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## GIN & BRIN FESTIVAL 2026 – DISTILLER REGISTRATION

We are happy to invite you to join us at the **9th Gin & Brin Festival**, taking place on **3–4 July 2026 in Dutovlje, Slovenia**.

Gin & Brin is a boutique summer festival set in a relaxed **pine grove** in the Karst region. It brings together craft distillers, curious visitors, and gin & juniper spirit enthusiasts in an informal, open-air setting. What makes it special is the **direct connection** between producers and guests – a chance to share your story, your process, and your spirits in a personal and engaging way.

### LOCATION & DATES

The festival takes place at our established outdoor venue **next to the sports ground in village Dutovlje**, surrounded by pine trees that create a unique summer atmosphere.

Opening hours are: **Friday, 3 July: 18:00-2:00 & Saturday, 4 July, 16:00-2.00**. Both evenings are designed as relaxed experiences, combining tastings, socialising, and live music.

### FESTIVAL CONCEPT

The concept is simple: visitors explore, taste, and connect.

Each guest receives a **tasting glass** (with a refundable deposit) and moves freely between stands, discovering a wide range of spirits whose common ingredient are juniper berries, alongside cocktails and the stories behind them.

At your stand, you are free to present your products in your own way – whether through guided tastings, informal conversations, or sharing insights into your production process. We do ask that you offer small **complimentary samples** of neat spirits (a sip rather than a full serving), allowing visitors to explore flavours and getting to know your products.

In addition, you can serve gin & tonics or cocktails of your choice, as well as sell bottles. All sales are handled directly at your stand, and **all revenue** remains entirely yours.

### ORGANISATION & EXPECTATIONS

We provide the essentials – your **stand, electricity, water, and ice** – and take care of **promoting** the festival through social media, digital channels, and printed materials.

We do ask participating distillers to support their presence by sharing **a few posts or stories** on their own channels in the lead-up to the event. If you are attending other events, any additional promotion (such as flyers or posters) is very welcome – we're happy to provide materials upon request.

To take part, you need to have a **registered distilling activity** and comply with **all applicable regulations** regarding the sale of alcoholic beverages. In agreement with organizers, foreign distilleries may also participate via a Slovenian distributor of their choice.

## PARTICIPATION FEE & REGISTRATION

- Participation fee – financial part:
  - 350 €\* for 1 day.
  - 550 €\* for 2 days for **early registration until 30. 4. 2026.**
  - 700 €\* for 2 days for registration from 1 May 2026 onwards.
- Participation fee – material part:  
**1 bottle (0,5 l or 0,7 l)** of your product by your choice (gin, juniper spirit, ect.)

You can register here: <https://forms.gle/PG9xFGTRdbSNJo846>

Your participation is confirmed once the fee has been paid (an invoice will be issued within one week after registration). Final registration deadline is **31st May 2026.**

\* VAT is not charged in accordance with Article 94 of the Slovenian VAT Act.

## MARKETING MATERIALS

If you are joining us for the first time or presenting new products, we kindly ask you to send a short **description of your distillery and products**, along with **product photos**. Additional images of your distillery are also welcome. These materials will be used to prepare **promotional content** and for the **festival brochure**, which each visitor receives together with their tasting glass.

## FESTIVAL PROGRAMME

Alongside tastings, the festival offers a lively programme, including the **6th Gin&Brin Awards**, educational **talks and workshops**, a selected **street food** offer, and **live concerts** featuring energetic rock'n'roll and punk-rock music.

More details on the programme will be announced soon.

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out:

- e-mail: [ginbrinfestival@gmail.com](mailto:ginbrinfestival@gmail.com)
- Phone: **+386 30 604 444** (Katja); **+386 31 541 501** (Jernej).

We look forward to welcoming you and creating another great festival together.

### ŠKRD Na placu

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FB: <https://www.facebook.com/GinBrinFestival>

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