



Bratislava Lindy Exchange



BE CRAZY, STAY CLASSY!

BOOKLET

7.- 9. OCTOBER 2022

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REGISTRATION

- Registration desks can be found at the entrance of every party
- Time schedule can be found in the next section of this brochure
- If you would like to attend the Mix&Match competition, please sign up on Saturday at the registration desk.
- COVID-19 INFO: There is no covid test or vaccination certificate required, but we would like to ask you to stay at home if you are feeling sick. Feel free to contact us at info@blex.sk so we can find solution :)



		Main party - The Big Band Battle Stará Tržnica, Námestie SNP 19:30 - 23:45	Afterparty Metropol Bar, Špitálska 61 00:00 - 3:00	
Friday	SCHEDULE	18:30 door opens		
		18:45 - 19:30 Taster class with Jančí and Hanka - Break Away, One step	19:30 band starts	0:00 departure from Stará Tržnica
	Talk: How to Vintage Metropol Bar, Špitálska 61 15:00-17:00	Main Party Karloveské centrum kultúry, Molecova 2 19:30 - 4:00		
Saturday	How to Vintage Talk with Borka and Matúš	14:45 door opens	19:30 door opens	23:45 Open M&M finals + after Lindy Hop till you drop
	Lunch, coffee, dance Lodenica Caffe, Karloveské rameno 1, Bratislava-Karlova Ves 12:00-16:00	Farewell Party Metropol Bar, Špitálska 61 20:00 - 2:00		
Sunday	chillout at our favorite coffee house	19:30 door opens	21:00 band starts	Lindy Hop till you drop
		20:00 Taster class with Justa and Lukas		

FRIDAY 7.10.2022

Main party - The Big Band Battle

Stará Tržnica, Námestie SNP 25

19:30 - 23:45

****full pass only****

Playing:

Bratislava Hot Serenaders (SK) and Ondřej Havelka & his Melody Makers (CZ)

Schedule:

18:30 door opens

18:45-19:30 Taster class One Step and Breakaway with Jančí and Hanka (SK)

19:30 the band starts

23:00 Big Band Battle

23:45 end of the main party

Info:

- The evening will be in the vintage style of the 20s-40s, so feel free to join the crowd with vintage-inspired outfit =)
- You can buy small snacks at the party
- After the party, we will move together to the afterparty in Metropol Bar, where we can dance until morning! We will be leaving at 0:00 from the front of the Old Market building.
- This party is part of a public event, so we won't be alone on the dance floor, therefore please be cautious and mind the others.
- At the registration table, you will get a wristband for the whole BLEX, a ticket for Friday's party, and a wooden badge with the logo of the event, so we can recognize each other on the dance floor. You can find your table number on the ticket.

Afterparty in Bar Metropol

Metropol Bar, Špitálska 61

0:00-3:00

Playing:

DJ Štěpán (CZ), DJ Janča (CZ) and DJ Marek (CZ)



From the Big Band Battle, we will move to our beloved club where the regular dance parties are held. Departure is from the front of the Old Market building at 0:00.

SATURDAY

8.10.2022

**How to Vintage - Talk with Borka and
Matúš**
Metropol Bar, Špitálska 61
15:00-17:00
****full pass only****

- 14:45 door opens
- Practical talk about vintage clothing during the swing era, with our enthusiasts for vintage fashion Borka and Matúš. We will get into dressing styles for both men and women and in the end, we will have some practical tips and tricks on how to create your vintage-inspired outfit with limited resources :).
- Ladies, please bring your own hair pins, hair spray, and hair accessories. It's not necessary but welcome.
- Gentlemen, please take your dance leather shoes and piece of cloth with you, we will do some serious shoeshinig.
- Snacks will be provided by our B-Swing bakers and drinks by Metropol Bar.

Party

Kamel Klub (Karloveské Centrum Kultúry),

Molecova 2, Bratislava- Karlova Ves

19:30-4:00

Playing:

Tryin'-To-Be-Good Men (CZ)

DJ Štěpán (CZ), DJ Janča (CZ) and DJ Marek (CZ)



- 19:30 door opens
- Taster class 20:00 with Janča and Marek
- 21:10 the band starts
- 21:50 prelims Mix&Match
- Photo corner
- Vintage corner: By Ili (accessories as earrings, brooches, flowers, tiepins, cuff links...), Swing It (dance shoes and clothing), Naušky od Dášky (earrings)
- Exhibition by Drawing Hat aka Jiří Lubojacký - you can take a look and even buy a posters with swing/jazz theme
- Drinks by Metropol Bar
- Feel free to bring your cup, so our event could be more sustainable ;)
- There won't be any food, please don't forget to fill your stomach in advance (take a look at our interactive map)



SUNDAY 9.10.2022

Lunch, Coffee, Dance

Lodenica Caffe, Karloveské rameno 1, Bratislava-Karlova Ves

12:00-16:00

- Chillout at our favorite coffee house
- Perfect opportunity to have a good brunch, dance, and get to know other participants of BLEX better
- Music by B-Swing DJs

Farewell Party

Metropol Bar, Špitálska 61

20:00-02:00

Playing:

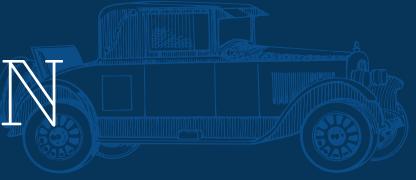
LAM Trio (CZ)

DJ Hanka (SK), DJ Štěpán (CZ)

Info:

- 19:30 door opens
 - Taster class 20:00 with Justa and Lukas (LT)
 - 21:00 the band starts
 - Lindy Hop till you drop
 - Special vintage drinks by Metropol Bar
 - There won't be any food, do not forget to fill your stomach in advance (take a look at our interactive map)
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TRANSPORTATION



The Old Market (Friday Main Party)

Námestie SNP 25, 811 01 Bratislava

- Public transport - there is a tram stop "Centrum" right in front of the building, you can get there with a tram No.1, or you can use a tram No. 3 or 4 which stops on Špitálska street (the name of the stop is "Centrum" as well). The closest bus and trolley stop is "Hodžovo námestie" it is approx. 10 minutes by foot from the venue, buses 83, 84, and 93 (the stop is on the other side you need to use the underpass) and trams 42, 44, and 47 (the stop is in front of the Crowne Plaza hotel). Also, night buses have a stop here. Last buses/trams on the majority of all-day routes depart about 23:00. The common departure times of all night buses from Hlavná stanica are 23:30, 00:00, 00:30, 01: 30, 02:30, and 03:30.
- Parking - You can park without any charge from 18:00 on these streets: Dunajská, Grösslingova, Gajova, Hejdukova, Hollého...

Metropol Bar (Friday Afterparty, Saturday afternoon, Sunday Party)

Špitálska 61, 811 08 Staré Mesto

- Public transport - the closest stop is "Americké námestie" right in front of the building. You can get there with a tram No. 3 or 4 and with a trolley No. 47.
- Parking - there is free parking from 18:00 in the zone limited by Ul. 29. Augusta street and the historical city center (use streets Ul. 29. Augusta, Cukrová, Cintorínska...)

Kamel Klub - Karloveské Centrum Kultúry (Saturday Party)

Molecova 2, 841 04 Karlova Ves

- Public transport - stop "Riviera" by tram 4 and 9 or by bus No 29, 32, 33.
- Parking is free, the closest option is on the Ladislava Sáru street

Lodenica Caffe (Sunday afternoon)

Karloveské rameno 1, 841 04 Karlova Ves

- The coffee house is not far away from Saturday's party place, so the public transport is the same and you can park your car right next to the coffee house
- Anyway, there could be complications with transport because there is the Nation Run Devin-Bratislava at the same time (on Sunday). The Botanická and Nábrežie arm.gen. Ludvíka Svobodu street will be closed approx. until 11:30, the Rázusovo nábrežie and Vajanského nábrežie until 13:00. But you can enjoy the nice autumn weather and walk or ride a bike =)

General info for public transport:

You can buy tickets for public transport in ticket machines at the stops, (there is even an option to pay by card in some of them), another option is SMS tickets and you can pay even with your card right in the vehicle. More info here: <https://imhd.sk/ba/doc/en/20709/20709>

General info about parking:

Because a big part of BLEX is held in the city center we recommend taking a closer look at the information signs, many places are reserved for residents and companies. For parking close to Metropol Bar use the street out of the Paas zone (streets recommended higher) or download any parking app, more info here: <https://paas.sk/en/home/>

Taxi:

If it is comfortable for you to use taxi services you can use apps or always try to call a taxi in advance because it's much cheaper than a standing taxi. The numbers for recommended taxi services are below. Also, you can use mobile apps like Hopin, BOLT, or Uber.

- Fun taxi +421 905 916 777, +421 905 316 111, +421 905 767 757
- Taxi Bratislava +421 914 147 080
- Expres-taxi +421 902 222 333
- 5euro taxi +421 918 555 555
- Green taxi +421 905 660 660, +421 905 777 366



MAP

On the map, you can find everything you need, venues, hostels, restaurants, cafés, and bars ;)



CONTACTS

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