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EURO 2024 FESTIVAL in the Host City Stuttgart: Free concerts and diverse program in the four Fan Zones

## UEFA EURO 2024 in Stuttgart: The highlights on July 6, 2024 with two quarterfinals, the UNIFIED-Football-Tournament and much more

*Stuttgart* - The battle for a spot in the semi-finals continues on July 6, 2024. With a late victory over Slovakia, England advanced to the quarter-finals of UEFA EURO 2024 and will now face Switzerland. Kick-off is at 6 p.m. in Düsseldorf. In the second quarter-final of the day, the Netherlands will face Turkey at 9 p.m. in Berlin. The Host City Stuttgart will broadcast both matches live on the Fan Zone Schlossplatz on two big screens - including a stadium-like atmosphere. There will also be an exciting supporting program throughout the day in the four Fan Zones Schlossplatz, Marktplatz, Karlsplatz and Schillerplatz - including performances by the clown duo Strange Comedy and the band RAHÍ on the Fan Zone Karlsplatz and the UNIFIED soccer tournament on the Fan Zone Marktplatz.

Good to know: All Fan Zones are open from 12 noon to midnight on July 6. Admission is free of charge. The full calendar of events can be found at <https://uefaeuro2024.stuttgart.de/en/program-euro-2024-festival/> (subject to change).

### The daily program of the EURO 2024 FESTIVAL Stuttgart on July 6:

#### FAN ZONE SCHLOSSPLATZ:

While the Fan Zone Schlossplatz attracts football fans with public viewing on match days, music fans in particular can look forward to a musical summer evening with an exuberant atmosphere on July 6. The Host City Stuttgart invites everyone to join in the fun in the open air.

From 4 p.m., the SWR DJs will get fans in the mood. There will also be various fan activities to make the time until kick-off fly by. For the physical well-being, 15 catering establishments will provide a wide range of culinary delights.

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**Program on the Fan Zone Schlossplatz on July 6 in detail:**

**12:00 noon:** Gates open

**4:00 p.m.:** SWR DJ

**6:00 p.m.:** Live broadcast of the match England - Switzerland

**9:00 p.m.:** Live broadcast of the match Netherlands - Turkey

**12:00 midnight.:** End of event

**A special eye-catcher and recommended photo hotspot:** The Rosenrondell (rose roundel) on Königstrasse is planted in the shape of the EURO Cup.

**Getting to the Fan Zone Schlossplatz:**

In principle, the following applies: Significant visitor numbers are expected in Stuttgart over the entire period until July 14, 2024. This will also affect traffic. In addition, there may be road closures on the main roads due to certain situations, which cannot be planned in advance. These will occur on an ad hoc basis in addition to the existing closures in the city center. The parking garages in the city center will not be accessible. There are a few parking spaces available outside the "Cityring".

After the matches (regardless of the Host City Stuttgart location), obstructions due to motorcades must be expected. This may result in temporary road closures, especially in the city center. Additional traffic obstructions are then expected.

It is therefore strongly recommended that you travel by public transport or bicycle.

The U6 subway line runs every ten minutes from the airport to the "Schlossplatz" station, the journey takes 30 minutes. Alternatively, you can take the S2 and S3 commuter rail lines to the main station. Travel time: 30 minutes.

The U5, U6, U7, U12 and U15 subway lines run from the main station to the "Schlossplatz" stop. The journey time is two minutes. The walk takes about ten minutes.

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## FAN ZONE MARKTPLATZ

The Fan Zone Marktplatz is once again a sporting venue today. With its soccer court and two gaming areas, the Fan Zone Marktplatz is the meeting place for all those who like to be active themselves. Tournaments, fan matches and a wide range of sports are presented on the soccer court. Visitors can also drop by for a spontaneous match.

### Program on the Fan Zone Markplatz on July 6 in detail:

- **All day:** Play in the two gaming areas. In the outdoor gaming area, action tools such as a Teqball table and the SUTU Wall can be tried out. In the indoor gaming area, there is a table football table and a Bolzbox (football box). EA Sports FC can also be played. In the Creator Studio, pictures are created that are reminiscent of an unforgettable fan day in the Host City Stuttgart.
- **10:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m.:** To mark the 175th anniversary of Diakonie Stetten e.V., 8 UNIFIED teams from all over Baden-Württemberg are playing their own little European championship. The UNIFIED soccer tournament will be accompanied by two sign language interpreters.

**Special eye-catchers:** The oversized soccer player, the large facade painting and the Giant Trophy in the town hall (opening hours: 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.). There will also be a social wall on the Fan Zone Marktplatz where unique fan impressions can be seen, which will be published on social media using the hashtag #hostcitystuttgart. Furthermore, there will be a fan make-up session in the Fan Zone Marktplatz.

### Getting to the Fan Zone Marktplatz

The walk from the "Stadtmitte" S-Bahn and U-Bahn stations or from the main railway station to the Fan Zone takes about 10 minutes.

## FAN ZONE KARLSPLATZ

The program of the Fan Zone Karlsplatz revolves around culture and music. On July 6, the clown duo Strange Comedy will take visitors into their comical and surreal world from 12:30 p.m. This will be followed by an event on the topic of "Climate protection with a knife and fork". Aspects such as the economic efficiency of food production, our food system and other issues will be discussed. In the evening, the band RAHĪ will create an amazing atmosphere for everyone.

Also worth a visit is the sustainability pavilion at Fan Zone Karlsplatz, which explains the various areas of sustainability and how they can be implemented in everyday life, thus contributing to education for sustainable development. And if you need a little break, the chill-out area with its comfortable seating is the place to be.

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**Program at the Fan Zone Karlsplatz on July 6 in detail:**

**12:30-2:30 p.m.:** Strange Comedy

Welcome to the uniquely funny and surreal world of the duo Strange Comedy. Shelly Mia Kastner and Jason McPherson play two hapless vaudeville performers trapped in a world where their show props have taken on a life of their own. Muppet-style costumes become uncontrollable and magic tricks go horribly wrong, leading to unforeseen situations as the two clowns try to survive in this cartoon world of disasters. Strange Comedy is best known for its crazy illusions, surprising acrobatics and hilarious and endearing clowning.

**2:30-3:30p.m.:** Eat the rainbow - climate protection with knife and fork

Answers to the question of the economic efficiency of our food production and our food problem. It also talks about the use of resources and the influence of each individual.

**7:00-8:00p.m.:** Rahî

"It's not easy to feel at home between two chairs - Man, we stack them and sit on both.". This line from the band RAHÎ's song "Xerîbim" sums up their attitude: having grown up as children of two cultures, they take the best of both worlds and form a hybrid identity - nothing else is an option. The same applies to their music - the diverse influences of the individual band members come together to form a style that has never been heard before. Authentic lyrics in German collide with touching, catchy melodies, driven by creative instrumentals. RAHÎ, consisting of the siblings Rager and Hizir as well as the musician and producer Şahin (JAHÎN), create all songs on their own in their home studio in Stuttgart.

**Getting to the Fan Zone Karlsplatz**

The walk from the S-Bahn and U-Bahn station "Stadtmitte" or from the main train station to the Fan Zone takes about 10 minutes.

**Safer Space in the Fan Zone Karlsplatz**

A Safer Space in the form of an office container will be set up in the Fan Zone Karlsplatz during UEFA EURO 2024. Here, people affected by discriminatory behavior can find help and support from trained specialists.

The Safer Space is open every day until July 14, 2024.

- on match days from 1:30 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.
- on non-match days from 1:30 p.m. to 11:30 p.m.

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The Safer Space staff can also be reached by phone or WhatsApp on +49 173 7826778. In addition, the specially trained Awareness Team of the Host City Stuttgart is clearly recognizable with bright blue, branded vests. Those affected can also contact the security service, the volunteers or the German Red Cross (Deutsche Rote Kreuz).

### **FAN ZONE SCHILLERPLATZ**

If you're cheering on the UEFA EURO 2024 teams and getting excited during the matches, you're going to need some treats at some point. These are available at the Fan Zone Schillerplatz – the highlight for anyone who enjoys good food and refreshing drinks. There is something for every taste here: from typical Swabian specialties and other delicacies from the region to a wide range of vegetarian and vegan dishes.

### **Program at the Fan Zone Schillerplatz on July 6 in detail:**

- **12:00 noon-12:00 midnight:** Food & drinks at the various catering stands

### **How to get to the Fan Zone Schillerplatz**

The walk from the "Stadtmitte" commuter rail and subway stations or from the main rail station to the Fan Zone takes about 10 minutes.

### **Further activities in the city on July 6:**

- **10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.:** Legendary goals and spectacular scenes from the soccer history of the nations that will be competing in Stuttgart are on display in the exhibition "EURO Legends Stuttgart" at the "StadtPalais – Museum for Stuttgart" until July 14, 2024. Konrad-Adenauer-Straße 2, admission is free of charge. Further information on the exhibition at <https://uefaeuro2024.stuttgart.de/en/host-city-stuttgart/szenen-im-stadtpalais-erleben>
- **All day:** With the Stuttgart app on a football tour through the city

**Another eye-catcher:** One of the largest works of graffiti art in the state capital of Baden-Württemberg on the outer façade of the Talstrasse substation, diagonally opposite the Stuttgart Gaskessel.

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