


















# Sulu mēnesis: aprīlis



 <p>Aprīli sauc arī par sulu mēnesi. Kāpēc? Paskatieties, kā <u>tecina bērzu sulas!</u></p>	<p><b>1 JOKU DIENA!</b>  <a href="#">The Best Ever Book of Latvian Jokes: Lots and Lots of Jokes Specially Repurposed for You-Know-Who</a>  <b>Mini Mīklu:</b>  Maza maza sieviņa, simts svārku mugurā.  Tikko vējš papūš – mugura plika.</p> 	<p><b>2 FOLKLORA</b>  <a href="#">LFB / Tradīcijas / Lieldienas</a>  (Press tab for ENG; short 10 min video provides ENG subtitles)  <a href="#">Ieskandināt Lieldienas_Asnate, Aurēlija un Aida Rancānes   Pagarbs</a>  (This radio programme is 50.30 min long, only available in LV)</p> 	<p><b>3 LIELĀ PIEKTDIENA</b>  <b>COLOURING EASTER EGGS:</b></p>  <p><b>Various egg-colouring methods:</b>  <b>Košākas Lieldienu olas: atrodi sev tīkamāko krāsošanas metodi</b> (LV only)</p>	<p><b>4 LATVIJAS ETNOGRĀFISKAIS BRĪVDABAS MUZEJS</b></p>  <p><b>ŠŪPOŠANĀS</b>  Latviešu unikālā Lieldienu tradīcija - šūpošanās. Mēs Teju vienīgi esam saglabājuši maģisko rituālu (Press tab for ENG)</p>	<p><b>5 PIRMĀS LIELDIENAS</b>  Silta, silta saulīte Istabas galā; Zaļa zaļa zālīte Lieldienas rītā.  Latvijas Etnogrāfiskā brīvdabas muzejā notiek <b>LIELDIENU TIRGUS: Lielā Lieldienu svinešana Etnogrāfiskajā brīvdabas muzejā   LiveRiga</b>  <a href="http://brivdabasmuzejs.lv/zinas/liela-lieldienu-svinesana-bus-5-aprili/">http://brivdabasmuzejs.lv/zinas/liela-lieldienu-svinesana-bus-5-aprili/</a></p>	<p><b>6 OTRĀS LIELDIENAS: LIELDIENU TICĒJUMI</b>  Kas Lieldienu olas ēd bez sāls-tas visu vasaru melos.  Lieldienās vajag daudz šūpoties-tad visu gadu nenāks miegs  Lieldienu rasā jāvārtās, lai veselība būtu visu gadu</p>	<p><b>7 Spread your wings!</b>  There is one Latvian Easter tradition that is unapologetically 100% pagan.  The Līvi (or Livonians) are an ancient people speaking a Finno-Ugric language who assimilated over the centuries with the Latvians. Recently, there has been a revival of Liv culture, including the spring equinox tradition of "waking the birds."  The Līvi believed that rather than flying away in winter, the birds are asleep by the seashore. At equinox, Līvi go to the beach and make a big racket to wake them up. For added measure, the birds are believed to embody evil spirits and witches. So better to chase them into the forest where no harm can be done. Naturally, singing and feasting are also part of the programme.</p>
<p><b>8</b>  <a href="#">Learn Latvian. Lesson 32: Types of birds</a></p> 	<p><b>9 TRUE LATVIAN: FEEDING BIRDS IN WINTER</b> (dark humour)  <a href="#">#latvian #winter #birds - YouTube</a></p>	<p><b>10 Mini Mīklu:</b>  Cērt ledu-uzcērt sudrabu. Cērt sudrabu-uzcērt zeltu.</p> 	<p><b>11 BIRCH JUICE</b>  <a href="#">Fresh birch juice time is here again / Article</a></p>	<p><b>12 2025 OSCAR WINNER "FLOW"</b>  '<a href="#">Flow</a>' Wins Best Animated Feature Film   <a href="#">97th Oscars Speech (2025) - YouTube</a></p> 	<p><b>13 WEATHER</b>  <a href="#">Lietus vs. Sniegs - Rain vs. Snow in Latvian - Talkpal</a></p> 	<p><b>14</b>    <b>LEC SAULĪTE</b>  <a href="#">Lec saulīte! Rise, Sun! Beloved Latvian Choir Song, English Subtitles</a></p>	<p><b>15 tārpi</b></p>  <p><b>VAI tārpi ?</b></p> 
<p><b>16</b> Check out:  <a href="#">Funny Figurative Expressions in the Latvian Language - Talkpal</a> to find out what the following expression means: "BĒRT SĀLI UZ BRŪCĒM"</p>	<p><b>17 Homecooking, Latvian-Style</b>  <a href="https://www.saveur.com/article/Travels/Riga-Revisited/">https://www.saveur.com/article/Travels/Riga-Revisited/</a>  (some things may have changed since 2011 but delicious food is always appreciated)</p>	<p><b>18 ONE OF OUR OWN</b> (Professional Latvians in the 21st century)  <a href="https://www.savejies.lv/index_en.html">https://www.savejies.lv/index_en.html</a></p>	<p><b>19</b>  Latvia- the greenest country in Europe?  <a href="https://eng.lsm.lv/article/society/environment/03_06_2024-is-latvia-really-the-greenest-country-in-europe_a556525/">https://eng.lsm.lv/article/society/environment/03_06_2024-is-latvia-really-the-greenest-country-in-europe_a556525/</a></p>	<p><b>20 Discover Latvian Knitting: Symbolic Mittens &amp; Timeless Patterns</b></p> 	<p><b>21</b>    <b>Tautiešam A...</b>  Lyrics: <a href="#">Tautiešami apsolīju</a></p> 	<p><b>22 NATURE: ZEMES DIENA</b>  <a href="#">Izvēlēti 2026. gada Latvijas dabas simboli (papildināts) - Valmieras novads</a>  (Press tab to read in ENG, listen to LV version with subtitles)</p>	<p><b>23 JURĢI/ŪSIŅŠ</b>  <a href="#">JURĢI/ŪSINA DIENA, How Latvian summer starts   IRREGULAR LATVIAN LESSON</a></p>
<p><b>24 ŪSIŅŠ</b>  <a href="#">Latvian Symbols and Meanings</a>  Check out what this Latvian symbol looks like and its meaning</p>	<p><b>25 WORLD BOOK FAIRS:</b> We've missed it by 2 days: April 23rd is WORLD BOOK/ COPYRIGHT DAY BOOK FAIR 2026 Gdynia  <a href="https://www.facebook.com/LatvianLiterature/posts/here-are-a-few-moments-from-latvian-representation-at-the-book-fair-in-gdynia-20/1538817318248879">https://www.facebook.com/LatvianLiterature/posts/here-are-a-few-moments-from-latvian-representation-at-the-book-fair-in-gdynia-20/1538817318248879</a>  So, who was Aleksandrs Laime? Aleksandrs Laime - Wikipedia</p>	<p><b>26 LITERATURE</b>  THE INTROVERT SUCCESS CAMPAIGN: London Book Fair 2017-18  <a href="https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=781588242172220">https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=781588242172220</a></p>	<p><b>27 ASTRONOMY</b>  University of Latvia open for stargazing / <a href="#">Article</a>  <a href="#">The Sky Tonight from Riga, Latvia   TheSkyLive</a></p>	<p><b>28 TECHNOLOGY QUIZ</b>  What technological contribution is Kārlis Irbītis famous for?</p>	<p><b>29 ??1836??</b>  What is 1836?  <a href="#">1836 Fonds - YouTube</a></p>	<p><b>30 1836 &amp; Ir Tadi Cilveki</b>  (a song with LV subtitles)</p> 