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ITALIAN MILITARY Tattoo
TORINO 2015

Turin, Piazzetta Reale, 9-10-11 July 2015

Three days of performances, music and parades of military bands from all over the world

... and now in Turin, after Edinburgh, Basel and Moscow, the Festival of Military Performers
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Tickets on-line from 15 November 2014

International Festival of Military Performers

Piazzetta Reale-Polo Reale of Turin
TURIN 9-10-11 July, 2015



The performance usually set in Edinburgh, Basel and Moscow will soon be hosted in Turin as well, where the military performers will showcase at Piazzetta Reale on 9, 10 and 11 July 2015.

The "Italian Military Tattoo Torino 2015" is an outstanding parade of international performers, mostly military. This first 2015 Festival will host three or four national military performers and six or seven performers from all over the world. The musicians will be wearing their uniforms and/or historical costumes and parading in Piazzetta Reale, in front of the Royal Palace with a previously tested blend of Music, Sounds and Light.



Turin, the first Capital city of Italy, has a long established military tradition. Its fascinating and historical atmosphere, with the amazing architecture of the Royal Palace is the ideal framework for both ancient and modern uniforms. It is exactly the military discipline meant as order, accuracy, coordination and self-control, which contributes to change a martial parade into an appealing and creative.



Five performances will take place over three days. The sound of bagpipes and other typical instruments will arouse enthusiasm in the audience of all ages and promote Turin among a dedicated public from all over Europe. This festival has in fact enjoyed great success in Switzerland, Russia, Belgium and Scotland (U.K.).

The concurrent EXPO 2015 event will contribute to make this event even more appealing to tourists in the wake of the fame gained by the city through the various cultural and religious options available..

Further parades will take place around the city during the three days of the Festival and will lead to the National Performers Assembly celebrating the 100th anniversary of World War I organized by the Independent Association of Italian Bands (Associazione Nazionale Bande Italiane Musicali Autonome) to be held on July 12th, 2015.



Performers invited

CANADA	Vancouver Police Pipe Band
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HOLLAND	Regimental Fanfare of the Mounted Regiments
OMAN	Royal Army of Oman Band with Pipes and Drums
TURKEY	Mehter Band
SCOTLAND	Pipes and Drums of Royal Scots Dragoon Guards
ITALY	Fanfara della Brigata Alpina Taurinense
ITALY	Fanfara del 4° Reggimento Carabinieri a Cavallo
ITALY	Fanfara Bersagliari in congedo di Siena e/o Asti
FRANCE	Fanfara du 27ème Bataillon de Chasseurs Alpains
HUNGARY	Central Band of the Hungarian Defence Forces
USA	Blue Devils
AUSTRALIA	The Scots College Pipes and Drums

Performance

- Thursday, 9th July**
- Afternoon: Parade in the city and flag raising
 - 21.30 gala performance
- Friday, 10th July**
- 18.00 second "low Price" performance
 - 21.30 third performance
- Saturday, 11th July**
- 18.00 fourth "low Price" performance
 - 21.30 gala performance

The word "tattoo" dates back to the 17th century, when the British Army stationed in Flanders. Each night a regiment's Corps of Drums was sent around the city to play what became a signal to the tavern owners to "turn off the tap of their ales kegs" and to the soldier to go back to their billeted lodgings.