



*dance & drama, poetry & art,
film & music from the lands of*

THISTLES & SUNFLOWERS

18 MAY – 11 JUNE 2022

**SCOTTISH STORYTELLING CENTRE
43-45 HIGH STREET, EDINBURGH EH1 1SR**

**CURATED BY
ILİYANA NEDKOVA &
DANIELA DIMOVA-YANEVA**

SUPPORTING
**YEAR OF
STORIES**
— 2022 —

THISTLES & SUNFLOWERS TICKETS

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FREE

POETRY TRAIL

18 MAY-11 JUNE DAILY 10AM-6PM

Exhibition of bilingual poems by Stefan Ivanov and Jim Mackintosh, botanical art by Jenny Haslmeier, tours by Toni Velikova and poetry in translation to be found in a secret garden

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THE PHYSICS OF SORROW

27-29 MAY DAILY 12-2PM

Hand-picked short films by the Academy Award nominated animator and activist Theodore Ushev

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STORIES IN FREE FALL

27 MAY 7.30PM

An improv storytelling show (in Bulgarian) by writer, performance artist and social justice activist Maria Kassimova-Moisset. **Post-show Q&A**

FURTHER DETAILS

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FORGOTTEN MAGIC OF BULGARIA

28 MAY 7.30PM

Magical creatures from Bulgarian and Scottish mythology come alive in this storytelling show by performance artist, scientist and writer Yana Aleksandrova **NEW COMMISSION**

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FREE

PUPPET MASTERS

28-29 MAY DAILY 4PM

Hands-on puppet-making workshop led by our resident storyteller Yana Aleksandrova

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DANCE FUSION

29 MAY 7PM

Bulgarian and Scottish rhythms combine in a show choreographed by our resident dance artists Alexis Street and Ariana Stoyanova **NEW COMMISSION**
Welcome note by H.E. Mr. Marin Raykov, Ambassador of Bulgaria

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BALKAN CEILIDH

29 MAY 8.30PM

Ceilidh with Caroline Brockbank and Colin Garvin, hero with Ariana Stoyanova, vocals by The Laid-Back Community Choir, stories by neuroscientist Thomas Bak and poetry by performance artist Jim Mackintosh

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