

# Welcome to Hagadagen 21 May



## Experience Hagaparken in new ways on the Day of Hagaparken

Hagadagen has activities for people of all ages. There will be song and music, cultural events, bees and flowers, guided tours. Special program for kids. Most of the activities are in Swedish.

This year we celebrate The Day of Green Wedges (Gröna kilarnas dag) as part Hagadagen.

Hagaparken is situated just north of Stockholm and can be reached by bus 515 from Odenplan to Haga Södra and Haga Norra. You can also take bus 2 and 57 to Haga Södra and walk through the park to Koppartälten where most of our activities take place. The walk takes some 30 minutes.

Hagadagen is arranged by Haga-Brunnsvikens Vänner that work to preserve the Hagapark region, [haga-brunnsviken.org](http://haga-brunnsviken.org)

## Fun for the kids

Most of the activities for the children takes place outside or in Koppartälten in Hagaparken. One event is at Ekotemplet (The echo temple) some 10 minutes from Koppartälten and one is at the southern entrance to Hagaparken near Wenner-Gren Centre (some 30 minutes from Koppartälten).

12.00-12.30 Sing-a-long in famous Swedish children's song. From 3 years. At Ekotemplet.

12.00-16.00 Get a makeup like a nobility at the King's court in the 18<sup>th</sup> century. Both girls and boys can get make-up and try the wigs the nobility wore. Outside Koppartälten.

12.00-16.00 Bee buzz. Try a bee-keepers hat and gown and test the smoke-puff machinery. Outside Koppartälten.

12.00-16.00 Kite workshop. Build your own kite from our beautiful posters. Or buy a Chinese kite. And FLY! Outside Koppartälten

13.30-14.30 Discover your own Hagapark – what do you want to say about it? Take part in a creative voyage of discovery to the nature, culture and history of Hagaparken. Start outside Koppartälten.



## Culture, music and nature

- 11.00-17.00 Haga Parkmuseum with the history, people and buildings in Hagaparken.
- 12.00-16.00 Quiz walk. What do you know about Hagaparken. Start outside Koppartälten
- 12.30-13.00 Keyed fiddle. Listen to beautiful fiddle music in Ekotemplet (the Echo Temple).
- 13.30-14.00 Schola Cantorum sing spring songs. Inside Koppartälten
- 13.00-13.30 Jazz music with Dankos Swinging Pack. Listen to great songs like: Take the "A" train , Georgia, Fly me to the moon , Sunny.
- 13.00-14.00 Guided tour to the cultural history of new, east Hagaparken. The unique English park that king Gustav III created in the 18<sup>th</sup> century.
- 13.30-14.00 Keyed fiddle. Listen to beautiful fiddle music. Outside Koppartälten.
- 14.00-15.30 King Gustav III in words and music. See below.
- 14.15-15.00 Jazz music with Dankos Swinging Pack. Listen to great songs like: Take the "A" train , Georgia, Fly me to the moon , Sunny.
- 14.30-15.30 Guided tour to the nature and culture in old, west Haga: "What the king wanted and what his architect did".

## King Gustav III in words and music

This year we observe the letters of King Gustav III and the music he listened to in the 18<sup>th</sup> century. He wrote his first letters at the age of 11. In Koppartälten you can listen to a performance with excerpts from his letters and music by JS Kraus, a German musician/composer who was employed by the king.

Time and place: 14.00-15.30 at Silvertältet in Hagaparken

## In Bellevue park by Wenner-Gren Centre

This year we have two activities in the Bellevue park. For the first time, we can show a city garden, Bellevue Farm, that is run by a group of people together.

- 12-16 the Carl Eldh Studio Museum. Public guided tour in English at 1.30 pm.
- 14-16 Citizen gardens and food park. Check out the new garden at Bellevue Farm at the entrance to Bellevue park by the train viaduct.
- 14-14.30 Learn how to make seed bombs that will make a meadow blossom. For kids.
- 15 Guided tour of the farm and information about the importance of city gardens in the urban environment.

## The Day of Green Wedges

This year we celebrate The Day of Green Wedges (Gröna kilarnas dag) as part of the Day of Hagaparken. There are ten green wedge-like structures that allow animals and plants to spread in the Stockholm area. It's important to preserve these green structures for biodiversity to spread.

- 10-12 Guided bike tour. We meet at Barkarby train station, south exit, at 10 and bike at a comfortable speed some 15 kilometres to Hagaparken.
- 13-14 Discussion about the importance of Green wedge-like structures for biodiversity.
- 12-16 Information booth outside Koppartälten.