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World-famous opera star Anna Netrebko fulfils
“childhood dream” with visit to Friedrichstadt-Palast

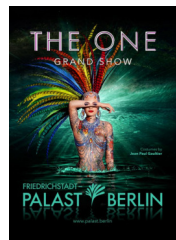
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@Anna Netrebko | Instagram

Anna Netrebko is an absolute star of e-culture. In 2007, she became the first classical musician to make it onto TIME magazine’s ‘TIME 100’ list of the world’s most influential people. In 2014, she performed during the opening ceremony of the Winter Olympics in Sochi. The world-famous operatic soprano has now been to see THE ONE Grand Show at the Friedrichstadt-Palast.

By the dernière on 5 July, more than 800,000 guests will have seen the brilliantly artistic show featuring extravagant costumes by Jean Paul GAULTIER, the maestro of Parisian haute couture. This figure now also includes the award-winning opera singer, Anna Netrebko, who was named Best Female Singer at the 2017 International Opera Awards, received a Bambi in the classical music category and is the nine times winner of an ECHO Klassik award.

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In four Instagram posts about her visit with a total of 40,000 'Likes', she writes that seeing a show at the Friedrichstadt-Palast meant that "a childhood dream came through". Netrebko adds four clapping emojis and three rose emojis at the end of another post to express her enthusiasm, raving: "Spectacular show at Friedrichstadt-Palast." She describes the Palast's renowned hallmark chorus line quite simply as a "triumph of art".

Check out her four Instagram posts here:

1. www.instagram.com/p/BkOTjDeASmz/?taken-by=anna_netrebko_yusi_tiago
2. www.instagram.com/p/BkOUAzPgzCX/?taken-by=anna_netrebko_yusi_tiago
3. www.instagram.com/p/BkOS50lgvm/?taken-by=anna_netrebko_yusi_tiago
4. www.instagram.com/p/BkPsHzZAKFy/?taken-by=anna_netrebko_yusi_tiago

Catch the Russian singer at the Berlin State Opera until 2 July where she is performing in the role of Lady Macbeth alongside Plácido Domingo in Verdi's Macbeth. The premiere received enthusiastic reviews from guests and media alike.

General Director Dr. Berndt Schmidt said of the prima donna's unexpected visit: "Netrebko came unannounced – as a world star incognito, so to speak. We only learned of her visit afterwards, through her Instagram posts. Such enthusiastic praise from this superstar of e-culture is a real honour for our art and our Palast. Bol'shoye spasibo, Anna Netrebko!"

THE ONE Grand Show has already broken all previous Palast records in terms of the ticket sales, capacity utilisation and number of guests. This nationally and internationally acclaimed production can now only be seen up until 5 July. The curtain will then close on THE ONE Grand Show for good.

Information on THE ONE Grand Show: www.palast.berlin/en/THEONE

Show images to download: www.palast.berlin/en/info/press/photos-logos/

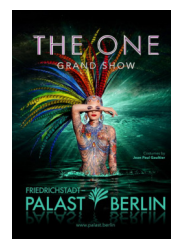
Show trailer (1 minute): www.youtube.com/watch?v=2ia3xVODr5M

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