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A BIGGER AND BETTER CALENTITA NIGHT

The Ministry of Culture has been working closely with the 'Word of Mouth' production company in order to provide a more entertaining programme for 'Calentita Night.' This year's gastronomy festival will be held on Saturday 22nd June, starting at 8pm.

In line with a manifesto commitment to improve the event, this year's festivalgoers can expect a variety of spectacular entertainments rather than a programme which focusses largely on a fireworks display.

After listening to people's comments, the organisers have guaranteed that this year's event will be much bigger and better. This year's changes include:

- Moving the event from Friday to Saturday in order to allow our local Jewish Community to participate
- Extending the event into Market Place which will have its own full programme of entertainment
- Providing an Aerial and Musical Spectacular
- Increasing the number of tents from 23 to 31.
- Providing a Long Table in Market Place to seat 100 people
- Providing extra tables, benches and chairs in Market Place for the elderly and wheelchair users.
- Providing an Arts and Crafts market

The evening's programme will be as follows:

On the Casemates Square Stage:

21.00 - Dance Performance Urban Dance

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22.30 – Aerial and Musical Spectacular by Art in Movement

23.15 - Performance by Mediterranean Andalusian Orchestra, 'Ashkelon'

On the Market Place Stage:

- 19.30 Jazz Band
- 21.00 Gibraltar Fringe Act Baloonatic and Poetry Recital
- 21.30 Gibraltar Fringe Act Mr Lo's Paper Show
- 23.00 Poetry Recital

Note to Editors:

This year's organisers have released a short film designed to show off the contrast between the fast pace at which we live our lives and the fact that Gibraltarians inevitably slow down to enjoy their breakfast, lunch and dinner.

'Live Fast, Eat Slow' was filmed by local photographer Leo Hayes in and around Gibraltar in 30 different locations over 17 Days. It can be viewed at: www.calentita.gi