

Kokkola Winter Accordion Festival 2027 – Complete Programme

13–20 February 2027 | Kokkola, Finland

The Kokkola Winter Accordion Festival (Kokkolan Talviharmonikka) presents eight days of concerts, accordion performances, folk music, jazz, entertainment and family activities.

Below is the complete programme of **19 event listings**, including two performances of the Guardia Nueva Grand Entertainment Concert and two Henxelit Children's Band events. Dates, times, venues and ticket prices are taken from the festival's official English programme.

Saturday 13 February 2027



ANTTI 50th Anniversary Concert

Time: 18:00

Venue: Musiikkikeskus Snellman, Kokkola

Tickets: €33 / €31 / €25

Duration: 1 hour 30 minutes, including interval.

Concert information ➔

Accordionist Antti celebrates his 50th birthday and more than 40 years of playing the accordion, with special guests and the Conservatory's Junior Accordions.

Sunday 14 February 2027



Accordion Skiing

Time: 11:00–14:00

Venue: Rastimaja, Kokkola

Admission: Free

Family winter activity with skiing, refreshments and local history presentations.



Woman – Always in Her Prime, Merja Larivaara & Kaihon Karavaani, Valentine's Concert

Time: 18:00

Venue: Musiikkikeskus Snellman, Kokkola

Tickets: €33 / €31 / €30

Duration: 2 hours, including interval.

Monday 15 February 2027



Henxelit Children's Band 20 Years

Time: Not specified

Venue: Not specified

Children's music concert celebrating the band's 20th anniversary, featuring musical influences from the Balkans, blues, swing and bluegrass.



Young Virtuosos Let Loose

Time: 18:00

Venue: Keski-Pohjanmaan Konservatorio, Kokkola

Audience: Families

Tickets: Not specified

A concert showcasing young musical performers.

Tuesday 16 February 2027



Henxelit Children's Band 20 Years

Time: Not specified

Venue: Not specified

A second festival listing for the children's ensemble's anniversary celebrations.



Me, Carmen!

Time: 18:00

Venue: Keski-Pohjanmaan Konservatorio, Kokkola

Tickets: €25 / €22 / €20

Genre: Classical music

Concert for adult audiences.

Wednesday 17 February 2027



Lunch Music? – Kokkolinna

Time: Not specified

Venue: Opetusravintola Kokkolinna, Kokkola

Genre: Classical music

A lunchtime city music event.



Duo Con:trust

Time: 18:00

Venue: Keski-Pohjanmaan Konservatorio, Kokkola

Tickets: €25 / €22 / €20

Genre: Classical and entertainment/pop

Concert for adults and young people.

Thursday 18 February 2027



Lunch Music – Rosso

Time: Not specified

Venue: Not specified on programme listing

Genre: Classical music

A lunchtime city event.



Melodies for Seniors

Time: 10:00

Venue: Service centres

Genre: Classical and entertainment music

Concerts for senior audiences.



The Pearl of the Tear Gate – Maria Kalaniemi & Pekko Käppi

Time: 18:00

Venue: Svenska Gården, Pietarsaari

Tickets: €25 / €22 / €20

Duration: Approximately 60 minutes

A folk-music concert with Maria Kalaniemi on accordion and vocals and Pekko Käppi on jouhikko and vocals, drawing on Kalevala poetry and Swedish-language runo singing.

Friday 19 February 2027



Melodies for Seniors

Time: 10:00

Venue: Service centres

Genre: Classical and entertainment music

A second day of musical performances for seniors.



With Love – Helena and Jorma

Time: 18:00

Venue: Keski-Pohjanmaan Konservatorio, Kokkola

Tickets: €36 / €34 / €25

Category: Entertainment and stage performance



Feel Jazz! – Annemari Kanninen & Söderbacka / Matikainen Duo

Time: 20:30

Venue: Levykauppa 33 RPM, Kokkola

Tickets: €20 / €18 / €15

Duration: Approximately 60 minutes, without interval

Genre: Jazz

Saturday 20 February 2027



Kallentori Sings!

Time: 10:00–13:00

Venue: Kauppakeskus Kallentori, Kokkola

Genre: Folk music and entertainment

City music event for all ages.



Grand Entertainment Concert – Guardia Nueva

First performance: 14:00

Second performance: 18:00

Venue: Musiikkikeskus Snellman, Kokkola

Tickets: €39 / €37 / €36

Duration: Approximately 2 hours 30 minutes, including interval, for each performance.

The Guardia Nueva orchestra performs with guest soloists Kyösti Mäkimattila and soprano Mari Palo. Raimo Vertainen conducts and hosts both concerts.



Rosso's Winter Karaoke

Time: 18:00–23:00

Venue: Rosso, Kokkola

Genre: Entertainment

Five-hour karaoke city event for all ages.



Closing Party

Time: 21:30

Venue: Kilta Bar, Kokkola

Genre: Folk music

Concert and dancing to conclude the 2027 festival.