# Czech Cultural Calendar Los Angeles February 2025



Consulate General of the Czech Republic in Los Angeles







# We cordially invite you to join us for upcoming cultural and social events

#### Saturday | February 1 | 1:30 PM Lecture: Travel Tips to Czechia and Slovakia

In-person and zoom meeting of Czechoslovak Area Genealogy Club

Speakers: Mary Shade and Farah Takriti

# **Orange Family History Library**

674 S. Yorba St., Orange, CA 92689 Info: meshade@gmail.com

#### Thursday | February 6 | 7:00 PM Art: Thomas Prosek - Watercolors

San Francisco-based architect of Czech origin presents his architectural drawings of US West Coast and Europe. Exhibition runs until April

#### Front Gallery

at the Consulate General of the Czech Republic

# Friday | February 7 | 9:00 AM Monday | February 10 | 2:40 PM Monday | February 11 | 9:00 PM Film Screening: Waves

(Vlny, dir. by Jiří Mádl, 2024, 131 minutes)

Oscar shortlisted film about the role of media in bringing the scent of democracy into 1968 Czechoslovakia.

#### Santa Barbara International Film Festival

https://sbiff.org/

#### Saturday | February 8 | 4:00 PM Film: Our Lovely Pig Slaughter

(Mord, Dir. Adam Martinec, 2024)
Yearly family gathering for a pig-killing where - amidst celebrations - underlying tensions and secrets surface.
Organized by SVU-LA and Czech Consulate General
RSVP at: CzechConsulateLA@gmail.com

#### **Crescent Theater**

100 N Crescent Drive, Beverly Hills, CA 90210

Consulate General of the Czech Republic in Los Angeles 10990 Wilshire Blvd. Suite 1100 -1120, Los Angeles, CA 90024.

# Sunday | February 9 | 11:00 AM Puppet Show: Kája se bojí do školy

Puppet Theatre Lolo presents the Czech-language play https://www.zeffy.com/ticketing/divadlo-loutek-kouzelna-aktovka Organized by Czech School Los Angeles

#### St. Andrew's Lutheran Church

11555 National Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90064 www.czechschoollosangeles.com

# Tuesday | February 11 | 5:00 PM Thursday | February 13 | 9:20 PM Film Screening: Our Lovely Pig Slaughter

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# Thursday | February 13 | 8:00 PM Music: Schoenberg at 150 Festival

The Ravel's joyful Concerto in G, and Brahms quartet lovingly orchestrated by Arnold Schonberg, Austrian-born composer and Czechoslovak citizen turned Angeleno.

#### **Walt Disney Concert Hall**

111 S Crand Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90012

#### Wednesday | February 19 | to | Sunday | March 9 Music: Gustav Mahler Festival

An exploration of monumental music of Czech-born Gustav Mahler. Six different events present also works of Mahler's first wife Alma, who - as a Czechoslovak citizen - lived in WWII exile with her then husband Czech-German writer Franz Werfel.

#### Various venues: www.laphil.com

# Saturday | February 22 | 6:00 PM Art: Graphic Minimal Abstraction

Czech painter Maxim Havlíček in a group exhibition. Exhibition is on view from February 5 to March 21

#### **Coastline Art Gallery**

1515 Monrovia Avenue, Newport Beach, CA 92663