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## **Premiere for 'KULTUR trifft NATUR – Klassik': A cultural event that combines alpine scenery and classical music**

*Kufsteinerland, Tyrol* – On 1 May 2026, a new cultural event series called "KULTUR trifft NATUR - Klassik" will launch in Kufsteinerland. Between 11:00 and 15:00, four alpine huts on the Erlberg will be transformed into concert stages, offering a fresh perspective on classical music in the Alpine region.

The premiere is conceived as the **kick-off to a long-term series**. The aim is to establish a recurring format that **deliberately positions cultural content outside traditional performance venues**, whilst treating the landscape as an integral part of the experience.

With its Festspielhaus and Passionsspielhaus, the municipality of Erl has for years been a central cultural hub in Kufsteinerland. "KULTUR trifft NATUR" expands this profile towards the landscape and deliberately shifts musical performances into the Alpine region.

**Spitzsteinhaus, Moosbauer, Stoana Alm** and **Altkaser Alm** serve as decentralised venues. The programme follows a clear structure: **three concert cycles per location** make it possible to connect the individual venues on foot. The movement between the venues thus becomes part of the dramaturgy.

**The focus is on young musicians and small ensembles.** Performers include **Kufstein-based guitarist Maximilian Wörter, saxophonist Anna Nalter, the Edoné Quartet** (flute) and the Duo Mona with **Mona Milota** and **Mona Hochschwarzer** (violin/viola). The programmes range from Baroque works to contemporary compositions.

To complement the concert programme, **guided walks** are offered, which deliberately integrate the experience of nature into the programme. The combination of landscape appreciation and musical listening forms a central element of the format. Participation in the walks and use of a shuttle bus from Kufstein or the Festspielhaus Erl is free of charge, but requires a booking.

With "KULTUR trifft NATUR - Klassik", the Tourismusverband Kufsteinerland is taking a further step in developing its cultural profile as a year-round destination. The event combines existing cultural expertise with new, accessible approaches whilst simultaneously opening up new spatial perspectives for cultural formats.

### **KULTUR trifft NATUR - Klassik – Open-air concert series**

- 2026 May, 1st, 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
- Concert times: 11:15 a.m. / 12:45 a.m. / 2:15 p.m.
- Venues: Spitzsteinhaus, Moosbauer, Stoana Alm, Altkaser Alm (Erlberg, Erl)

### **Access:**

- Concerts freely accessible, no registration required
- Guided hikes free of charge, registration required
- Event bus from Kufstein / Festspielhaus Erl free of charge, registration required
- Registration at [kufstein.com](http://kufstein.com); email [info@kufstein.com](mailto:info@kufstein.com), telephone: +43 5372 62207

## Artists and ensembles



### **Anna Nalter (saxophone)**

Anna Nalter is an Austrian saxophonist who studied at the Tyrolean State Conservatory and the Mozarteum in Innsbruck under Michael Krenn. She currently lives in Zurich and is completing her master's degree in Lars Mlekusch's class. Her repertoire ranges from Baroque transcriptions to original contemporary works for the saxophone.



### **Edoné-Quartett (flute)**

The Edoné Quartet comprises flutists Selina, Hanna, Katharina and Laetitia, who formed the group in 2023 whilst studying at the Tyrolean State Conservatory and the Mozarteum under Prof. DI Michael Cede. The ensemble is a prize-winner at the 'Prima la Musica' competition and the 2025 International Friedrich Kuhlau Flute Competition. As scholarship holders of *Live Music Now*, the quartet is also actively involved in social initiatives. Their diverse repertoire ranges from Baroque works and contemporary avant-garde to popular music and Latin American tangos.



### **Duo Mona (violin)**

The Duo Mona, comprising violinists Mona Milota and Mona Hochschwarzer, was formed whilst they were studying at the University of Music and Performing Arts Vienna. Both musicians are actively involved in a wide range of concert, orchestral and chamber music projects, combining artistic excellence with a commitment to teaching. Mona Hochschwarzer is also a prize-winner of the 2025 Spezzaferri International Music Competition. The duo performs a broad repertoire for two violins and viola, impressing audiences with their technical precision and a shared musical style.

### **Maximilian Wörter (guitar)**

Maximilian Wörter is a classical guitarist from Kufstein. He is studying classical guitar at the University of Music and Performing Arts Vienna in the class of Mag. Nejc Kuhar, as well as at the Tyrolean State Conservatory under Mag. Daniel Müller. In 2026, he won first prize at the international 'Milan Music Competition'. His artistic focus lies particularly on the music of the Classical and Romantic periods.

## **Venues at Elerberg**

### **Spitzsteinhaus**

The Spitzsteinhaus is situated at an altitude of 1,252 metres and boasts a panoramic view of the Hohe Tauern mountains. The hut features a cosy dining room with a tiled stove and specialises in hosting club outings and seminars. The kitchen focuses on locally sourced organic produce: specialities include cheese dumplings, roast pork with crackling and Kaiserschmarrn.

Webseite: <https://www.spitzsteinhaus.info/>

### **Alpengasthof Moosbauer**

Situated in a peaceful, secluded spot at an altitude of 1,000 metres, the Alpengasthof Moosbauer offers an ideal retreat for lovers of nature and culture. The Tyrolean-style dining rooms and sheltered sun terrace invite guests to linger, whilst the on-site playground appeals to families. Thanks to its proximity to the Tyrolean Festival, the inn combines a mountain idyll with cultural experiences.

Webseite: <https://www.moosbauer.info/>

### **Stoana Alm**

Situated at an altitude of 1,055 metres on the Bavarian border, the Stoana Alm is a popular destination for hikers and cyclists. The terrace offers panoramic views stretching from the Kaiser Mountains to the Zillertal Alps. The Alm focuses on regional cuisine: alongside its legendary snacks featuring hay-fed milk cheese, it serves homemade cakes and game dishes from its own hunt.

Webseite: <https://www.kufstein.com/de/infrastruktur.html#/pois/KUF/4764e06a-6fa4-4c3c-899d-08fe9f5e03ac>

### **Altkaser Alm**

The Altkaser Alm is situated at an altitude of 1,279 metres, directly above the Spitzsteinhaus, and is renowned for its sweeping views of the sunset over the Kaiser Mountains. The Alm is a family-friendly stopover offering hot meals throughout the day and an e-bike charging station. The summit of the Spitzstein can be reached from here in around 45 minutes.

Webseite: <https://www.kufstein.com/de/infrastruktur.html#/pois/KUF/933b09eb-748f-4a15-859a-ce2330f9b6d2>

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**Image 02:** Edoné Quartet with flutists Selina, Hanna, Katharina and Laetitia, © Edoné Quartet

**Image 03:** Mona Milota and Mona Hochschwarzer (violin and viola) form the Duo Mona, © Duo Mona



**Image 04:** The panoramic view, with the Kaiser Mountains in the background, opens up at Erlerberg during the hut-to-hut hike, © TVB Kufsteinerland



**Image 05:** Above the Stoana Alm on the way to the Spitzsteinhaus, © TVB Kufsteinerland

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