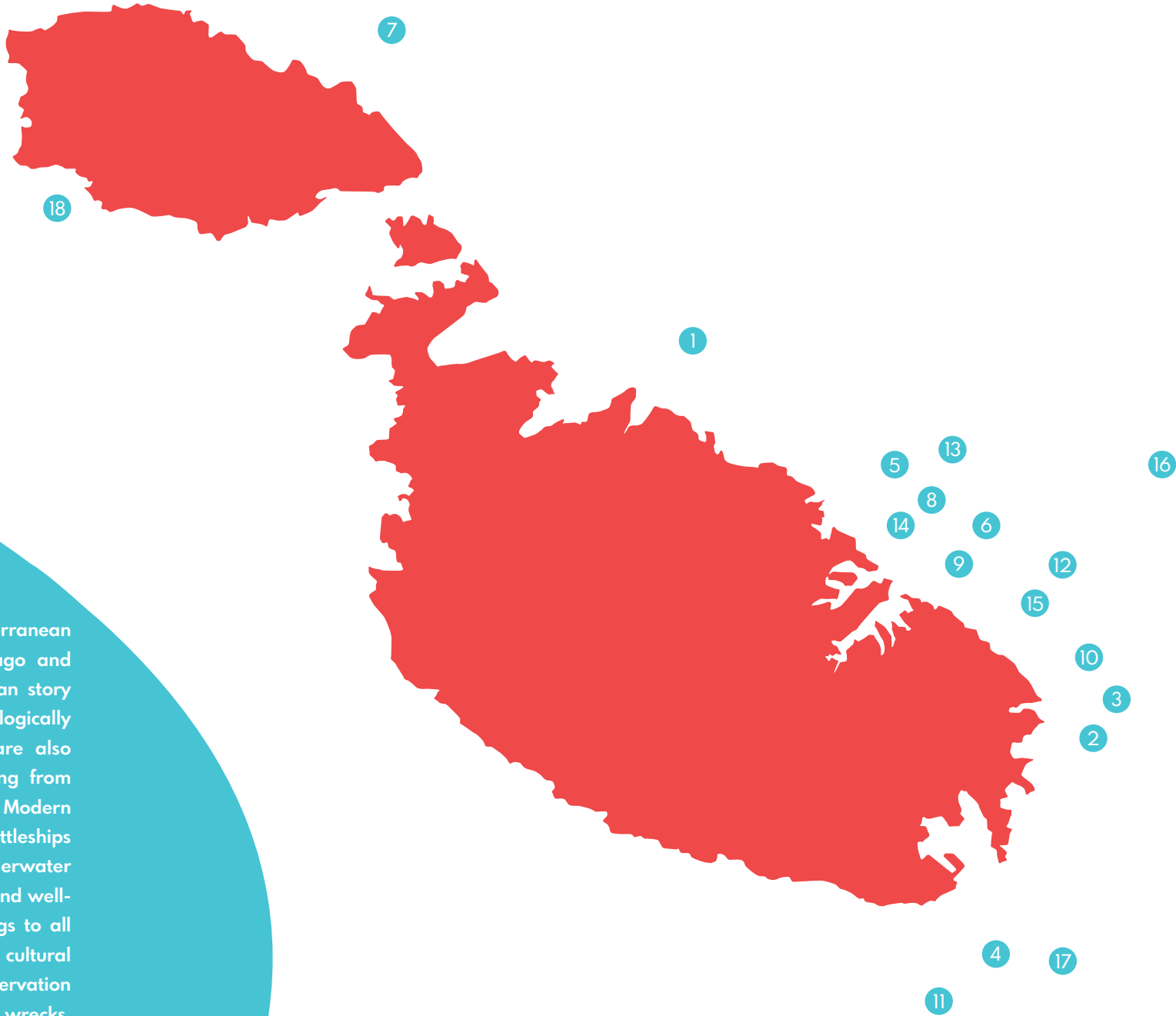
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Underwater Cultural Heritage Sites

THROUGH APPROVED DIVE CENTRES

The location of the Maltese Islands at the centre of the Mediterranean has created an inextricable link between the archipelago and the maritime history of the Mediterranean. Malta's human story stretches back over 8,000 years and is reflected in the archaeologically rich landscape of the islands. Millennia of human activity are also reflected on the seabed surrounding Malta and Gozo, ranging from a 2,700-year-old Phoenician shipwreck, Roman and Early Modern shipwrecks, to dozens of aircraft crash sites, submarines and battleships from both world wars. This diversity and unique range of underwater cultural heritage sites has made Malta the curator for a unique and well-preserved cultural resource that is global in nature and belongs to all humankind. A distinctive characteristic of Malta's underwater cultural heritage sites is their deep-water location, ensuring site preservation whilst maintaining the authenticity and integrity of many historic wrecks.



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| 1. JU88 | 10. JU88 South |
| 2. Martin Maryland | 11. Douglas A-1 Skyraider |
| 3. SS Polynesien | 12. HMS Russell |
| 4. B24 Liberator | 13. HMS Olympus |
| 5. Fairey Swordfish | 14. Schnellboot S31 |
| 6. ORP Kujawiak L72 | 15. HMS Southwold |
| 7. Spitfire | 16. HMS Nasturtium |
| 8. HMS Urge | 17. SS Luciston |
| 9. HMS Trusty-Star | 18. Xlendi Underwater Archaeological Park |



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