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Collectors' Meeting at the Museum of Music Automats, Seewen SO

An event held jointly by:

The Museum of Music Automats and Schweizer Freunde mechanischer Musik SFMM

The International Collectors' Meeting offers music enthusiasts a unique insight into the collection of the Museum of Music Automats.

Particular focus will be given to the special exhibition "Jeu continu...", which looks at the development and best years of Swiss music box production in the 19th century.

Programme:

Friday, 1 October 2021 (participation optional, registration required)

5.30 pm Preview of the special exhibition "Jeu continu..."

Saturday, 2 October 2021 (registration required, contribution to costs CHF 45 p.p.)

9.30 am Doors open, reception and welcome address, coffee & croissants

10.00 am Tour of the special exhibition "Jeu continu..."

11.30 am Performance of the Mortier organ

Noon Lunch

1.45 pm Tour of the exhibit storage room

2.30 pm Lecture by Jean-Marc Lebout: a comparative look at the technology of the exhibits

3.30 Coffee & cake

4.30 pm Lecture by Alison Biden: the historical context of how the exhibits were used, and the importance of museums for their preservation

5.15 pm Tour of the restoration workshop

6 pm Event ends; museum closes

Afterwards: reception / dinner

(Participation optional, attendees pay their own costs)

Sunday, 3 October 2021 (participation optional, cost: museum admission)

11 am Tour of the museum; demonstrations by a restorer

12.15 pm Regular museum opening, public guided tours of the museum's permanent exhibition

Important:

- A COVID certificate is needed to attend (certificate for vaccinated, tested or recovered persons).
- The event may be cancelled in whole or in part due to legal requirements arising from the COVID-19 pandemic

Accommodation: we recommend the following hotels in the vicinity:

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