

## **Schlossfestspiele Langenlois 2017. DIE LUSTIGE WITWE by Franz Lehár**

20<sup>th</sup> July – 12<sup>th</sup> August 2017, Schloss Haindorf

### **DIE LUSTIGE WITWE. Bracing – prickling – bright!**

**Money and love, glamorous elegance and musical sprightliness.**

The enthusiastic audience response to our Gala Concerts last summer - celebrating the anniversary of the Schlossfestspiele Langenlois - made it perfectly clear: when performers like Cornelia Horak and Erwin Belakowitsch come together to sing the duet "Lippen schweigen", you have found the "Dream Team" for one of the most popular operettas ever composed.

Franz Lehár composed a delicious string of musical hits along a story line of glittering festivity, a bankrupt state and its illustrious society, and two strong-willed main characters untangling a knot of pride, money and love in order to come together again.

"Lippen schweigen", "Ja das Studium der Weiber ist schwer", "Viljalied" and "Da geh' ich zu Maxim" are the unforgettable melodies which will be presented by conductor and artistic director Andreas Stoehr. Stage director Rudolf Frey is responsible for a tantalizing production, premiering on the 20<sup>th</sup> of July 2017.

### **DIE LUSTIGE WITWE**

**With:** Erwin Belakowitsch, Cornelia Horak, Christoph Wagner-Trenkowitz et.al.

**Artistic director and conductor:** Andreas Stoehr

**Stage production:** Rudolf Frey

**Production management and stage design:** Niki Neuspiel

**Costumes:** Aleksandra Kica

#### **Dates:**

Evening Performances **beginning at 8:30 p.m.**

**July 2017:** Premiere Thursday 20<sup>th</sup>, Friday 21<sup>st</sup>, Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup>, Saturday 29<sup>th</sup>

**August 2017:** Friday 4<sup>th</sup>, Saturday 5<sup>th</sup>, Friday 11<sup>th</sup>, Saturday 12<sup>th</sup>

Early Evening Performance **beginning at 17:30 pm:** Sunday, August 6<sup>th</sup> 2017

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> July 2017: sold out

**Location:** Schloss Haindorf, Krumpöck-Allee 21, 3550 Langenlois

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