WHAT’S ON in Dubai, 6–8 February

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- Admission hours: 9:00–17:00
- Venue: Dubai Marina Mall
- www.aedcdubai.com/xline

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**GPP Photo Week 2018**
- Dates: 6–8 February
- Starting time: Check with event organiser
- Venue: Unit 36, Alserkal Avenue
- www.gulfphotoplus.com/gpp/2018

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**Ludovico Einaudi in concert**
- Date: 8 February
- Starting time: 20:00
- Venue: Dubai Opera, Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Boulevard, Downtown Dubai
- www.dubaiopera.com

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- Starting time: Check with event organiser
- Starting point: Pick-up from hotel
- www.getyourguide.com

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- Starting time: 13:00–18:00
- Venue: Al Habtoor Polo Resort and Club
- www.dubaipologoldcup.com

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