

Welcome to our Dacha, a rural summer idyll with a kitchen stocked full of vodka, hot tea and snacks. Our Russian country household lives into life in the year of 1917 through the eyes of the Popov family dacha in Vyritsa, several hours outside Petrograd.

## Saturday 17 June Spring 1917

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12.00 - 12.30

### Morning Games

Join the Dacha family as they open the Dacha for the weekend

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12.30 - 13.15 - LIVE MUSIC

### Iryna Muha

Ukrainian songstress Iryna Muha beguiles us with some classic ballads and folk songs.

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13:15 - 14:00

### Afternoon Games

Time for a sip from the samovar, conversation and games

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14:00 - 16:00 - LIVE THEATRE

### New Plays - E15 Acting School

Premiere of 3 new plays inspired by the vibrant culture & political turmoil of the Soviet century and brought to life by 3 young directors and an acting company from E15 Acting School:

- *Gorbachev* (dir. Lewis Frost);
- *Her Lover and Four People* (dir. Daniela Atienca);
- *Witness* (dir. Selena Lu)

## Sunday 18 June Spring 1917

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12.00 - 14.00

### Morning Games

Join the Dacha family for their ritual of tea, snacks, games and conversation

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14.00 - 14.45 - LIVE MUSIC

### Sasha Ilyukevich

Belarusian troubadour sings songs inspired by the lush poetry of the silver age.

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15.00 - 15.45 - LIVE STORYTELLING

### The Forbidden Path

A performance feast from storyteller **Rachel Rose Reid** - Russian wondertales from deep in the forest. All ages welcome

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16.00-17.00

### Afternoon Games

Card games around the table, conversation and a sip from the samovar

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17.00-18.00

### Sasha Ilyukevich - LIVE MUSIC

More music from Sasha Ilyukevich (see above)



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