

THIS WEEK'S PICK

The Snow Queen returns

The Snow Queen, a magical winter ballet choreographed by Ballet Director Kenneth Greve, is here again! The ballet, based on the fairy tale classic by Hans Christian Andersen, was seen by more than 26,000 visitors last year and became a hit ballet of the season. For this season, 21 performances have been scheduled between November and January at the Finnish National Ballet.

The principal characters in the ballet are Kerttu and Kai, who are good friends. Kerttu finds the missing piece of the Snow Queen's mirror, and the Snow Queen kidnaps Kai to get it back. Kerttu wanders far in search of Kai and finally ends up at the frozen castle of the Snow Queen.

The magical winter wonderland of the ballet is created by costume designer Erika Turunen, make-up artist Pekka Helynen and lightning designer Mikki Kunttu. The accompanying music composed by Tuomas Kantelinen is a recording performed by the Finnish National Opera orchestra. A recording of the score for *The Snow Queen* was published on the Ondine label earlier this year.

Thu 27 & Sat 29 November
Kenneth Greve – Tuomas
Kantelinen: *The Snow Queen*
Finnish National Opera
Helsinginkatu 58
Helsinki
Tickets €21.50-107.50
www.opera.fi



Tiina Myllymäki as *The Snow Queen* (in front).

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MUSIC

Thu 27 November
Eddie & The Hot Rods (UK)
"Pub rock"
Tavastia
Urho Kekkosen katu 4-6
Tickets €16.50/17
www.tavastiaklubi.fi

Thu 27 November
Taking Back Sunday (USA)
Rock
Nosturi
Telakkakatu 8
Tickets €24
www.elmu.fi

Thu 27 November
D-Booster
Jazz
Koko Jazz Club
Hämeentie 3
Tickets €11.50/16.50
www.kokojazz.fi

Thu 27 November
Finnish Radio Symphony Orchestra
Magnificent baritone Christian Gerhaher sings Bach cantatas
Helsinki Music Centre
Concert Hall
Manneheimintie 13
www.musiikkitalo.fi

Thu 27 November
Vorna, Vetten Äpäret
Metal
Semifinal
Urho Kekkosen katu 4-6
www.semifinal.fi

Fri 28 November
Afrojazz Club feat. Meissa Niang & Akim Color
Korjaamo Culture Factory
Töölönkatu 51 B
Tickets €7.50
www.korjaamo.fi

Fri 28 November
Eternal Erection
Funk
Virgin Oil CO.
Mannerheimintie 5
Helsinki
Tickets €11.50
www.virginoil.fi

Fri 28 November
DJ Polarsoul
Hip-hop
Tavastia
Urho Kekkosen katu 4-6
Helsinki
Tickets €16.50/17
www.tavastiaklubi.fi

Fri 28 November
Pää Kii, Räjätäjät, Kivesveto Go Go
Punk
Kuudes Linja
Hämeentie 13
Helsinki
www.kuudeslinja.com

Fri 28 November
Deep Space Helsinki
Techno
Kuudes Linja
Hämeentie 13
Helsinki
www.kuudeslinja.com

Fri 28 November
Superchrist, The Duke
Rock/pop
Bar Loose
Annankatu 21
Helsinki
www.barloose.com

Fri 28 November
Stupido-klubi
Tumppe Varonen,
Särkyneet
Elmun Baari
Telakkakatu 8
Helsinki
Tickets €7.50
www.elmunbaari.fi

Fri 28 November & Tue 2 December
Johann Strauss: Die Fledermaus
Classic operetta with bubbly music
Finnish National Opera
Helsinginkatu 58
Helsinki
Tickets €26.50-125.50
www.opera.fi

Sat 29 November
Summer Heart (SWE)
Electronic pop
Kuudes Linja
Hämeentie 13
Helsinki
Tickets €8.50
www.kuudeslinja.com

Sat 29 November
Borknagar (NOR)
Metal
Nosturi
Telakkakatu 8
Tickets €27
www.elmu.fi

Sat 29 November
Irina
Pop
Tavastia
Urho Kekkosen katu 4-6
Helsinki
Tickets €16.50/18
www.tavastiaklubi.fi

Sat 29 November
Sohn (UK)
Electronic
Korjaamo Culture Factory
Töölönkatu 51 B
Tickets €20
www.korjaamo.fi

Sat 29 November
Hidria Spacefolk, The Wyman Family
Rock
Bar Loose
Annankatu 21
Tickets €13.50
www.barloose.com

Sat 29 November
Reino Nordin
"Bongo Rock" album release party
Kuudes Linja
Hämeentie 13
Tickets €11.50
www.kuudeslinja.com

Sat 29 November
Manna
Pop
Sello Hall
Soittoniekanaukio 1A
Tickets €15.50
www.sellosali.fi

Mon 1 December
UMO: Bluesin sukukokous
Blues in all its' colours
Koko Jazz Club
Hämeentie 3
Helsinki
Tickets €15.50/19
www.kokojazz.fi

Mon 1 December
Timo Lassy & Higher Ground
Spiritual jazz
Paavalinkirkko
Sammattintie 5
Helsinki
Tickets €15/25.50
www.wejazz.fi/2014

Tue 2 December
Jazz on the Loose
Raoul Björkenheim eCsTaSy
Bar Loose
Annankatu 21
Helsinki
Tickets €9.50/10
www.barloose.com

Tue 2 December
Koko Loft Club
Plopp
Koko Jazz Club
Hämeentie 3
Helsinki
Tickets €11.50/16.50
www.kokojazz.fi

Wed 3 December
Club Jazz A Go Go
Hustle Fuzz feat. Reino Nordin
Bar Loose
Annankatu 21
Helsinki
Tickets €6.50
www.barloose.com

Wed 3 December
Slow Magic (USA)
Electronic
Tavastia
Urho Kekkosen katu 4-6
Tickets €14.50/15
www.tavastiaklubi.fi

Wed 3 December
Taraf de Haidouks (ROM)
World-renowned Romanian group
Savoy Theatre
Kasarmikatu 46-48
Tickets €37.50-41.50
www.savoyteatteri.fi

Wed 3 December
Tape Machine
A fresh fusion of jazz, soul and hip-hop
Helsinki Music Centre
Black Box
Manneheimintie 13
Tickets €6.50-17.50
www.musiikkitalo.fi

Wed 3 December
Helsinki Philharmonic Orchestra
Ahti Sonninen's Ilmarinen's Roaming
Helsinki Music Centre
Concert Hall
Manneheimintie 13
Helsinki
Tickets €6.50-17.50
www.musiikkitalo.fi

THEATRE & DANCE

Thu 27 November
Sonya Lindfors: NOIR?
Collaboration between six Helsinki-based artists focusing on blackness, black identities, prefixes and spaces between spaces
Stoa
Turunlinnantie 1
Helsinki
Tickets €9/13
www.stoa.fi

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Kenneth Greve – Tuomas Kantelinen: The Snow Queen
Wintery ballet for the whole family
Finnish National Opera
Helsinginkatu 58
Helsinki
Tickets €21.50-107.50
www.opera.fi

Thu 27-Sat 29 November
An Evening of Burlesque
Britain's biggest burlesque extravaganza
Savoy Theatre
Kasarmikatu 46-48
Helsinki
Tickets €34/38
www.savoyteatteri.fi

Thu 27 November-Wed 3 December
Winter Circus Dream
Magical winter circus with acrobats, sleep walkers, magicians and virtuosos of every kind
Dance Theatre Hurjaruuth
Cable Factory
Tallberginkatu 1A
Tickets €15-32
www.hurjaruuth.fi

EXHIBITIONS

From Sat 29 November
Artists 2014
The exhibition of Artists' Association of Finland
Kunsthalle Helsinki
Nervanderinkatu 3
Tue, Thu, Fri 11:00-18:00
Wed 11:00-20:00
Sat, Sun 11:00-17:00
Tickets €0/7/10
www.taidehalli.fi

Until Sun 11 January
Ceramics & Space
Exhibition of contemporary Finnish ceramics
Design Museum
Korkeavuorenkatu 23
Helsinki
Tue 11:00-20:00
Wed-Sun 11:00-18:00
Tickets €0/5/8/10
www.designmuseum.fi

Until Sun 11 January
Tuomas A. Laitinen: Fundamental Matter
Wide-ranging installations combining sound, light and moving image
EMMA – Espoo Museum of Modern Art
Ahertajantie 5
Helsinki
Open:
Tue 11:00-18:00
Thu 11:00-18:00
Fri 11:00-18:00
Wed 11:00-20:00
Sat 11:00-17:00
Sun 11:00-17:00
Tickets €0/10/12
www.emma.museum

Until Mon 12 January
Anita Snellman
Retrospective on the avid colourist Anita Snellman
Amos Anderson Art Museum
Yrjönkatu 27
Helsinki
Open:
Mon 10:00-18:00
Thu 10:00-18:00
Fri 10:00-18:00
Wed 10:00-20:00
Sat 11:00-17:00
Sun 11:00-17:00
Tickets €0/2/8/10
www.amosanderson.fi

Until Sun 18 January
#snapshot
Photographs taken by ordinary people, images sourced from the internet, historic snapshots and selfies as well as an overview of the history of the selfie
The Finnish Museum of Photography
Tallberginkatu 1 G
Helsinki
Tickets €0/6/8
Open:
Tue-Sun 11:00-18:00
Wed 11:00-20:00
www.valokuvataiteenmuseum.fi

Until Wed 28 January
Edward Munch – The Dance of Life
Exhibition of one of the major visual artists in Northern Europe of the 20th century
Didrichsen Art Museum
Kuusilahdenkuja 1
Helsinki
Open:
Tue-Sun 11:00-18:00
Tickets €0/8/13
www.didrichsenmuseum.fi

Until Sun 22 March
Sibelius and the World of Art
Exhibition explores the links between the composer's work and the art scene of his time
Ateneum Art Museum
Kaivokatu 2
Helsinki
Open:
Tue 10:00-18:00
Fri 10:00-18:00
Wed 10:00-20:00
Thu 10:00-20:00
Sat, Sun 10:00-17:00
Tickets €0/10/12
www.ateneum.fi

Pehr Hilleström
The 18th century observed

SINEBRYCHOFF ART MUSEUM
4.9.–11.1.2015 | Bulevardi 40, Helsinki | www.sinebrychoffintaidemuseo.fi
Tel +358 294 500 460 | Entry 10 | 8 euros, children under 18 free of charge