## Trauttmansdorff: Blooming Splendor and Fascinating Experiences in 2025

## The Gardens of Trauttmansdorff Castle begin their 24th garden season.

On Tuesday, April 1st, the Gardens of Trauttmansdorff Castle and the Touriseum will open their doors again. The 2025 garden season offers visitors a diverse program that blends nature, art, and history.

Spring greets visitors with a vibrant sea of flowers: tulips, daffodils, imperial crowns, and Icelandic poppies transform the 12-hectare garden area into a colorful backdrop. A special highlight is the **International Garden Photographer of the Year (IGPOTY)** exhibition, which blends stunning nature photography with the real beauty of the gardens.

The Provincial Councillor for Agriculture, Forestry, and Tourism, Luis Walcher, is also looking forward to the upcoming garden season. "The Gardens of Trauttmansdorff Castle are a special showcase for South Tyrol. With their diverse program, they continue to captivate both locals and visitors from all over the world. I would especially like to invite the people of South Tyrol to pay a visit to the Gardens," said the Councillor.

The Touriseum also offers exciting insights in 2025: The staircase exhibition **The Future of Travel** presents visionary mobility scenarios with AI-generated images and literary short texts. From June onwards, the special exhibition **Boom '70** highlights the tourism boom in South Tyrol during the 1970s, featuring interviews and new research findings.

In addition to the exhibitions, many events are planned for the new garden year. The season kicks off on Easter Monday with a botanical treasure hunt, followed by a family day in May. In summer, the World Music Festival with international music groups on the lakeside stage offers unique experiences. On Fridays in June, July, and August, the gardens will remain open until 11 p.m. – perfect for an evening tour in the soft light of dusk. The Palm Café at the Lily Pond invites guests to enjoy aperitifs with live music from mid-June, and on three summer evenings, visitors can indulge in an exclusive garden picnic.

From late November to early January 2026, the **LUMAGICA** light installation will once again create a magical winter atmosphere, transforming a part of the Garden into a sparkling dream world.

The Gardens of Trauttmansdorff are open daily from 9:00 a.m. until November 9th. More information is available at <u>www.trauttmansdorff.it</u>.

Photo\_1: Trauttmansdorff: Reopening on April 1st

Photo\_2: A magical place for the whole family

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