



# New Year's Eve in FERRARA

We love it!

**28** December  
at 20.30

**29** December  
at 16.00

## The Nutcracker

**Teatro Comunale Claudio Abbado**

Love, dream and fantasy for one of the most fascinating ballets in the history of ballet. The enchanting sets of the Ballet of the National Opera House of Romania make the spectator share in Hoffmann's fairy tale itself.

**29** December  
from 16.00 to 17.30

## Un vagito nella notte, musical by Carlo Tedeschi

**Sala Estense**

The Living Crib is transformed into an exciting musical in which songs, dances and music come together, involving the spectators in the evocative atmosphere of the first living crib conceived in 1223 by St Francis in the village of Greccio.

**29** December  
at 21.00

## Christmas Singing Barbershop Style

**Sala Estense**

Top Italian quartets and the Project-B choir will perform the most famous Christmas melodies in a barbershop-style a cappella concert by the Wunderkammer Consortium.

**30** December  
at 21.00

## Souvenir de Noel. Christmas revivals from the 50s, swing, latin bossa and blues

**Sala Estense**

A truly festive time with Christmas renditions of American standards from the 1950s - swing, latin bossa and blues - re-arranged in unusual and very special versions.

**30** December  
at 20.30

**31** December  
at 17.00

## The Black Blues Brothers

**Teatro Comunale Claudio Abbado**

In an elegant Cotton Club-style venue, following the whims of a whimsical vintage radio playing rhythm'n'blues music, the bartender and caretakers are transformed into tightrope walkers, flag-wavers, jumpers and fire acrobats. Every prop becomes an instrument for breathtaking acrobatics and constant audience involvement.

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**31**  
December  
from 22.00

## Waiting for New Year's Eve with Radio 105 and the Fire of Castello Estense

### Piazza Castello and Castello Estense

On 31 December, **Radio 105** - for the first time **Radio Partner of New Year's Eve in Ferrara** - will light up Piazza Castello before and after the fireworks display with music and entertainment. **With a DJ set by Radio 105, entertainment by the station's presenter Dario Micolani, and the engaging 'SHAKE HIT' format**, the atmosphere will be one of great celebration. At 11.55 pm the countdown will introduce the spectacular **Fire of the Castle**: a kaleidoscope of colours and an explosion of sounds and fireworks will create a unique atmosphere, lighting up the sky of Ferrara to the rhythm of an unforgettable soundtrack.

**31**  
December  
at 20.00

## New Year's Eve Grand Gala

### Ridotto del Teatro Comunale

An elegant gala dinner in the splendid setting of the Ridotto of the 'Claudio Abbado' Municipal Theatre in Ferrara, with live music.

**1**  
January  
at 16.30

## New Year Concert by the Gino Neri Plectrum Orchestra

### Teatro Claudio Abbado di Ferrara

The traditional New Year's Concert of the Orchestra a Plectro Gino Neri returns to Ferrara's atmospheric Teatro Comunale 'Claudio Abbado'. A unique programme, conducted by Maestros Francesco Zamorani and Pierclaudio Fei, will range from classics such as Carmen by Bizet and Strauss to special tributes and famous melodies. Guest singer Rachele Amore.

**6**  
January  
from 14.30 to 18.30

## Here comes the Befana

### Ferrara Winter Park, Parco M. Coletta

Amidst the stars and twinkling lights, the Befana brings her magic to the Winter Park! Young and old will find a skating rink, free attractions for the whole family, children's shows, food and drink area and lots of fun.

until  
**6**  
January

## Santa Claus and the Befana Village

### Piazza Municipio

The Contrada Rione San Paolo is once again proposing 'Il Paese di Babbo Natale e la Befana in Piazza', the Christmas village for adults and children that will be held on Saturdays, Sundays and other public holidays until 6 January and from 3pm to 8.30pm.

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**NEW YEAR'S PARTY 2025**  
Ferrara - 31 December 2024 / 01 January 2025

## Programme of the event

- **From approx. 20:00 to 21:00** it is not possible to stay inside the public performance area for security checks (see next page)
- **21:00** Opening of Entrances
- **22:00** Waiting for New Year's Eve with Radio 105
- **23:00** SHAKE IT by Radio 105
- **23:55** Countdown
- **00:00** Firework of Castello Estense
- **00:20** New Year's Eve with Radio 105
- **02:00** End of entertainment

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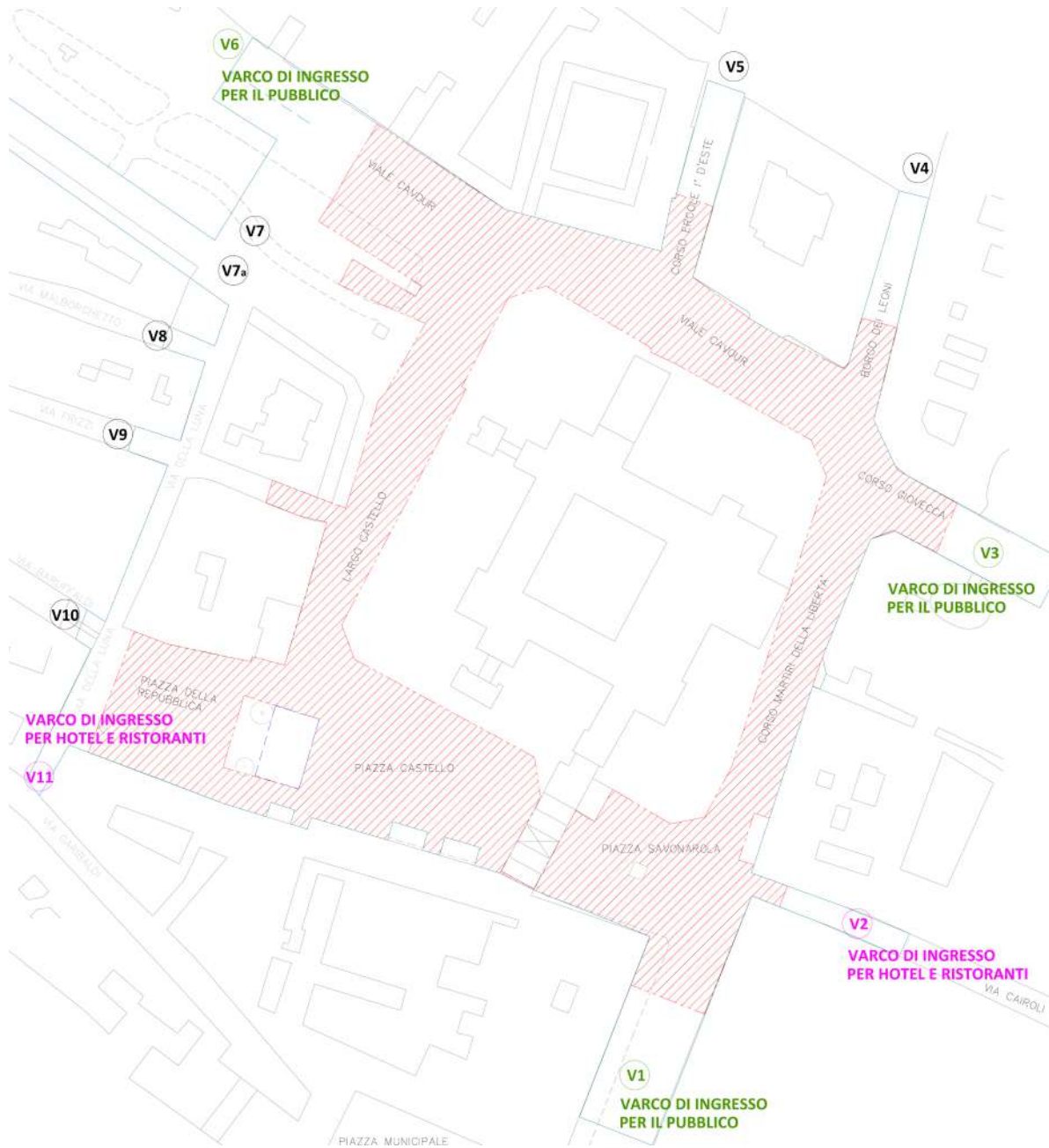
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## ENTRANCE

### 3 entrances for the spectators

- **Corso Martiri della Libertà:** entrance, information point (camper van), pushchair depot
- **Viale Cavour:** entrance, information point (camper van), pushchair depot
- **Corso della Giovecca:** entrance, pushchair depot

### 2 admissions only for guests of accommodation and restaurants

- **Entrance in Via della Luna:** recommended to reach activities in Piazza Castello, Piazza della Repubblica, Largo Castello, Giardini 20-29 May 2012, Via della Luna, Viale Cavour, pram deposit
- **Entrance in Via Cairoli:** recommended to reach activities in Piazza Savonarola, Corso Martiri della Libertà, Via Cairoli, Via Borgo dei Leoni, Viale Cavour, pram deposit

**Note:** admission for guests of the Gran Galà di Capodanno at the Ridotto of the Teatro Comunale di Ferrara will be communicated by the organisers. Guests of accommodation facilities will receive a special bracelet to be shown at the reserved entrances in Via della Luna and Via Cairoli.

## AREA FOR DISABLED PEOPLE

Equipped with a dedicated chemical toilet at:

- Corso Martiri della Libertà at the corner with Via Cairoli
- Viale Cavour in front of the Chamber of Commerce of Ferrara and Ravenna

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## PRAMS

### Repository for the audience

Prams can be deposited at the following entrances reserved for the public:

- Corso Martiri della Libertà entrance
- Viale Cavour entrance
- Corso della Giovecca entrance

### Deposit only for guests of accommodation and restaurants

Users of accommodations and restaurants may deposit pushchairs at the following reserved entrances:

- Via della Luna entrance
- Via Cairoli entrance

**Please note:** All entrances are subject to security controls. **Entrance is free** of charge until capacity is reached.

Despite the extensive controls and video surveillance throughout the public performance area, all participants are advised to pay particular attention to valuables and precious objects.

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## WHAT I CAN/CANNOT BRING

For security reasons, please do not report to access controls with the listed items, as confiscated items may not be returned.



**NO BOTTIGLIE E LATTINE**  
**NO BOTTLES AND CANS**



**NO BICCHIERI DI VETRO**  
**NO GLASSES**



**NO BOMBOLETTE**  
**NO GAS CANISTERS**



**NO OMBRELLI**  
**NO UMBRELLAS**



**NO ASTE RIGIDE**  
**NO POLES**



**NO SELFIE STICK**



**NO UTENSILI**  
**NO TOOLS**



**NO FUOCHI D'ARTIFICIO/FUMOGENI**  
**NO FIREWORKS/FLARES**



**NO ARMI**  
**NO WEAPONS**



**NO CASCHI**  
**NO HELMETS**



**NO VALIGIE E BORSE DI GRANDI DIMENSIONI**  
**NO SUITCASES AND LARGE BAGS**

**SONO INOLTRE**  
**VIETATI TUTTI GLI**  
**ALTRI OGGETTI ATTI**  
**AD OFFENDERE**  
**NO OBJECTS WHICH**  
**MAY CAUSE INJURIES**

Please note: the list may be subject to changes and/or additions due to Public Order provisions or changes in conditions.



**A TUTELA DELLA COMUNE INCOLUMITA'**  
**SONO PREDISPOSTI CONTROLLI ALL'ENTRATA**  
**DELLA STRUTTURA EFFETTUATI DAL**  
**PERSONALE IN SERVIZIO**  
**CONTROLS AT THE GATES ARE PROVIDED TO**  
**PROTECT PUBLIC SAFETY**

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## IT IS ABSOLUTELY FORBIDDEN TO ENTER WITH

- **LARGE SUITCASES, BAGS AND BACKPACKS (OVER 20 X 20 X 35 CM)**
- **WATER BOTTLES**
- **HARD RODS AND SELFIE STICKS**
- SPRAY CANS OF ANY KIND, INCLUDING DEODORANTS
- SOUND TRUMPETS
- HELMETS
- UMBRELLAS, STICKS, SKATEBOARDS, BICYCLES, SCOOTERS, HOVERBOARDS
- CHAIRS AND STOOLS
- PRAMS
- GLASS BOTTLES CONTAINING LIQUIDS AND GLASS OBJECTS
- ALUMINIUM CANS
- DRUGS AND NARCOTIC SUBSTANCES
- ANIMALS OF ANY SIZE AND/OR ON CARRIERS, BAGS
- WEAPONS, KNIVES AND SHARP OBJECTS
- TOOLS
- DRONES AND LASERS
- FIREWORKS, SMOKE BOMBS, CHINESE LANTERNS, TORCHES AND PYROTECHNIC GAMES
- FLAMMABLE MATERIAL
- OFFENSIVE CLOTHING AND BANNERS
- FLYERS, POSTERS AND ADVERTISING MATERIAL WITHOUT WRITTEN AUTHORISATION FROM THE ORGANISERS
- ANY OBJECT DEEMED POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS BY SECURITY PERSONNEL

**The organiser accepts no liability for damage or theft.**

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