

Festival Dolomites 2026 – «Glücksfälle» from 14 March to 28 March 2026 in Dobbiaco, Gustav Mahler Hall

After fifteen years of successfully establishing and presenting outstanding musical events as part of the Cultural Summer at the Euregio Cultural Centre in Dobbiaco, we are initiating a significant realignment with the Festival Dolomites: beginning with the 2026 season, our exquisite festival programme, which until now has enriched the summer months, will become a permanent part of the cultural offering in early spring. This shift underscores our commitment to enriching Dobbiaco, the Puster Valley, and beyond with musical highlights of international calibre at an earlier point in the year.

In artistic creation, we are often accompanied by fortunate coincidences and encounters at just the right moment—experiences we recognise as true "strokes of luck". For us, this is reason enough to make it the theme of our new spring edition and to let our programme shine through it.

We encounter strokes of luck:

- ... in young, aspiring musicians whose fresh and unconventional projects captivate us instantly.
- ... in renowned artists, ensembles, and orchestras whose interpretations open up special depth and perspective, moments that make us pause and experience their art as pure joy.
- ... in encounters that blossom and emerge from our ever-growing network—rooted in the awareness of shared values and shared standards of quality.

We experience all this as a gift—one we do not wish to keep to ourselves. At the 2026 Festival, we will consciously share these strokes of luck with you and hope to inspire you with our deep joy in music.

Artistic Directors:

Christoph Bösch (CH) and Josef Feichter (I)

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