# **Things to do** 2016

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## All year long

#### Rimini - Via L. Tonini 1 Ferrari Square City Museum and Domus of the Surgeon

The Domus of the Surgeon and the City Museum invite you to visit the excavation area where the taberna medica was found, a medical lab from Ancient Rome with the greatest number of surgery implements, now kept in the Museum. In addition to the Archeological section, the Museum offers Medieval and Renaissance exhibits, including paintings from excellent fourteenth century Rimini school painters, the famous Pietà by Bellini and works by Agostino Di Duccio, Ghirlandaio, Cagnacci and Guercino. Twentieth century creativity is represented by the section on René Gruau and his world renowned graphic art along with the Federico Fellini "Book of dreams" hall. Tickets: € 6.00 regular charge, € 4.00

reduced charge. Admission to the Museums and the Domus of the Surgeon is free on Wednesdays and each first Sunday of the month. Weekend or evening guided tours to the archeological site (included in the ticket price) in July and August. Closed Mondays. Info: +39 0541 793851

# All year long

#### Rimini - Podestà Palace Cavour Square

FAR - Fabbrica Arte Rimini modern and contemporary Art Space

The spaces of the Podestà and Arengo Palazzo have been transformed and every year they house an art production and exhibition center including drawing, painting, sculpture, photography, video, installations and performances in addition to conferences and workshops. Admission is free • Closed Mondays Info: +39 0541 704416

# 18 / 20 March

#### Rimini - Fellini Plaza Giardini d'autore Gardens Fair

The gardening exhibition with the best Italian growers is back, this year in Rimini's Federico Fellini Park for the 2016 spring edition. A quality and prestigious traditional event for all gardening enthusiasts, where they can find rare plants and extracts and share their knowledge of green culture in all its forms and expressions. Info: www.giardinidautore.net

# 24 / 28 March

## **Rimini Beach**

- Paganello Beach
- On Easter weekend, Rimini's Paganello Beach will be invaded by flying discs, the Beach Ultimate World Cup, and that is Frisbee played on the sand as a sport. You can also watch Freestyle Frisbee players from all over the world perform to music; spectacular and original. Info: www.paganello.com

# 28 March

### From Rimini to Covignano Somarlungo

Tenth edition of the traditional Easter Monday picnic, dedicated to the topic of water this year.

Organized by "Zeinta di Borg".

# 2 / 3 April

- Rimini 105 Stadium Capitani coraggiosi: Baglioni e Morandi in concert in Rimini Three hours of live music memorable Italian songs of the past fifty years performed with a superband of multi-instrumentalists. Italian singing
- legends Gianni Morandi and Claudio Baglioni together on stage for the happiness of their many fans. 9PM • Tickets on sale at www.ticketone.it Infoline: + 39 0541 785708

# 2 April

## Rimini - Velvet club

Max Gazzè in concert Max Gazzè's "Maximilian Tour"only Romagna date at the Velvet.

Info: 392 3900212 Pulp concerti

#### 3 April / 1 May / 5 June / 3 July Rimini - Malatesta Temple (meeting point)

## Piero and Sigismund in Rimini Renaissance

Cultural walk in the footsteps of Piero della Francesca and Sigismondo Pandolfo Malatesta. The first Sunday of each month Rimini offers a guided tour on the trail of extraordinary perspective painting by Piero della Francesca. The route will start from the masterpiece and 'landmark' of the Renaissance, the Malatesta Temple, designed by Leon Battista Alberti for the lord of Rimini and expression of the rebirth of the culture of classical antiquity. The church houses the full-length portrait of Sigismondo Pandolfo Malatesta, by Piero della Francesca, 1451. The visit will touch then Castel Sismondo, revealing the primary military-political role of Sigismondo Pandolfo in the chessboard of the Italian Renaissance, thanks to the precious medals depict him that you will be amazed at the City Museum. Tours are included among the events of the project "Le Terre di Piero".

3:30 PM. Admission fee. Info: 333 7352877 michela.cesarini@discoverrimini.it www.terredipiero.it/en/eventi/ piero-e-sigismondo-nella-rimini-delrinascimento/

# 8 / 17 April

#### Rimini

#### Smiting - Festival of nonconventional culture

7th edition with a rich calendar of events, including shows and meetings balancing fun and cultural enrichment, for all ages and based on the year's topic: "Antiheroes - just for one day". Info: www.smitingfestival.it

# 9 / 10 April

#### Rimini Beach (section 15 to 25) Kite flying on the sea

XXXIII International Kite Festival, two very pleasant days watching kites fly of all shapes and sizes and having children build them in theme workshops.

Schedule: 10AM - 6:30PM Admission is free. Info: http://digilander.libero.it/dlfrimini/ aquilonisti/aquilonata/aquilonata.htm

# 14 April

#### Rimini - Cavour Square A champion for a Friend

A day of sports with Adriano Panatta, Jury Chechi, Francesco Graziani and Andrea Lucchetta for elementary and junior high schoolchildren. Everyone will be able to meet the champions and play tennis, volleyball, soccer and do gymnastics with the greatest Italian sports professionals. Schedule: 8.30 AM - 1 PM Info: www.uncampioneperamico.it

# 14 April

#### Rimini - Novelli Theater Ezio Bosso

One of the most internationally renowned composers and orchestra directors, after his great appearance at the 66th edition of the Festival di Sanremo, comes to the Novelli Theater to introduce his debut album "The 12th Room" (Egea Music). Info: www.teatroermetenovelli.it concert sold out

## 15 / 16 April

Rimini Palacongressi Convention Center

#### BE WIZARD 2016!

## Digital Marketing Automation

- Two days of studies with over 50
- speakers and top experts for lessons
- and in-depth studies to learn about the
- time and energy saving Digital Marketing Automation systems that spare man from repetitive work so he can concentrate on

strategic thinking.

Info: www.be-wizard.com

# 15 / 17 April

#### Rimini Fair - Via Emilia 155 Romagna Festival

3 days of shopping, interior decoration, food and tasting. A well rounded event featuring novelty items, shopping, household items and food. Moreover, a series of events, cuisine courses, tastings, all admission free: to have fun, get excited and discover good and beautiful things.

Info: www.fieradellaromagna.com

# 16 / 17 April

## Rimini

#### **Rimini Marathon**

A great international and national sporting event, which involves a whole city with its most characteristic and evocative locations and squares. The marathon village set up at the Arch of Augustus will offer music and food specialties. The following are scheduled in addition to the marathon: 9 km Family Run, 2 km Kids Run and the second edition of the national running event TEN MILES, over 16,094 m. FIDAL homologated event.

Info: www.riminimarathon.it

#### 17 April / 22 May / 19 June Rimini - Old Fish Market Artisans Downtown

Handicraft market show. Art, creativity, design and most of all a lot of ideas and desire to make things, create and invent! A group of craftsmen, creators and aspiring designers will show you what their passion and flair can do with wood, metal, fabrics, yarns, clay and forgotten objects. Schedule: 10AM to 7PM Info: 340 3031200 artigianialcentro@gmail.com

## 23 April / 10 July

- Rimini Old Town
- Drawing Biennale 2016
- World profiles
- from Guido Reni to Francis Bacon. from Andrea Pazienza to Kiki Smith Painting and sculpture, architecture and design, illustration and graphics, cinema and storyboards, music and theater, set design, graphic design, comics, music and writing converge on and branch off of the fundamental expressive medium of drawing. The second edition of Rimini's Drawing Biennale will feature about two thousand drawings from famous artists, starting from the seventeenth century until the present, from important Italian and foreign private collections and prestigious public collections. There will be exhibits in 27 city locations, including the City Museum, FAR, Podestà Palace, Galli Theater Foyer, Lettimi Musical Institute. Sismondo Castle and San

Girolamo Oratory. The Drawing Biennale's open partner Circuit will have exhibits in bookstores, antique stores and art galleries. The Cantiere Disegno initiative will have forty artists work magic with their pencils in the over forty rooms of the Museum's New Wing.

Info: www.biennaledisegnorimini.it

# 23 / 25 April

#### Rimini - Road course Spring Rally

33rd edition organized by "Il Velocifero -Sport Club Vintage Cars and Motorcycles". Info: www.ilvelocifero.it

# 29 / 30 April

#### Rimini Fair - Via Emilia 155 Invest World Forum

International Forum on real estate, tourism and cultural investments.

# 29 April / May Day

Rimini Fair - Via Émilia 155 Real Estate Expo & Networking International Real Estate Fair including connected services, in Italy and abroad.

# 29 April / May Day

#### Rimini Fair - Via Émilia 155 Digital World

International event on innovation, technology and the digital industry.

# 30 April

#### Novelli Theater in Rimini Stadio live in the Riviera

After their Festival di Sanremo triumph with the song "Un giorno mi dirai," this veteran Italian band, led by frontman singer composer Gaetano Curreri, celebrates their 30 years in the music business. 9PM. Tickets: Front seats  $\notin$  40 +  $\notin$  6 for advanced sale; Gallery seats  $\notin$  30 +  $\notin$  4.50 for advanced sale Info: + 39 0541 785708 Pulp; + 39 0541 793811 Novelli Theater

# **30 April / 1 May** Fellini Plaza

## Nice to meet Rimini Beach

A real hospitality variety show that turns the spotlight on the "players" par excellence of Rimini's 2016 summer: lifeguards, risto-bars, chefs, sommeliers, fishermen, entertainers, musicians, athletes and deejays. Two days of non stop music, events, cooking shows and entertainment for all ages. Events include a concert by Italian pop star Fabio Concato and Maurizio Lastrico's cheerful "The one who talks funny" 9PM. Schedule: from 12 noon to 11PM Info: www.spiaggiarimini.net

# 6 / 8 May

# Viserba beach

#### **Beach Tchoukball Festival**

International tchoukball stars meet up in Rimini for the championship that takes place every year at Viserba Beach. 4 tournaments, 20 fields, 1300 athletes, a 1 km stretch of beach, a sunny seaside weekend of sports and fun. Info: www.tchoukballfestival.com

# 6 / 7 / 8 May

#### Challenge in Rimini We are Triathlon

Italy's most important half distance triathlon competition, the fourth edition of Challenge in Rimini is a must for national and international triathlon athletes. The race distances will be the same as always with 1.9 km for swimming, 90 km for cycling and 21.1 km for running. Info: www.challenge-rimini.it/eng/

## 7 / 9 May

# Rimini Fair

M.I.R. Music Inside Rimini

The Fair adds a new event for music, instruments and club/show equipment. This is not just a Fair for professionals, it is also a festival for lovers of concerts and dancing. It is Italy's only international event for the whole professional market that includes lighting, audio and video technologies, design, musical instruments and the club culture. Next, Music Inside Festival, a program of events and concerts scheduled for 7 and 8 May with some of the most important DJs on the national and international music scene, including Sven Vath and Ralf. Info: http://en.musicinsiderimini.it/

# 13 May

Rimini - 105 Stadium Elio e le Storie Tese in "Piccoli energumeni tour"

Constantly present on the Italian music scene but never taken for granted, a great show with a medley of old and new songs at the 105 Stadium.

9PM. Info: + 39 0541 785708 Pulp Concerti • www.stadiumrimini.net/eventi/ elio-e-le-storie-tese.html

## 13 / 15 May

### Rimini Fellini Plaza Harley Reunion

A nationally renowned motorcycle gathering with Harley Davidson fans and owners celebrating together. A Harley Davidson "Parade" will reach Rimini's Old Town starting from the sea. Info: www.facebook.com/ events/445302945679074/

# 14 / 15 May

Rimini - Romeo Neri Stadium and soccer fields Delfino Cup

International youth soccer tournament with teams from all around Europe. Info: www.torneodicalcio.it/trofeodelfino-i

# 15 May

## StraRimini Run

The half marathon of the Romagna Riviera, a national UISP road running race over a distance of 21 kilometers and 97 meters, which has become a "classic" thanks to a long history of more than 30 editions. Non-competitive races and 2 km Mini Running for children are also scheduled.

Info: www.strarimini.it

## 19 / 20 May

Rimini Palacongressi Convention Center ITForum 2016

Independent Trading and Saving Fair Info: www.itforum.it

# 19 / 21 May

Rimini Fair

**Expodental Meeting** 

Major international fair event of Italian dentistry. Info: www.expodental.it/en

## 19 / 20 May

#### Mille Miglia

The thirty-fourth reenactment of the Mille Miglia, the most famous road race of all time, still makes a stop in Rimini. Respecting the tradition that started in 1927, the race course will start and end in Brescia, crossing half of Italy. An event of great appeal, once again with a parade of over nine hundred car models, which have been certified to have participated in at least one edition of the speed race between 1927 and 1957. An "extraordinary traveling museum," as Enzo Ferrari once defined it.

Info: www.1000miglia.it

## 20 / 22 May

Tintori Boardwalk and Fellini Plaza European Market - Europe in Rimini Scents, flavors and colors of Europe on Rimini's Boardwalk. A unique opportunity to discover traditional arts and crafts and food products from every country in Europe. Pentecost Day will also be celebrated, with special thematic events for German language tourists, such as "Meine Romagna" a great

hospitality party on Sunday, May 22, that showcases the flavors of our land. Schedule: Friday 1 PM - midnight, Saturdays and Sunday 9 AM - midnight

## 21 May

### SalsoMayre - Rimini, Marina Audax

International Historical Reenactment for Vespas on a 320 km road course with a

maximum of 150 participants. Info: www.vespaaudaxsalso-rimini.com

# 27 / 29 May Rimini

### Matrioška

Matrioška is a space for research, a receptacle for artists, craftsmen and creators who produce unique handmade pieces. An exhibit to show one's products and how they are actually created, where to exchange ideas, show and tell, with the space it's in becoming a fundamental ingredient of the event.

Info: www.matrioskalabstore.it www.facebook.com/matrioska.rimini/

# 28 / 29 May

#### Rimini - Palasport Flaminio Building Ritmica Oltremare Gymnastics

National finals of the regional rhythmic gymnastics championships, a highly anticipated event that is fast becoming one of the most important in Italy due to its unique and innovative formula. Info: ritmica@sporteuropa.eu

#### **31 May / 5 June** Rimini and RSM Baseball Fields Baseball Champions Cup

Rimini will be hosting the European Cup 2016. Rimini (current Italian champion), Bologna and San Marino are signed up for Europe's most important tournament for clubs at the continental level. The CEB (Confederation of European Baseball) confirmed the newly reformed competition formula (8 teams divided into 2 groups, with the top two from each group going on to the semifinals). Group A matches will play on the Titano diamond, Group B on the Pirati diamond, where the semifinals and final match are also scheduled to play.

Info: www.fibs.it/it-it/home.aspx

## June - September

#### Rimini - Old Town and Boardwalk One hundred days of celebrations

Every day from June to September, Rimini welcomes visitors with big and small events organized by tourist committees that are all about fun, culture, sports, music, tradition, food, wine and joie de vivre. One hundred days of celebrations with more than five hundred events in squares, alleys and especially on the Boardwalk from Torre Pedrera to Miramare.

Info: + 39 0541 53399

## 2 / 5 June

#### **Rimini Fair**

#### **Rimini Wellness**

The main fitness and wellness event is back with a show like no other. In this edition the Foodwell Expo grows more and more in the name of healthy food for those who are on the move.

Tickets: operators and general public: 42 € (good for one admission a day for the 4 days of the fair); 35 € reduced tickets for groups and high school/college students, 24.50 € when purchased online until 1 April; free admission for people over 65; minors under 12 and disabled people with their caregivers can purchase a whole day pass for 28 €. Schedule: 9:30AM to 7PM for every day of the event. Info: www.riminiwellness.com.

# 3 / 5 June

#### Rimini - 105 Stadium Bestfighter Wako World Cup

The best fighters challenging each other in a great sporting event, the Kickboxing Wako World Cup Bestfighter 2016, back in Rimini for the second time. Info: +39 0523 618468

www.bestfighter.com

# All Friday evenings from 3 June to 9 September

#### Rimini - Cavour Square Friday evening in the historic centre

The traditional summer evening flea market is back again in Rimini's Old Town with enticing stands filled with art pieces, antiques, second-hand items, modern antiques, vintage objects, arts and crafts, curios from the past and collection items. Schedule: 6PM - 12 midnight

# From June to the end of August

Rimini Beach Giocaestate - Sports and fun at the beach

Monday through Saturday, your day at the beach with free aerobics, gymnastics and aquagym lessons, dances, games and entertainment for children and adults, with professionally trained UISP instructors. More than 50 locations from Torre Pedrera to Miramare take part in the rich Giocaestate program. Schedule: from 9AM to 12 noon (some areas also have tournaments and games for children from 4PM to 6:30PM). Free admission. Info: + 39 0541 772917 UISP www.uisprimini.it

#### 6 June / 28 August Bimini Beach

#### Wellness beaches

Twelve weeks of meetings, wellness activities, experiential groups, holistic disciplines, postural gymnastics, eastern arts and dances, meditations, wellness sunrises on sailing boats. full moonrises. meetings with authors and teachers, theme nights with organic tasting and vegan, vegetarian and organic dinners. 20 beaches will host a total of 1000 participants experiencing the sea with nature, health and harmony. The event "They come from the sea" is a 2016 season novelty offering every two weeks at one of the beaches a landing crew of wellness operators who will stage a special "good energy space." Group activities, consultations and special events at the beach are free, dinners and boat trips will require a fee. Info: 335 5419107

www.lespiaggedelbenessere.it

## 7 / 9 June

# Rimini - Fellini Plaza

Vintage cars Rally and Enduro Racing. The 16th of the series, the One Hundred Hours 2016 will run over an Italian coastto-coast course from Rimini to Florence and Forte dei Marmi, ending in Modena as is tradition, with 3 circuit races and 12 special uphill trials over 4 intense days. The One Hundred Hours is a perfect combination of wonderful cars. gentlemen drivers, competition, tourism, gastronomy and relax. It is also the only classic rally in Italy, and one of few in the world, where the contestants can have circuits and mountain roads all to themselves. In Rimini the contestants are expected to arrive on Tuesday 7 June. The cars will be on display in Fellini Plaza on Tuesday. Wednesday and Thursday morning. On Wednesday afternoon, the cars will parade on city streets and stop at Tre Martiri Square. The races will be held at the Imola (8 June) and Misano (9 June) speedwavs.

Info: www.modenacentooreclassic.it

## 9 / 12 June

#### Rimini historic centre Ancient World Festival

A date with the history, art, archeology, literature, philosophy and poetry of the classical and not so classical world, filtered through contemporary sensibilities. Children and teens will also experience ancient history in the City and Museum thanks to Piccolo Mondo Antico, their own version of the Ancient World Festival (Festival del Mondo Antico). Info: http://antico.comune.rimini.it

# 9 / 17 June

## Rimini - Murri Boardwalk, Marvelli Square

## **Rose & Crown Summer Festival**

Third edition of the Rose & Crown Summer Festival, organized by the first pub opened in Italy, in 1964, Rimini. On Rimini's Boardwalk, in the magic atmosphere between the beach and this historic pub, nine soirée events with concerts and international guests. Info: www.roseandcrown.it

# 11 June

#### Rimini

## **Celestial Night**

Open spas in Émilia Romagna with shows, events and wellness, to experience a truly unique celestial night. Info: www.lanotteceleste.it

## 12 June

#### Rimini - Tintori Boardwalk from Boscovich to Fellini Plaza roundabout

### Ciclo\_Pe - Rimini Bike Festival

A weekend dedicated to bicycles and their essential role in daily life. This event is not just for professionals and aficionados, it is a chance to rediscover stories and people, experiencing workshops, performances and shows based on the spread of sustainable mobility.

# 11 / 18 June

## **Children's Festival**

A week-long festival for families and children with the involvement of

beach operators, hotels, restaurants, amusement parks and a huge number of events not to be missed. Info: http://ilfestivaldeibambini.it/

# 14 June

Rimini Fair area via San Martino in Riparotta Rimini Park Rock The Offspring, Pennywise and Good Riddance Punk Rock Summer National Tour

An event entirely dedicated to rock music, celebrating the beginning of summer with three true punk rock leaends. The Offspring, one of the most important veteran bands in rock history. don't need any introduction. To date, they have performed more than 1100 concerts around the world and sold more than 40 million records publishing 9 albums. The Offspring will be joined on stage by Pennywise, a California punk rock institution. Good Riddance will open, another top melodic hardcore band that can boast millions of albums sold but still remains true to the underground scene and an independent label.

Tickets on sale for 32 € at Ticketone, Mailticket and Vivaticket. Info: www.facebook.com/riminiparkrock www.lprockevents.com www.hubmusicfactory.com

## 17 / 18 / 19 June

Rimini - Old Town Sea of Books Festival for teens who like to read Eighth edition of the literature festival for teens and young adults; three days of meetings with the best loved Italian and foreign authors, workshops and shows. Sea of Books is all about having fun with culture, a place for all the young people who love books and reading and would like to meet others like them. Info: www.maredilibri.it

18 / 19 June

Rimini - Fellini Plaza

Al Méni

A colorful circus tent reminiscent of Fellini's oneiric spirit transforms into a big open kitchen by the sea, where Massimo Bottura gathers 12 great chefs from Emilia Romagna to meet 12 young and talented international chefs, together with the best agricultural operators and producers of the region. These are the ingredients of "Al Méni" meaning "hands" and taken from the title of a poem by Tonino Guerra - the circus market of flavors that brings "things made from your heart and from your hands" to the heart of Marina Centro. where the fruits of a "good land" are offered up together with arts and crafts by more than 100 top regional producers and craftsmen.

Info: www.almeni.it

## 18 / 19 June

#### Rimini Fair PetsItaly and MACE

Animal show. 16,000 sqm for our friends with fins, feathers and four legs. The

Fair will also hold the first great edition of Acquaritaly for aquatic aficionados and the first MACE - Marine Acquarium Conference of Europe. Info: www.petsitaly.it

# 23 / 26 June

Rimini

#### Adriatic Rally

Roundtrip regatta along the coast and another regatta at the destination point, substituting the Rimini Corfù Rimini regatta while waiting to get back to the offshore championship.

Info: Rimini Sail Club http://circolorimini.altervista.org/ https://it-it.facebook.com/circolo. velicoriminese/

## 25 June

## **Rimini Port**

- Molo Street Parade
- Fishermen and DJs join together to serve up music & sardoncini: the ingredients of the great port of Rimini music parade that has been providing excitement for young people and families since 2012 with the most famous, DJs in Europe cooking up a perfect combination of musical trends and seafaring tradition from fish boats overlooking the sea. The last Saturday of June, on the quay, a hundred fishermen will meet more than 80 DJs to combine trendy music and maritime tradition.

Info: www.molostreetparade.it

#### July

## Rimini - Agostiniani Court, via Cairoli

## Mind percussions

This important musical event, a thematic section of the Malatestiana Music Festival, takes place every year in summer. New sounds between present and past, 'cultured' and 'extra cultured' music, remote popular traditions and world music, all kinds of jazz mixed with rock, blues, classical and pop from diverse and distant latitudes. Info: + 39 0541 704294

www.sagramusicalemalatestiana.it

# 1 / 3 July

#### Rimini and Riviera Pink Night

The eleventh edition of the Pink Night of the Adriatic Riviera of Emilia Romagna will take place in the first weekend of July. the New Year's Eve of the Italian summer. From sunset on Friday and throughout the weekend, the 110 km of beach coastline from Comacchio Lidos to Cattolica, with the heart of the event beating in Rimini, will come to life with hundreds of concerts in squares, beach parties, shows, children's entertainment, restaurants, shops and museums open until late at night, and monuments "dressed" in pink light. And at midnight on Friday 1 July, the whole coast will be lit up with fireworks, one of the most anticipated moments of this magical night. The events will continue throughout the weekend with joie de vivre and togetherness. Info: www.lanotterosa.it

# 2 July

#### Rimini - beach from section 1 to section 50 A sea of Sound

A three-kilometer long stretch of music along the beach will be the longest ever outdoor DJ mix, a thrilling wave bringing together all the sounds of the world: Jazz, House, Rock, R&B, Ethnic, World Music, Covers, Live, for a night loaded with rhythm. 25 DJs will provide the soundtrack of an unforgettable night on Rimini Beach, with more than 1,000 camp beds spread out at night by the seashore and 3000 flaming torches to add energy to this musical night. 100 more artists including musicians, singers, dancers and performers will join this evening event.

From 8PM to 12 midnight Info: www.spiaggiarimini.net

# July / August

Rimini - Agostiniani Court Agostiniani summer: Movies under the stars

A great film festival for the whole summer: in the Old Town, in the charming courtyard of the palace of the Augustinians, the best films of the winter season are waiting for you at "Movies under the stars".

Info: + 39 0541 704302

# 3 /10 July and 16 July

Rimini - Marina Centro Beach Rimini for Mutoko

Tournaments of beach volleyball, beach

tennis and footvolley combine sports and solidarity at Rimini Beach. Rimini for Mutoko is a humanitarian charity project founded in 2001 to raise funds for the Luisa Guidotti Hospital in Mutoko (Zimbabwe) led by Marilena Pesaresi. Every year, this charity event by the sea attracts more than 500 people competing on 20 courts from section 28 to 45. The tournament is open to everyone, from under 10 to over 40; many tourists take part in it every vear. In addition, the famous card game played in pairs "Burraco solidale" will be organized in Cavour Square on 16 July. Info: 335 1270914 http://riminiformutoko.it/

## 4 / 10 July

## Rimini Fair

#### Sport Dance

Dancesport Italian Championships. 7 days of engaging and exciting competitions for both FIDS athletes and spectators, who can watch performances of all dancesport specialties on occasion of the Italian Dancesport Championships. Info: www.riminisportdance.it

## All Wednesdays in July and August (from 6.7 to 31.8)

#### Rimini - Cavour Square Memories in the attic

Flea market for boys and girls aged 5 to 12 selling their old toys, videogames, collections, stuffed animals, comics, books and a whole lot more childhood items. Evenings for children to play and socialize. Schedule: 5:30PM - 11:30PM Free admission • Sign up with C.O.C.A.P. Info: + 39 0541 781108

#### 9 / 17 July Bimini

Cartoon Club - XXXII edition For 32 years, Rimini has been hosting the International Cartoon Club Festival of animation films, comics and videogames. Film screenings, concerts, meetings with authors, filmmakers and publishers, workshops will take place in Marina Centro, enriched on 14-17 July with Riminicomix, a 3.000 sam market show in Plaza Federico Fellini with publishers, antique comic books, manga and collectibles. There will also be a Cosplay Convention, one of the most anticipated events of this genre nationwide, involving thousands of young people wearing costumes of their heroes from cartoons. anime and comics. This year, Riminicomix welcomes videogames of all different types in a larger space. Info: www.cartoonclub.it www.facebook.com/Cartoon-Club

#### 11 / 17 July Rimini - Sismondo Castle Court Arco in Danza 2016

One week dedicated to dance with ballets staged by 50 Italian and foreign dance schools including modern, classical, contemporary, tango, capoeira, country, flamenco, eastern, folk, Caribbean, Lindy hop and Peruvian. Shows produced by the Raffaele Paganini National Company and the Lianana Cosi and Marinel Stefanescu Classical Ballet Company will also be performed. The rehearsals are open to the public and are held from 5PM to 8PM.

Shows schedule: 8:30PM - 11:30PM Admission to the shows is free except for the performances of the two main dance companies

Info: www.arcoindanza.it

## 15 / 16 July

#### Rimini - Borgo San Giuliano and Tiberio Bridge

## P.Assaggi di vino - Wine tasting

The wine cellars of the Rimini backcountry will stage two full nights of tastings and shows at Tiberius Bridge and in the squares of Borgo San Giuliano. Each winery will have its own stand to display and talk about their products. Schedule: 8PM - 12 midnight. Info: www.stradadeivinidirimini.it

## 22 / 31 July

#### Rimini

# Fellini Plaza and roundabout

## Art World Rimini

#### International crafts market show

Images, sounds and flavors from around the world. A new exhibition mainly dedicated to arts and crafts from around the world accompanied by an interesting program of events and shows hosted in the "circusy" tensile structure on Tintori Boardwalk.

# Schedule: 5PM-12 midnight Free admission

## 28 July

#### Rimini Beach from section 51 to section 100 A sea of wine

A glass of wine and feet in the water. The moon and the surf will be the background to a dream night with music, tastings and words with more than 40 tasting areas featuring wine producers, farms, micro-breweries and food artisans, accompanied by 50 musicians along 3 km of beach.

Schedule: 8PM - 12 midnight Info: www.spiaggiarimini.net

# 29 / 31 July

### **Riviera beach games**

Alone, as a couple, with family, with friends: many ways to watch and participate in these games held throughout the summer; many sports events on the beach, from the "classic" beach tennis, beach volleyball, beach soccer and footvolley to the most innovative, will take place at the end of July, at the top of the season. Info: www.rivierabeachgames.it

### 6 August

#### Rimini - Fellini Plaza

- The Color Run
- A non-competitive run where every
- kilometer thousands of participants are
- flooded from head to toe with eco friendly
- colors, unleashing an explosion of vitality
- and zest for life at the finish line. No
- special skills are required. Just wear white
- and get to the finish line covered in colors.

Village schedule: 11.30 AM - 10.30 PM. Start: 7 PM Info: http://thecolorrun.it/rimini/

## **15 August**

#### Rimini Beach from section 100 to section 150 A sea of fire

Three kilometers of fire, rhythm and "touchholes" under the mid-August stars. With feet in the water, torches and candles, an unusual crew of fakirs, fire eaters, dancers, musicians, cooks and artisans of taste will fire up the night of mid-August in a spectacular crescendo of rhythms, flavors, flames, breathtaking shows and bonfires on the sea. Schedule: 8PM - 12 midnight

Info: www.spiaggiarimini.net

## Every Friday from 19 August to 9 September

#### Rimini - Boscovich Plaza, pier area facing free beach entrance Pilates on the pier

End your day at the seaside with free Pilates, in the unique setting of the Rimini port at sunset. You can do this once a week (weather permitting) with Studio Pilates Me. Lessons are 45 minutes and the participants (of all ages) should only bring a mat or towel to do floor exercises.

Schedule: from 6:30PM to 7:15PM. Info: 347 9531092 / 347 6481327 www.studiopilatesme-rimini.it

#### 19 / 25 August Rimini

### Meeting for Friendship among peoples

Summer festival with meetings, exhibitions, music and shows. An international event, a crossroads of commentaries and experiences from different cultural backgrounds; a lively and unique event that tackles crucial issues, featuring free and open dialogues with the most interesting personalities of culture, politics and faith. Title of the XXXVII edition: "You are a good for me". Info: www.meetingrimini.org

# 28 August / 15 September

## Sagra Musicale Malatestiana -Music Festival

The oldest and most prestigious event in the Rimini area. More than 60 editions featuring the greatest musicians in the world, including Arturo Benedetti Michelangeli, Riccardo Chailly, Mstislav Rostropovich, Giuseppe Sinopoli, Renata Tebaldi, Vladimir Ashkenazy, Zubin Metha, Georges Pretre, Lorin Maazel, Kurt Masur, Valery Gergiev, Neville Marriner, James Conlon and Myung-Whun Chung. In recent years, the event has expanded with several side projects where music is intertwined with the other arts, in summer (August) and in the fall with The Sunday Concerts.

### Admission fee

Info: www.sagramusicalemalatestiana.it

## 2/3/4 September

#### Borgo San Giuliano - Rimini XX Borg Festival Perfect Day - the day of the brave

The spirit of Borgo San Giuliano. separated from the city by the historic two thousand year old Tiberius Bridge. once inhabited mostly by fishermen. lives again in the popular event that takes place every even numbered year in September along the streets and squares of the neighborhood. This is the "Festa de Borg," which tells the story of the village through the people who lived and still live in this place and involves the whole city. For the occasion, the little squares of Borgo San Giuliano will turn into theaters and stages hosting entertainment activities, street theater, exhibitions and music, not to mention the food and wine to savor the atmosphere of Rimini of yesteryear in every way. The theme of the XX edition is dedicated to all those who go after perfection to achieve continuous and global improvement.

Info: www.societadeborg.it

## 9 / 11 September

#### Rimini - Misano World Circuit Marco Simoncelli

- Grand Prix of San Marino and the Rimini Riviera
- Engines are warming up for the tenth edition of the Tim San Marino and Rimini Riviera Grand Prix, an event that every year attracts fans from around the world and millions of television viewers.

Go to www.ticketone.it for tickets and special offers Info: www.motogp.misanocircuit.com

#### September Bimini

## **Rimini Motor Soul**

For the third year, the City of Rimini will harness the amazing excellences of the great Emilia Romagna motor valley and showcase them in the most important international event. The motor world initiatives developed since 2014 together with Aldo Drudi. a world-renowned designer especially in the motorcycle field, revolve around unique exhibitions of their kind. One of them offers wonderful racing bikes, with suits and helmets worn by MotoGP champions. This exhibition gets reinvented every year, with ideas, evocative colors and logos always new, like the MotoGP colors that are renewed every season. The second will be an international exhibition of the best photographs taken by professionals on MotoGP circuits, once again selected and curated by photographer Gigi Soldano. which is also an internet based contest for fans around the world to decide the winning shot. Side events will accompany the exhibitions and the MotoGP.

# 14 / 16 September

Rimini Fair Flora Trade Show Nursery and Landscape Fair. Info: www.floratrade.it

# 14 / 16 September

**Bimini** Fair

#### Macfrut

## Fruit & Veg Professional Show

Macfrut is a landmark event for professionals of the fruit and vegetable sector in Italy and Europe. Business meetings, specially equipped meeting areas and many side events to do business and increase one's knowledge. Info: www.macfrut.com

# 17 / 18 September

### **Nuvolari Grand Prix**

Classic cars from around the world will compete at the Gran Premio Nuvolari over a challenging 1000 km through the most charming old towns. Info: www.gpnuvolari.it

# 21 / 26 September

#### Rimini - various locations **Glory Days**

A Bruce Springsteen tribute. The eighteenth edition will premiere the documentary on this event, which has been populating Rimini in late September with rock fans who love Bruce Springsteen and good music since 1999. Info: www.glorydaysinrimini.net

# 24 / 25 September

#### Rimini - Fellini Plaza Giardini d'autore Gardens Fair

The gardening exhibition with the best Italian nurserymen is back in Rimini's Federico Fellini Park for the 2016 fall edition. A quality and prestigious traditional event for all gardening enthusiasts, where they can find rare plants and extracts and share their knowledge of green culture in all its forms and expressions.

Info: www.giardinidautore.net

#### 26 / 30 September **Bimini Fair - south entrance** Tecnargilla

25th International Exhibition of Ceramics and Brick Industry Technologies and Supplies.

Admission is reserved for professionals. Schedule: from 9:30AM to 6PM Info: www.tecnargilla.it

# 28 / 29 September

#### . Rimini - Fellini Plaza Transitalia Marathon 2016

A motorcycle rally that takes place over several days, racing across Italy on an exclusive and fascinating course, and retraces some salient features of the legendary event. A real rally atmosphere without the angst of a stopwatch, mostly smooth off-road riding suitable also for Maxi Enduro. It starts Wednesday September 28 from Rimini, where the participants will be welcomed in the Fellini Plaza Village late into the night, waiting for the sunlight to shine on the sea to kick off the first leg of Transitalia Marathon 2016. Info: www.transitaliamarathon.com

## 8 October

#### Rimini - Marecchia Park **RiverRun**

Non-competitive 10-mile marathon, 16

Km Tenmiles trail, organized by Rimini Marathon. Info: 331 1016736 www.riminimarathon.it/riverun-trail

## 13 / 15 October

### Rimini Fair

TTG Meetings - Sia Guest - Sun 53rd edition of the Tourism Sector B2B Fair. TTG Meetings is the leading b2b marketplace for tourism in Italy, the highlight of the year for the sector, the Fair where all the travel industry (domestic and international) meets to negotiate, network, get more business, discuss and find new ideas. It is held simultaneously with SIA Guest and Sun; the 3 leading trade fairs in their sector allow market participants to concentrate in three days their business contacts with the whole production chain. Info: www.ttgincontri.it

# 13 / 15 October

**Rimini Fair** 

## T&T Tende e Tecnica

International Biennale of protection, shading, energy saving, safety and interior decoration products and solutions. Info: www.tendeetecnica.it

# 15 / 16 October

# Rimini - Cavour Square + marathon course

#### **Rimini REvolution Run**

The marathon for travel agents in Rimini for the TTG is back. Info: www.riminirevolutionrun.it

#### 26 / 28 October Bimini Fair

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**IBE International Bus Expo** Italy's only biennial bus sector marketplace. Info: www.internationalbusexpo.it

# November 2016 / April 2017

Rimini - Teatro E. Novelli, via Cappellini 3 Teatro degli Atti, via Cairoli 42 Ermete Novelli Theater Season

Like every year, the curtain rises on the Novelli theater season, with a rich schedule of events bringing tradition and innovation on stage, from fall to spring in Rimini. Info: www.teatroermetenovelli.it

# 8 / 11 November

## Rimini Fair

#### Ecomondo

- International Fair for Material and Energy
- Recovery and Sustainable Development.
- This Fair stands together with Key Energy,
- H2R, Cooperambiente and Condominio
- Eco, the international fairs for sustainable
- energy and mobility, the climate and the resources for new development.

Info: www.ecomondo.com www.keyenergy.it www.cooperambiente.it www.condominioeco.eu

#### 19 / 22 November Rimini Fair

# Gluten Free Expo

International Trade Fair for gluten-free products and food. Info: www.glutenfreeexpo.it

#### 25 / 27 November Rimini Fair Natural Expo

Showcase exhibition offering a wide range of innovative wellness ideas and products: natural cosmetics, organic and vegan food, energy conservation, furniture, herbal and alternative medicine. Visitors and exhibitors will participate in workshops, conferences, courses, exhibitions and performances. Info: www.naturalexpo.it/rimini

## 3 / 8 December

Rimini - Atti Theater, Cineteca, Settebello Movie Theater, Tiberio Movie Theater, Spazio Duomo Event Salon

#### **Amarcort Film Festival**

International Short Film Festival . 9th edition, Amarcort Film Festival is an important showcase of international short films and a healthy artistic competition.

Info: www.amarcort.it www.facebook.com/amarcort

#### 8 / 11 December Rimini Fair

#### **RiminiArte**

Modern and Contemporary Art Market Show. An event showcasing Art in all its possible expressions that manages to capture the world of cultured and sophisticated collections along with the consensus of a wide audience of aficionados.

Info: www.riminiarte.it

# Every last Sunday of the month (except July)

#### Rimini - Tre Martiri Square Rimini Antiqua

The city's first monthly market show for antiques, modern antiques and vintage items. You can find a wide selection of selected objects: ceramics, glass items, books, furniture, custom jewelry, silverware and curios, all strictly oldfashioned or antiques.

Schedule: from 8PM to 7PM Info: + 39 0541 774385 - 340 3031200 Rimini Art

#### 1 December 2016 - 6 January 2017 Bimini

#### The longest New Year's celebrations in the world

Every corner of the city turns into an outdoor stage for a month of music, art, performances. Christmas events and great concerts. The spectacle of the illuminations, exhibitions, Christmas markets, traditional Nativity scenes and those made from sand light up the atmosphere of the most anticipated holidavs and shin a new and welcoming light on the whole city. The December 31 highlight, as usual, are the many New Year's Eve celebrations spread throughout the city, starting with the big concert in Fellini Plaza, just steps away from the winter sea, and then on to the many festivities in the Old Town. Info: http://capodanno.riminiturismo.it/

# Rimini





# Land of the Malatesta & Montefeltro







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#### **5 / 13 March** Morciano di Romagna San Gregorio fair

Here rural traditions revive with the exhibition-market of horses, cattle, sheep, poultry and sheep farming products.

Info: + 39 0541 851928 - 851911

#### 23 / 25 April Saludecio Saluserbe

Spring Festival with exhibitions and shows, and herbal market, natural food, organic agriculture and eco-friendly crafts. Info: + 39 0541 869719

# 1 May

Casteldelci - Giardiniera area and Old Town

#### Horse festival. XXI edition

Ancient cattle fair, enlivened by performances and equestrian shows. Info: 338 7178528

## 1 / **5 May** Pennabilli, town streets

Artists in the square International street art Festival. Info: +39 0541 928003 http://artistiinpiazza.com

#### **22 / 26 June** San Giovanni in Marignano The Night of the Witches

Popular street theatre, market with medicinal herbs, magic stones and natural products in a charming environment during the magical night of St. John.

Info: www.lanottedellestreghe.net

#### 25 / 26 June Maiolo

Bread Festival Info: www.comune.maiolo.rn.it

#### **8 / 17 July** Santarcangelo di Romagna 46<sup>th</sup> International Theater in the Square Festival

Italian and international projects with an idea of theater and dance, as arts to know the world. Info: + 39 0541 626185 www.santarcangelofestival.com

# **16 / 17 July** Montefiore Conca

Rocca di Luna Exciting shows in the moonlight. Info: www.roccadiluna.it

## last two weeks of July Verucchio

#### **Verucchio Music Festival**

One of the most interesting music festivals in Italy under the artistic direction of Ludovico Einaudi. Info: http://verucchiofestival. altervista.org/

#### 27 / 28 / 29 July Poggio Torriana - Torriana Scorticata, the hill of delights

A showcase of delicacies from all over Italy. Info: + 39 0541 675207 www.prolocotorriana.it

#### 13 / 14 August Montescudo -Montecolombo Potato Festival

Exhibition of agricultural and handicraft products. Info: www.prolocomontescudo. it/sagra-della-patata-edeglignocchi

# 18 / 21 August Mondaino

## Palio del Daino Festival

Medieval re-enactment through the streets of the ancient village. Info: www.mondainoeventi.it/it/ palio-del-daino.php

#### mid-August Montegridolfo Montegridolfo liberata

Reenactment of the Gothic Line. Info: http://prolocomontegridolfo. altervista.org/eventi.html

# last weekend of August San Leo

## AlchimiAlchimie 2016

On the occasion of the Anniversary of Cagliostro's death, on August 26, San Leo pays homage to Giuseppe Balsamo in the magical atmosphere of the Fortress with initiatives and shows. Info: www.san-leo.it

#### **3 / 4 September** Poggio Torriana - Montebello Honey fair Info: + 39 0541 675207 www.prolocotorriana.it

## 24 / 25 September Pennabilli

Italy's ancient fruits meet in Pennabilli

Exhibitions, conferences and meetings on agriculture, ancient fruits and biodiversity, entertainment, music and the popular Forgotten Fruits Market. Info: + 39 0541 928846 Tonino Guerra Cultural Association 

## All Sundays in October Sant'Agata Feltria Sant'Agata Feltria Fine White Truffle National Fair

Info: www.santagatainfiera.com

# 9 / 16 / 23 /30 October

Montefiore Conca historic center Chestnut festival Info: + 39 0541 980035

# 11 / 12 and 13 November

Santarcangelo di Romagna squares and town streets

## San Martino Fair

The national festival of storytellers and Autumn market. Info: + 39 0541 624270 www.santarcangelodiromagna.info

## 19 / 20 November

Talamello - Old Town Formaggio di Fossa Cheese Festival

The cheese ripened in the pit called The Amber of Talamello. XXXI edition. Info: + 39 0541 920036

#### 20 / 27 November Coriano

Olive and fall products fair Info: + 39 0541.656255 www.prolococoriano.it

## Advent Sundays and Immaculate Conception Celebration

Sant'Agata Feltria

# Christmas Town

Christmas Town Market and the house of Santa Claus.

Info: www.santagatainfiera.com/ il\_paese\_del\_natale.asp

# Culture

### All year long

Spazio FAR - Fabbrica Arte Rimini modern and contemporary Art Space

All year long City Museum and Domus of the Surgeon

8 / 17 April Smiting - Festival of non-conventional culture

23 April - 10 July Drawing Biennale World profiles

9 / 12 June Ancient World Festival

**17 - 19 June** Sea of Books Festival for teens who like to read

## 18 / 19 June

Al Méni

9 / 17 July Cartoon Club - XXXII edition

July / August Agostiniani Estate: Movies under the stars

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September Rimini Motor Soul

November 2016 / April 2017 Ermete Novelli Theater Season

3 / 8 December Amarcort Film Festival

# **Sports**

**24 / 28 March** Paganello Beach 2016

**16 / 17** Rimini Marathon

23 / 25 April Spring Rally

6 / 8 May Beach Tchoukball Festival

**6 / 7 / 8 May** Challenge in Rimini We are Triathlon

**15 May** Strarimini Half marathon

19 / 20 May Mille Miglia 2016

28 / 29 May Ritmica Oltremare Gymnastics **31 May / 5 June** Baseball Champions Cup

2 / 5 June Rimini Wellness

**3 / 5 June** Bestfighter Wako World Cup

7 / 9 June 100 hours of Modena

23 / 26 June Adriatic Rally

3 / 10 July e 16 July Rimini for Mutoko

4 / 10 July Sport Dance

29 / 31 July Riviera beach games

6 August The Color Run

From 19 August to 9 September (every Friday) Pilates on the pier

9 / 11 September TIM San Marino and Rimini Riviera Grand Prix

17 / 18 September Nuvolari Grand Prix

# Fairs and Conventions

**15 / 16 April** BE WIZARD 2016! Digital Marketing Automation

**15 / 17 April** Romagna Fair

29 / 30 April Invest World Forum

**29 April / 1 May** Real Estate Expo & Networking Digital World

7 / 9 May M.I.R. Music Inside Rimini

**19 / 20 May** ITForum 2016

**19 / 21 May** Expodental Meeting **20 / 22 May** European Market Europe in Rimini Meine Romagna

**18 / 19 June** PetsItaly and MACE

14 / 16 September Flora Trade Show

14 / 16 September Macfrut

26 / 30 September Tecnargilla

**13 / 15 October** TTG Meetings - SIA Guest -SUN - T&T Tende e Tecnica

**26 / 28 October** IBE International Bus Expo

8 / 11 November Ecomondo

**19 / 22 November** Gluten Free Expo

**25 / 27 November** Natural Expo

# Big Concerts

2 / 3 April Capitani coraggiosi: Baglioni and Morandi in concert

2 April Max Gazzè in concert

**14 April** Ezio Bosso

30 April Stadio live

**13 May** Elio e le Storie Tese in "Piccoli energumeni tour"

9 / 17 June Rose & Crown Summer Festival 14 June Rimini Park Rock: The Offspring, Pennywise, Good Riddance

**25 June** Molo Street Parade

July Percuotere la mente Mind percussions

1/2/3 July Pink Night

2 July A sea of Sound

28 August - 15 September Sagra Musicale Malatestiana Symphonic concerts

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For latest events and updates, visit www.**riminiturismo.it** 

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