BIBIANA, International House of Art for Children

March 2022

The presented activities will take place unless the Public Healthcare Office of the Slovak Republic imposes any restrictions to the contrary.

STUDIO BIBIANA

(Programs on demand, e-mail: realizacia@bibiana.sk)

8/3	2.00 pm	Images from the woods
9/3	10.00 am	Images from the woods
15/3	10.00 am	Toy-News II
16/3	2.00 pm	Toy-News II
22/3	10.00 am	Flying Little Betty
23/3	10.00 am	Flying Little Betty
29/3	10.00 am	A head like a balloon
30/3	10.00 am	A head like a balloon

SUNDAYS FOR FAMILIES WITH KIDS

6/3	4.00 pm	Toy-News
13/3	4.00 pm	Images from the woods
20/3	4.00 pm	Toy-News II
27/3	4.00 pm	Flying Little Betty

IMAGES FROM THE WOODS

This is a tale about man's relationship towards the environment, mutual respect and harmony among people, as well as between the environment and animals. This in literature terms simple tale emphasises the importance of activity for our lives and adequate survival of every living being.

Direction, script and dramaturgy – M. Kecskésová. Puppets, stage design & costumes – A. Hanusová, A. Mikócziová, L. Černáková. Cast: – M. Kecskésová and B. Kelíšková. (For kids aged 4+)

FLYING LITTLE BETTY

The tale of flying Betty is not just witty, but contains also a profound message — accompanied by live music. This cute story is about Betty, who is looking for wings for all her life, but those will not grow that easily. Based on the book "The tale the flying Betty" by Daniel Pastirčák, this performance has been rehearsed by students of the Puppet-Department of the Academy of Performing Arts (VŠMU).

Script, production, scenography – performing part: A. Králiková, Š. P. Králik, music – M. Klas

(For kids from the age of 4)

TOY- NEWS

Those are creative workshops to the exhibition "From one toy to another", where the kids (according to the painting "Children's games", by the local painter Pietro Brueghel) will create medieval figures from paper, a horse from wood-sticks, a construction-set from paper, as well as various toys. Each workshop will be different, but definitely always entertaining and interesting.

Guidance: R. Bezák and V. Potančoková (For kids from the age of 6)

TOY- NEWS II

We have prepared for you an entire stall full of colourful rocking horses you can make on your own at home - just using a template. Just use your very own fantasy and create a unicorn, a zebra, a lama... We are looking forward to see your animals.

Vedenie – V. Potančoková

(For kids from the age of 6)

A HEAD LIKE A BALLOON

When do we say that we have a head like a balloon? You ought to know that heads can be made from most anything, i.e. from a ball, pumpkin, pillow, stocking, cotton wool.... now let's jointly make some heads from balloons!

Guidance – K. Kosánová

(For kids from the age of 6)

PROGRAMS FOR MOMS WITH CHILDREN FROM THE AGE OF 18 MONTHS

(Programs for the public without advance booking)

10/3 10.00	Transparent Dad
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31/3 10.00 Transparent Dad

TRANSPARENT DAD

"No, I don't want you anymore!" Probably everyone has uttered or at least thought those words. We will talk about anger and reconciliation using the book by the Chinese lady-author Wei Jiewen Yu Yintu: Dad got transparent. What we will need are our eyes, ears, mouth and skilful hands.

Guidance and authoring – M. Halamičková and J. Michalová (For kids from the age of 18 months - accompanied by an adult)

PROGRAMS OF THE CENTRE FOR JUVENILE LITERATURE, READING AND SK IBBY

WORKSHOPS FOR THE PUBLIC - ONLINE

- 5/3 2.00 pm **Peep-in!** (1st)
- 5/3 3.30 pm Dreadnaught in the book! (1st)
- 12/3 2.00 pm **Peep-in!** (2nd)
- 12/3 3.30 pm **Dreadnaught in the book!** (2nd)

For more information on the workshops call 02/2046 7174 or www.bibiana.sk

PEEP-IN!

This is a 90-minutes lasting practical online workshop for parents, teachers and pre-primary education teachers on reading with kids, offering also some practical advice on how to use illustrations in children literature for spreading the context and creating overlaps according to the child's needs.

(For adult participants)

Guidance – T. Vráblová

DREADNAUGHT IN THE BOOK!

This is a 90-minutes lasting practical online workshop for parents, teachers, pre-primary education teachers and librarians on the work with the narrative when reading with children. It comes with some practical advice on how to use the story for spreading the context and creating overlaps according to the child's needs.

(For adult participants)

Guidance – T. Vráblová

PROGRAMS OF THE BIENNALE OF ILLUSTRATIONS BRATISLAVA

RECOMMENDED BY ANIMATORS

Online – Facebook and Instagram

BIBIANA will gradually introduce Slovak directors and creators of animated movies, who know the global animation-scene and who are capable of evaluating their quality. Based on their recommendations, the kids as well as the adults will familiarise themselves with really good, interesting and widely accessible films from all over the world. The recommended films will be gradually made public in the social media.

When: From 12/6 each Saturday

DUEL OF FIGURES (competition)

Online - Facebook, Instagram

This playful duel between Czecho-Slovak figures is the first series of our internet game run on our social networks. Apart from the obligatory fun and entertainment, the game offers also the opportunity to delve in memories of all the iconic classical animated characters from our childhood — and the younger-ones can learn in this way that something like this existed a to all. The principle of this game is very simple. We fielded 8 pairs of animated heroes and the participants will choose one winner each week. At the end of this competition will be only one winner left = the most favourite Czecho-Slovak animated fairy-tale figure.

When: From the end of January 2022 – lasting 15 weeks

EXHIBITIONS AT BIBIANA

IN THE GINGER-BREAD LAND /online at www.bibiana.sk

In this interactive exhibition, the visitors learn a lot of new from the history of gingerbreads, as well as many exotic spices used in the process of their baking. Subsequently, the kinds

may try to recognise them just by their noses. The kids get to the magic gingerbread-land through the comics "Tale of the little gingerbread-youngling", which has not seen any Christmas so far. The "Vanilla-Fairy" would gladly tell it the Christmas-story, but for doing so — she needs the jingling of a real bell and the bells made of gingerbread simply cannot jingle at all. So the little gingerbread-youngling and the Fairy set out to the big-big World to find the real jingle. They travel the ocean and the space, finally reaching the world of faulty and imperfect gingerbreads. Though not being perfect, they do still belong to this tale. Whether they finally succeed to find the jingle sound — the kids will learn in this very Christmas exhibition.

The real ginger-breads for the exhibition were baked by gingerbread-aunties from the Slovak Union of Cooks and Pastry-Makers (*Slovenský zväz kuchárov a cukrárov*).

Theme and creative-/space-design – S. Sadílková; Script – M. Madejová; Dramaturgy – V. Marákyová When: 3/12/2021 – 13/3/2022

FROM ONE TOY TO ANOTHER

A well designed and manufactured toy supports and even develops the sense of beauty, purposefulness and empathy in us. Our exhibition starts with a re-paint of a painting by Pieter Brueghel, on which the kids can look for games that are sill played today. Further they find here replicas of historic toys made according to archaeological findings, the iconic technical construction toy named "Merkur", (screws and perforated sheet-metal parts), which gets manufactured since 1920 a city from a big and colourful kit, a tiny house for the dolls and a Teddy-bear, but also plastic-toys from the last century by the famous designer Libuša Niklová. They will learn to know toys designed by our contemporary designers and they can even invent and design their very own toy.

This interactive toy-focused exhibition is BIBIANA's contribution to the Year of Slovak Design, which was proclaimed by the Culture Ministry of the Slovak Republic.

Idea and script – I. Abrahamfyová; creative design – R. Bezák; graphics – S. Brezinová; dramaturgy – V. Marákyová

When: 17/9/2021 – 11/9/2022

PLAYFUL HEAD

We got inspired for this exhibition by the beautiful book by the Czech authors David Böhm and Ondřej Buddeus: Hlava v hlavě (A head in(side) the head). The exhibition is virtually packed with interactive elements about this most important part of the human body - the head. You will learn here not only how different artists depicted it, how it is called by different people, how an idea arises in the head and how much the human brain weighs, but also what wrinkles are, what we have senses for, as well as why our eyes do not grow. You can even learn to draw a head here. So... explore and have fun!

Theme and script – K. Kosánová; artistic & spatial solution – B. Peuch;

Dramaturgy – V. Marákyová When: 18/2/2022 – 18/9/2022

word # language # book

This exhibition of books and magazines for the children and youth of ethnic minorities in Slovakia — presents art-works by those minorities in this field, both in their native language, as well as in Slovak. Those authors and stories help preserving the mother tongue and ethnical identity. The kids can play "language-memory", various language-based card games or compose simple sentences from magnetic letters. The exhibition includes accompanying events, book presentations, public readings by the authors, workshops or performances of classical chamber-music.

The exhibition was prepared by the team of the Centre of Children Literature, Reading and SK IBBY (Centrum detskej literatúry, čítania a SK IBBY) in cooperation with the Library of BIBIANA; technical implementation – Allan Lučenič and his team **When: 24/3 – 24/4/2022**

EXHIBITIONS OUTSIDE BIBIANA

Slovak Institute, Warsaw, POLAND ILLUSTRATORS AWARDED IN THE BIB 2021 When: 24/2 – 31/3/2022

Kultúrno-spoločenské centrum (Cultural and social center), BUČANY **SILENT VOYAGE** When: 1/3 – 15/5/2022

Anton Bernolák Library in the city of NOVÉ ZÁMKY SLOVAK ILLUSTRATORS AWARDED IN THE BIB When: 1/3 – 1/4/2022

Book Fair at Bologna, ITALY ILLUSTRATORS AWARDED IN THE BIB 2021 When: 21/3 – 24/3/2022

Local library Juraj Fandly, TRNAVA IT MAKES SENSE EVEN WITHOUT THE SENSES When: 24/1 – 31/3/2022

Gallery in the Attic, State Scientific Library in BANSKA BYSTRICA ICONS OF SLOVAK ILLUSTRATION – JANA KISELOVÁ-SITEKOVÁ When: 27/1 – 4/3/2022

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