



PRE-PROGRAMME OF THE APLEC 2023

THURSDAY JUNE 15

During the morning

Official presentation of the 35th APLEC INTERNACIONAL-CATALUNYA VILLACH 2023. Event open to the press.

Inauguration of the Exhibition of Catalan popular culture.

FRIDAY JUNE 16

During the day, Convention Center

Space to get to know Catalonia: tourism, culture and traditions, by the Delegation of the Government of Catalonia to Central Europe, the Tourism Boards and the Popular Culture Federations of Catalonia.

16.00 h

Institutional reception in Catalonia and the participating groups.

Festive parade, with the presence of authorities and guests.

16.00-21.00 h · Central avenue

Mostra de l'imaginari festiu.

17.00 h · Town hall Square

Ballad of Sardanes.

20.30 h · Town hall Square

Welcome show of the 35th Aplec International Villach 2023. Opening greeting.

22.00 h · Town hall Square

Cantada of habaneros and burnt rum.

SATURDAY JUNE 17

During the day, Convention Center

Space to get to know Catalonia: tourism, culture and traditions, by the Delegation of the Government of Catalonia to Central Europe, the Tourism Boards and the Popular Culture Federations of Catalonia.

Exhibition of traditional Catalan games.

10.00 h · Streets of the historic center







Great Aplec parade, with all the participating groups.

Upon arrival at the Town Hall Square, a grand final Ballad.

11.30 h · Town hall Square

Ballad of sardanas with exhibition of sardanist groups, and display of groups of Falcons.

15.30 h · Cathedral of Villach

Concert de bandes de música i corals.

17.30 h · Town hall Square

Show of Catalan dances.

20.30 h · Town hall Square

Central show of the Aplec "La Festa Major in Catalunya".

22.00 h · Town hall Square

Fire night.

22.30 h · Town hall Square

Catalan folk dance.

SUNDAY JUNE 18

During the day, Convention Center

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Exhibition of traditional Catalan games.

10.00 h · Town hall Square

Ballad of sardanas with exhibition of sardanist groups.

11.30 h · Town hall Square

Diada Castellera: Human constructions.

16.30 h · Town hall Square

Folk and havanese concert.

17.30 h · Town hall Square

Show of Catalan dances.

20.30 h · Town hall Square

Official closing of the 35th Aplec International, with the participation of all groups.