

Exploration Group Tour of the National Theatre and Concert Hall Wednesday October 23, 2019



Built in the Ming and Qing Dynasty Palace styles, the National Theatre and Concert Hall have a special place in the Cultural history of Taiwan. Completed in 1987, they are two of the first major Concert venues to be built in Asia and the first in Taiwan. Their distinctive style make them a must see spot for tourists to Taipei. Residents and visitors can see cultural events, plays, concerts even outdoor performances in the large courtyard between the two Halls.

We will begin our tour at the National Theatre where experienced tour guides will share with us the history, and architecture as well as a tour of the facilities. We will then cross the courtyard to the National Concert Hall to see the similarities and differences in the two venues.

Highlighting the Concert venue is a large Pipe Organ built by the Dutch company Flentrop Orgelbouw. After the tour, we will take our seats in the concert hall for a 30 minute pipe organ concert where we will experience the beautiful sounds and the excellent acoustics of the Organ.

Following the concert, we have booked space in the restaurant Allegro, located in the National Concert Hall. Next to the gift shop, it serves delicious Italian pasta and risotto including vegetarian options.

Cost for the tour and the concert is NT\$ 300. Cost for lunch is NT\$400. Lunch choices are:

- 1. Roast Chicken Risotto
- 1. Penne Rigate with Bolognese Sauce
- 2. Chestnut Bacon Linguine
- 3. Porcini Mushroom Risotto (Vegetarian)

The set menu comes with soup, salad and drink (coffee or tea). Please specify your lunch choice when you reply.

We will meet at Gate 1 of the National Theatre between 9:15 and 9:30, our tour will begin at 9:30. Walking from one venue to the other requires stairs and crossing the courtyard, so please wear comfortable footwear for this event.

Warm regards, Olivia, Carol and Alison

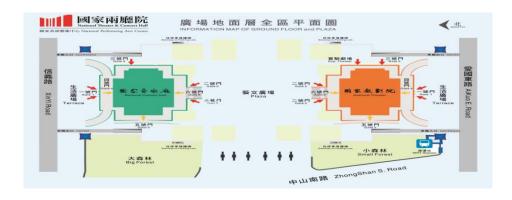
獨一無二的兩廳院,在中國傳統宮殿型式的建築內,擁有國際級的表演場地。在戲劇院與音樂廳內共有四個表演場所,並設置各項專業之舞台、燈光、音響等設備,提供藝文團體及藝術家們的多元需求。無論是百人以上的交響樂團或是一人獨角戲,都能找到最適合的舞台。

多年來,數以百計的國際級大師及表演團隊登上兩廳院的舞台,想要參與歷史就趁現在,享受與 藝術大師們相遇的驚喜。

在兩廳院內亦陳設著多位台灣藝術家的作品,平常去看表演,您不會去注意到台灣第一幅濕壁畫; 董陽孜的書法;已故雕塑大師楊英風先生的銅製雕塑品;以及突顯當代綠色思維的建築景觀的 「綠色交響詩」及「蘭花圓舞曲」是由法國藝術家以生態、藝術手法設計的室內綠牆。以上種種 都將會呈現在我們導覽規劃的路線中。

更讓您驚喜的是,我們還安排了一場 30 分鐘的管風琴演奏會,管風琴是一種獨特的鍵盤樂器,以 手腳彈奏琴鍵,並透過風吹響音管,發出美妙的聲音,您可以親身感受一下管風琴的氣勢。

活動日期及集合時間:10月23日,星期三,早上9:15集合於國家戲劇院1號門(愛國東路地面入口),請詳看以下集合地點示意圖:



管風琴音樂會後,我們將於國家音樂廳的『樂格輕食』餐廳用餐,我們預先挑選了四套主食供您選擇,當您報名時,請告知您的主餐及副餐飲料選項,以方便餐聽備餐。

- 1. 青醬烤雞燉飯
- 2. 波隆那肉醬筆管麵
- 3. 奶油栗子培根細扁麵
- 4. 牛肝箘野菇燉飯 (素食)

每份主食都有包含湯,沙拉及飲料 (咖啡或茶)

費用:兩廳院導覽及管風琴演奏會\$300,午餐:\$400

歡迎您與我們一起體驗兩廳院的表演藝術殿堂,並一起領略管風琴獨特的藝術演奏會。