

Alameda Open Air Theatre

Situated in the Botanical Gardens, which date from 1816, this Theatre has seating for 400 persons in a magically beautiful setting complete with mini lake and luscious tropical plants. It is the ideal open venue for ballet, concerts, musicals and shows in the late spring and summer months.

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Art Centre

Opened in 1981 at Prince Edward's Road, it runs art classes, serves as an exhibition area and also includes its own art collection. The Gibraltar Academy of Dance also uses the venue.

Contact Tel: 20079788

Bayside School Drama Studio

Well equipped and with seating for 120, the Drama Studio is used regularly by schools and amateur drama groups ideal for theatre in the round and dance/drama productions.

Contact: Head teacher
Bayside Comprehensive School
Bayside Road
Tel: 20074525 / 20074500 - Fax: 20072428

Bayside Sports Complex

Apart from being used for sporting events, the complex has also been used as a venue for pageants, shows and concerts. In recent years it has been the venue for very important concerts by, e.g. Carlos Santana, Jose Carreras and Sir Elton John.

Contact: CEO
Sport & Leisure Authority
1 Bayside Road
Tel: 20078904 - Fax: 20042749

Cathedral of St Mary the Crowned

The present Catholic Cathedral built in the Gothic style in the reign of Queen Isabella of Castille in 1502 was originally the main mosque in the Middle Ages. Its acoustics are perfect for concerts, chamber music ensembles and choirs.

Contact: Administrator
Cathedral of St Mary the Crowned
215 Main Street
Tel: 20076688 - Fax: 20043112

Central Hall

Previously the South Barracks Chapel, the recently refurbished hall regularly holds receptions, shows and sequence dancing.

Contact: Ministry of Culture
310 Main Street
Gibraltar
Tel: 20048063
Email: minculture@gibtelecom.net

Convent Ballroom

Originally part of a Franciscan Friary and Church completed in 1531, the Convent is the official residence of the Governor of Gibraltar. The stately ballroom dating from the reign of Queen Victoria and which has seating for 155 persons, is the perfect setting for many concerts and has a Boston Grand Piano. Bookings are by kind permission of his Excellency the Governor.

Contact: A.D.C. to His Excellency the Governor
The Convent
Main Street
Tel: 20053497

Permission for the use of the Boston Grand Piano has to be sought from the Ministry of Culture.

Gibraltar Garrison Library

A fine Georgian building dating from 1804 and established by Col Drinkwater "for the benefit of Military and Civilian Officers of the Garrison". Many concerts and poetry readings are held during the year. It also contains a fine collection of historical books on Gibraltar, which is available for serious research.

Contact: Secretary
Gibraltar Garrison Library Committee
Governor's Parade
Tel: 20077418

Gibraltar Museum

Opened in 1930, the Museum contains a vast display of exhibits and includes, within its complex, Moorish Baths dating to the early 14th century. It has many important paintings in its collection and its Gustavo Bacarissas Gallery, commemorating Gibraltar's most acclaimed artist.

Contact: Gibraltar Museum
18/20 Bomb House Lane
Tel: 20074289 - Fax: 20079158
E-mail: enquiries@museum.gib.gi
www.gib.gi/museum

Grand Casemates Square

One of the oldest squares in Gibraltar, dating back to 1160 and still used as a parade ground. It has served as a traditional venue for the Ceremony of the Keys, the National Day Festivities and many other events. It has been extensively refurbished to bring it to its former glory and is now one of the main social meeting places with restaurants, bars, shops, arcades and art and other galleries.

Contact: Land Property Services
Leanse Place
Town Range
Tel: 20040200

Holy Trinity Cathedral

Built in the Moorish style and consecrated in 1838 in the presence of the Dowager Queen Adelaide, it is also used for organ recitals and concerts of popular and classical music.

Contact: The Very Revd. Dean of Gibraltar
The Deanery
Bomb House Lane
Tel: 20078377 - Fax: 20078463

House of Sacarello

A traditional coffee house on two levels situated in the Old Town, it is a popular venue for exhibitions, poetry readings and café theatre.

Contact: The House of Sacarello
Irish Town - Tel: 20070625

Ince's Hall Theatre

Originally the Garrison Armoury built in 1742. The recently refurbished theatre seats 390 persons and is used regularly for shows, concerts and plays.

Contact: Ministry of Culture
310, Main Street
Tel. 20041687 / 20040687 - Fax: 20052589
Email: minculture@gibtelecom.net

John Mackintosh Hall

One of Gibraltar's main cultural centres was built in 1964 and includes within its complex, a theatre with seating for 420 persons, three exhibition galleries, a lending and reference library, cafeteria, information office and six conference and meeting rooms.

Contact: Director
John Mackintosh Hall
308 Main Street
Tel: 20075669 - Fax: 20040843
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John Mackintosh Square

Right in the centre of the old town and dating from the 14th century, its name has changed over the years from Plaza Mayor, Commercial Square, El Martillo and now the John Mackintosh Square. Many open-air concerts, dance shows and band displays are held here.

Contact: No 6 Convent Place
Tel: 20051740 – Fax: 20074524

King's Chapel

Built by Franciscan monks in the first half of the 15th century, this remnant of a once substantial monastery church is ideal for small concerts and for chamber music.

Contact: King's Chapel
Main Street
Tel: 20054370 - Fax: 20078581

Sacred Heart Church

This church, built in the Gothic style in 1874 is situated in the upper town and its magnificent acoustics make it very suitable for classical concerts.

Contact: Parish Priest
3 Lime Kiln Road
Tel: 20073709

St. Michael's Cave

First recorded by the 1st century AD Roman writer, Pomponius Mela, this incredibly beautiful cave, located in the Upper Rock, is admired every year by thousands of visitors. Its Cathedral cave with seating for 400 persons has perfect acoustics and makes a unique setting for concerts, ballet and drama.

Contact: Gibraltar Tourist Board
Duke of Kent House
Cathedral Square
Tel: 20074950 - Fax: 20074943
Email: tourism@gibraltar.gi

Westside School Drama Studio

This well equipped drama studio is used extensively for drama workshops and plays.

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