Beginning October 3rd, 2018, enormous creatures from prehistory and mythology, will take possession of the Augsburg Puppet Theatre Museum „die Kiste“ and enchant its visitors, guaranteeing a museum visit to remember. Here, the dinosaurs, which died out millions of years ago, are brought back to life and can be admired in the form of various figures and natural history exhibits, as well as dragons and their stories, which are as fascinating as the creatures themselves. The special exhibition is intended to be a place for marvelling and learning, an experience to look at, touch and participate in. There are countless stories about dinosaurs, and very many stories with dragons can be found within the Bible, in Fairy Tales and legends, fantasy novels and children’s literature. All guests, children and adults, can have a look at a wide range of very small or extremely huge creatures - either eerily beautiful or enchantingly cute. Visit Urmel and his dinosaur and dragon friends from the „Augsburger Puppenkiste“, view exhibits, created by the puppet builder Norman Schneider, meet the table-top rod puppets from the Berlin-based „Theatre LaKritz“ and admire the wooden hand puppets from „Kreft’s Puppenbühne“ from Bargen. During the special exhibition, international exhibits from the United States and Spain will also be on display in the Puppet Theatre Museum. Further information on the supporting program can be found within the flyer or online at www.diekiste.net.
The most successful Puppet Theatre Museum in Europe

When the doors of the Augsburg Puppet Theatre open themselves, the hearts of the fans still start to beat faster. Since October 2001, all the famous puppets of the “Augsburger Puppenkiste” can be admired in their “natural environment” within the museum “die Kiste”: Tomcat Mikesch, Urmel, Jim Button and Luke the Engine Driver, Little King Kalle Wirsch, the Cat with the Hat and countless other legendary “Stars on Strings”. Alternating special exhibitions complement the program. Immerse yourself into the magical world of the Augsburg Puppet Theatre Museum and book a guided tour for yourself or as a gift, as a company outing, or for dear guests, friends or business partners from abroad. We also offer special museum tours for children from international schools and kindergartens.

GUIDED TOURS IN ENGLISH

We are offering guided museum tours in English for all foreign visitors (including international schools and kindergartens).

Guided Tour 30.00 €* | + admission fee
Duration approx. 60 Minutes | Group Size max. 25 persons
*Reservation: Please note that guided tours for groups must be reserved in advance and are considered as definite upon receipt of a written confirmation (e-mail, fax, letter) only.

ADMISSION

Adults 5.00 € | Children 3.30 € | Students 4.00 €*
*Tuesday-Thursday only

Group Tickets | Group Size min. 20 persons
Adults 4.00 € | Children 2.80 €*
*Special fees for schools and kindergartens

HOURS

Tuesday-Sunday | 10:00 a.m. - 07:00 p.m.