

## **August at the Museum of Byzantine Culture– Cultural Events**

### **August Full Moon**

#### **Tuesday 1 August 2023 | Permanent exhibition Wing of temporary exhibitions "Kyriakos Krokos" | 18.30**

As part of the annual celebration of the August Full Moon by the Ministry of Culture, visitors will have the opportunity to visit the permanent exhibition and get acquainted with the Museum's new digital applications as well as the temporary exhibition (at the "Kyriakos Krokos" wing), where the exhibition "PHOENIX – AGON" is presented.

Free entrance.

#### **Thursday 31 August 2023 | Permanent exhibition Wing of temporary exhibitions "Kyriakos Krokos" | 18.30**

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Free entrance.

### **All of Greece one Culture**

#### **Sunday 20 August 2023 | Atrium | 21:15**

A musical multimedia show titled "And his voice as the voice of waters/ an apocalypse.

Organization: Museum of Byzantine Culture in a production of the Ministry of Culture with the support of the National Lyrical Scene.

Free entrance

## **Monday 21 August 2023 | Atrium | 21:15**

A musical multimedia show titled "And his voice as the voice of waters/ an apocalypse.

Organization: Museum of Byzantine Culture in a production of the Ministry of Culture with the support of the National Lyrical Scene.

Free entrance

### **Educational activities**

The collaboration of the Museum of Byzantine Culture with the Theatrical Workshops of the summer activities of the State Theatre of Northern Greece continues in August. The younger participants of the workshops will participate to the educational program "Playing Excavation" where they will discover the secrets of the archaeological methodology in an experiential manner.

### **Temporary exhibition is continued**

#### **«PHOENIX-AGON».**

The most crucial elements are reuse and recycle that contribute to circular economy, as well as the constant struggles that ensure freedom and prosperity. It all regards a visual dialogue of the modern artefacts of the Numismatic Museum with contemporary artistic creations, structured in two units:

i. "PHOENIX": Coins, Medals and two unique worldwide Moulds and Seals of the Governor Ioannis Kapodistrias (first governor of Greece) with the reborn phoenix on them are in dialogue with the creation "Anagennisis" (Reborn) of the sculptor Aphrodite Liti made of metal elements and glass mosaics and the creation "Phoenix" of the artist Yiorgos Bardakas, made of recycled materials, demonstrating how a sculpture can be reborn from the "can". The most crucial elements are reuse and recycle that contribute to circular economy.

ii. "AGON": Medals, Awards and unique worldwide Moulds of the King Otto I, demonstrating warriors (male and female) of the War of Independence of Greece in 1821, are in dialogue with paintings by the artist Nikos Tsiaparas, inspired by them, highlight the sustainable struggle for independence and freedom of individuals and nations.

Organization: Museum of Byzantine Culture, Numismatic Museum (Athens) under the support of the Greek part of ICOM (International Council of Museums).

Free entrance.

**Duration: 8 June to 13 September**

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