

150 Years
Völklinger Hütte

PROGRAM 2023/2024

DRY GAS PURIFICATION PLANT II
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
FOR THE FIRST TIME
ON NOVEMBER 26, 2023!

NEW SINTER COOLING PATH
THE DISCOVERY TRAIL
IS OPENING ALREADY
ON JULY 2, 2023



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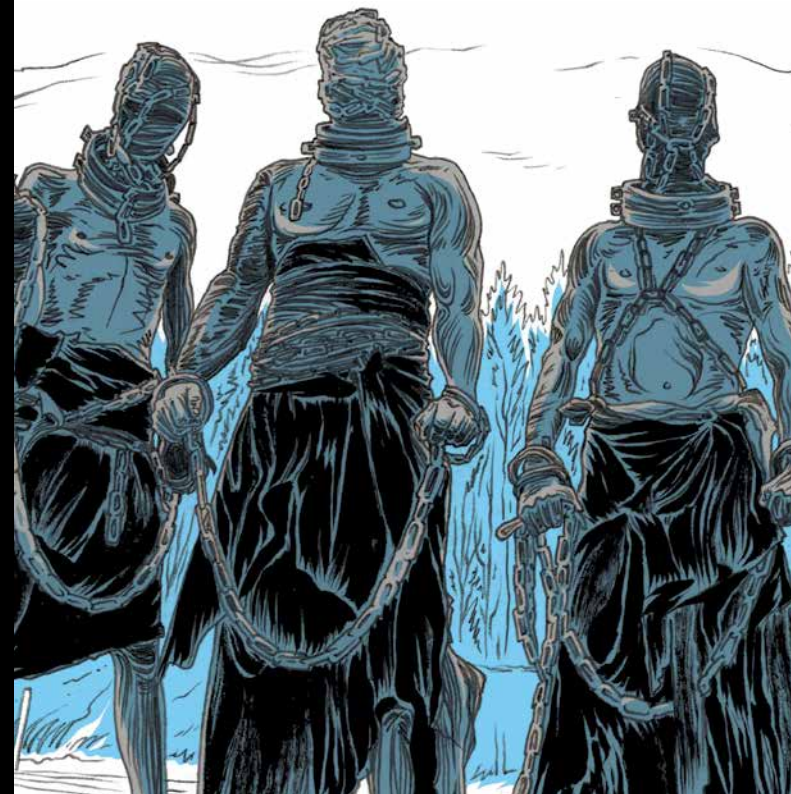
Völklinger Ironworks
World Heritage since 1994



DECEMBER 11, 2022
SEPTEMBER 3, 2023
JULIAN ROSEFELDT
WHEN WE ARE GONE

BLOWER HALL AND
COMPRESSOR HALL

EUPHORIA, the acclaimed new film installation by Julian Rosefeldt that is having its institutional European premiere at the World Heritage Site Völklinger Hütte, is at the core of a major retrospective of the work of the Berlin-based artist who is known internationally for his visually opulent and beautifully choreographed film installations.



APRIL 16, 2023
NOVEMBER 26, 2023
JENS HARDER
THE STORY OF PLANET A
14 Billion Years of Earth History
in Comic

ORE HALL

From the Big Bang to the distant future: Jens Harder tells the story of our planet in an impressive comic trilogy. His award-winning pictorial history can now be experienced, for the first time in Germany and Europe, as a complete exhibition at the World Heritage Site Völklinger Hütte, this unique monument to industrialisation and the man-made age.

JULY 2, 2023
AUGUST 27, 2028
MOTION POWERS
HISTORY

WATER RESERVOIR

The first exhibition in the historic water reservoir of 1917/1918, which is accessible via the bridge opposite the dust wall until the end of September, opens up numerous new perspectives on the flow of raw materials, people and products that made the history of the Völklingen Ironworks possible. The centerpiece of the show is a film projection that brings together all thematic strands.



AUGUST 27, 2023
SEPTEMBER 28, 2025
RÉMY MARKOWITSCH
WE ALL (EXCEPT
THE OTHERS)

SUSPENSION RAILWAY WORKSHOP

Swiss artist Rémy Markowitsch is creating an artistic installation for the World Heritage Site that rediscovers and condenses key themes and significant places from the history of the Völklingen Ironworks: from the slag heaps with the overburden of the works to the Röchling family's expansive ceiling fresco in the Church of Reconciliation to today's car park, formerly the site of the coal by-product plant.



SEPTEMBER 1–17, 2023
1200°
MUSIC THEATRE ART
Transdisciplinary project days in situ
OUTDOOR AREA WORLD HERITAGE SITE

The cooperation project with the Saarland State Theatre presents crossover works created especially for the location of the ironworks that including an installation performance by Heiner Goebbels at the coal ramming machine. Wind groups, percussionists and actors from the Saarland State Theatre will perform at the foot of the blast furnace group in the arena of the World Heritage Site in an innovative and intensive manner.



OCTOBER 1, 2023
OPENING OF THE NEW
ENTRANCE BUILDING
Development of the water reservoir and pump house with visitor walkway to the blower hall

WATER RESERVOIR

The water reservoir not only makes a representative and contemporary entrance area with checkout, shop and café. Along with the pump house and upper floors of the reservoir, rooms of industrial as well as historical significance and a unique architectural promenade to the blower hall are also opened up to visitors.

OCTOBER 15, 2023
AUGUST 18, 2024
GERMAN CINEMA
1895 to the present day

BLOWER HALL AND
COMPRESSOR HALL

For the first time ever, the exhibition by the World Heritage Site Völklinger Hütte and Deutsche Kinemathek Berlin is providing a comprehensive overview and immersive insight into German cinema from 1895 to the present day. A film studio and cinema in the compressor hall round off the elaborate and atmospherically dense panorama of films, photos, posters, contemporary documents, camera equipment and costumes.



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