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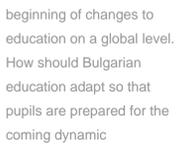
### How To Double Your Hero Potential Today...



The America for Bulgaria Foundation announced the development of "Little Heroes" to transform the children's ward at Pirogov Hospital into a colorful and educational environment for children and their families. Donate BGN 1 with a SMS to 17777 with the text DMS PIROGOV and America for Bulgaria Foundation will double it. Grigor Dimitrov is the patron of "Little Heroes".

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### Your Future Job Is Calling... Answer!



The dynamic changes on the labor market mean the beginning of changes to education on a global level. How should Bulgarian education adapt so that pupils are prepared for the coming dynamic environment? This was the focus of a conference entitled Education for the Professions of the Future, organized by Capital and the America for Bulgaria Foundation, which brought together leading world experts in education and their Bulgarian colleagues.

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### Are You Ready For The Ultimate Music Competition?



The 84,600 leva prize money from the America for Bulgaria Foundation was accompanied with several special awards, including the Special Award of the European Union of Music Competitions for Youth (EMCY), of which the "Young Virtuosos" international competition is a member. Award-winners will have the amazing opportunity to conquer the international stage by taking part in series of concerts organized by the association in all European capitals.

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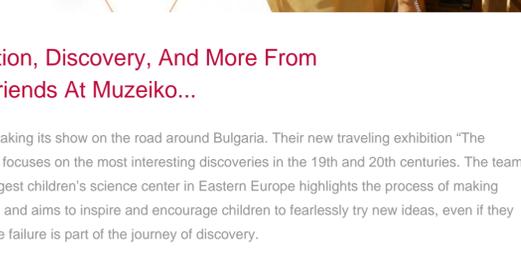
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## МУЗЕЙКО В РАЗГРАД С ИЗЛОЖБА "ИЗОБРЕТЕНИЯТА"



## Innovation, Discovery, And More From Your Friends At Muzeiko...

Muzeiko is taking its show on the road around Bulgaria. Their new traveling exhibition "The Inventions", focuses on the most interesting discoveries in the 19th and 20th centuries. The team from the largest children's science center in Eastern Europe highlights the process of making discoveries, and aims to inspire and encourage children to fearlessly try new ideas, even if they fail, because failure is part of the journey of discovery.

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## Community Stories Of The Month



### LOOKING FOR: The Teacher Who Loves All Of His Students

For a second consecutive year, the Center for Inclusive Education started a national campaign "Days of Inclusion". This year, pupils from all over Bulgaria will look for the teacher who loves all of his students. The face of the initiative is the idol of all school-age children – vlogger Chris Zahariev.

The campaign is focused on the inclusive teacher – the one who loves everyone. The idea is for pupils to create something unforgettable about their favorite teacher. To participate in the campaign, every class will choose one teacher and secretly plan and carry out a surprise which will inspire and make their teacher happy...

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### Can you put a bee in a museum? Why not.

The Museum of the Bee is part of a campaign dedicated to protecting the bees and increasing the general knowledge about them. The America for Bulgaria Foundation supports the initiative of the Bio City of Sofia. The Museum of the Bee is a custom-built house in the form of hives made out of clay, like they were made in the past, while the roof has grass and flowers for the bees. There are more surprises inside. Check it out.



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## Upcoming & Essential

**20 April - 30 April** - Master of Art festival - Master of Art is the first international film festival for documentary and advertising movies in the area of arts, located on the Balkans. It will take place at the Lumière Cinema and Odeon Cinema in Sofia, Bulgaria

**21 April** - Fortissimo in Class - final concert in Vidin - Fortissimo in Class is an educational program for the promotion of classical music among students in the 3rd and 4th grades

**22 April** - Metropolitan Opera - Eugene Onegin - The world diva Anna Netrebko transforms into one of her most applauded roles, that of tragic heroine Tatyana. Thanks to the America for Bulgaria Foundation, you will have the opportunity to dive into the magic of opera at Cinema City Sofia, 7.55 pm

**23 April** - Fortissimo Family - Tales for the Saxophone - classical music for the whole family - Bulgaria Hall

**27 April** - Photography masters' opening - Ulay

**5 - 8 May** - National Debates Forum 2017 - the Debate Association invites you to be part of the fourth annual National Debates Forum - Varna

**7 May** - National Olympics in Astronomy

**6 May** - Spelling Bee finals - The 30 best students will take part in the national final in English spelling in Sofia and the Spelling Bee winner of Bulgaria will be announced - Hilton Hotel

**9 May** - Opening of a new center for Project-Based Learning (from the program "School of the Future") in the primary school in Taran village

**13 May** - Metropolitan Opera - Der Rosenkavalier (Richard Strauss) - new production - "The Cavalier of the Rose" is one of the most prized works by maestro Strauss. This opera is called "the gala of the melody" - Cinema City Sofia, 7:30 pm



## Can Frozen Hands Play The Best Music?

The Brass Orchestra rehearsed in the old building. Their hands were frozen and they had to warm them up on an old heater. And our choir? We sent them to an international competition in Prague where they competed with 28 choirs from all over the world. And these 14 girls brought back the silver medal. Guess who won the gold. The Slovenian National Radio Choir! 14 girls from Varshets, from our school which is not even a music school competed with a national radio choir! Our talents are also involved in the Stars of Varshets theater group, dance groups and a marching band.

We have other stars, too...

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## Anti-Democratic Propaganda In Bulgaria

Anti-democratic propaganda in Bulgaria is aimed at preparing the public for the country to leave the EU and NATO, as well as the systematic blocking of judicial reform. This emerges from monitoring 3,305 media reports from 2013 to 2016. The analysis was prepared by the Human and Social Studies Foundation.



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## The Newest Bulgarian Entrepreneurs Turn Their Dreams Into Bread, Tea And Electric Drums...



How difficult is it to start your own small business? Many would agree that it is a difficult challenge, even in the best of circumstances. The [Trust for Social Achievement](#) founded the "Business Alternatives" program to encourage young entrepreneurs to develop the skills for launching and managing their own successful businesses...



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