

Vihula Manor News

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Interview with Executive Manager of Vihula Manor Heikki Vanhanen

Half a year has passed by now. What do you think, how has it gone?

It has been an interesting six months. I have a long history in the hospitality business, but it is something completely new to run an upscale property such as Vihula Manor. We are continuously working on ways to improve things and I find this both exciting and challenging.

When did you decide to come to Vihula, what were the factors that made you say 'yes'?

I decided to come to Vihula at the end of last year. I think one of the main reasons was that I had previously visited the manor and had seen some good opportunities to make this place more successful and to offer more memorable experiences for the customers.

What makes you happy about Vihula right now?

We have been able to improve things and we have received very positive customer feedback. It is also very nice to see the young people we employ enjoying their jobs and the customer contact.

What is your vision for Vihula Manor?

The future vision of Vihula is to make it the leading manor in the Nordic region. Our goal is to have everyone who visits Vihula Manor want to return again and again.



If you should come to Vihula as a client, what would you enjoy the most?

Vihula is a perfect setting to relax and enjoy nature. It is an opportunity to participate in some invigorating activities followed by some nice downtime in the spa and sauna.

The final touch would be to enjoy some of the really good food and wine on offer.

What are the plans for this year?

We want to keep the manor active year round so we are planning many events and interesting activities to appeal to a wider audience. In October, November and December we will host three, large concerts organized by Eesti Kontsert. We will also be focusing heavily on creating unique, tailor-made events for customers.

The summer is over. How was it?

It has been an excellent and busy summer with very good weather conditions. We have had many guests from around the world and have hosted some wonderful events. We hope to continue this trend.

Interviewed by Aleksandra Saprõkina

Special offer for accommodation in Vihula Manor



In September accommodation in Superior room starting from

**59 EUR
per night**

For more information and reservations please contact +372 326 4100 or reserv.vihula@uhotelsgroup.com

EVENTS IN VIHULA MANOR

08 September at 4 pm
Maya Egashira concert
Violinist accompanied on piano by Marko Hilpo.



10., 14 September at 7 pm
Rakvere Theatre presents
“The Spring And The Summer And The ...”
(“Kevad ja suvi ja...”)

On stage: Tiina Mälberg and the texts of Tõnu Õnnepalu, Taavo Rimmel improvising on contrabass, Peeter Nabko's nature photos



20 September at 6 pm
Dancing in the water

Is dancing older than a mankind? Well at least as old. You can show hapiness and sadness, dreams, love and hate through the dance.

Price: 10 EUR/ pp



21 September at 6 pm
Five o'clock tea

You are welcome to join our five o'clock tea evening at Vihula, where we offer for blind degustation a variety of herb teas along with sweet delicacies.



27 September at 6 pm
Vodka degustation program

Try four different kinds of Estonian vodka together with traditional snacks, eg seasonal pickles, speck and dark rye bread! During these interesting 45 minutes you will be given an overview of the history of vodka, the Vihula distillery, our neighboring Moe distillery and you will learn to pair food and vodka.

Seminar package “Homemade freshness”

Package includes:

- Accommodation at a cozy twin room
- Sumptuous breakfast
- Coffee break with freshly baked cookies and seasonal fruits
- Local and seasonal lunch
- Selection of vegetables mix
- Meeting room:
 - ✓ Iced water
 - ✓ Flip Chart with markers, paper and pens
 - ✓ Screen and data projector
 - ✓ Wifi
- One of the following activities:
 - ✓ Herb tea degustation
 - ✓ Vodka degustation
 - ✓ Handcraft workshop

Person price – 95 EUR

Celebrate your Birthday in Vihula Manor

Vihula Manor is a perfect place for birthday celebration. Birthday package „ Birthday at Vihula Manor“

Package includes:

- Mojito making
- cozy and spacious banquet hall to celebrate a wonderful event
- three-course dinner (includes coffee / tea, alcoholic beverages for surcharge)
- birthday cake

Price: 39 €/per person

The number of people from 4
Party duration until 21:00
Party room extension 100 €/h

