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Muchnik's Picks: Nogu Svelo, Selector Live and More Music in Moscow on the Weekend

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Nogu Svelo

The heat is back in Moscow and what better way to survive it than enjoying a cool breeze from the river in the Strelka courtyard or listening to great music in a well-conditioned concert hall? Here's our selection of the most trending concerts this weekend.

Kirill Tolmatsky, also known as **Detsl**⊠ or Le Truk, will celebrate his birthday on Friday with a concert. A ⊠former child star, Detsl is still producing new music in his thirties. ⊠On last year's album, "Detsellion," he experimented with dancehall, ⊠electronic beats and raps in English on some tracks. At his Friday ⊠concert Detsl will perform both his latest tracks and old classics

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Obe Dve is an indie-pop band from Yekaterinburg, whose very successful ⊠debut album⊠was followed by a long hiatus. Last year their long awaited second album⊠ was released to much critical acclaim. The band is fronted by Katya ⊠Pavlova, who is also a member of another successful band — OQJAV. Obe ⊠Dve's music is mostly upbeat, with quirky lyrics and memorable tunes.

16 Tons. *6/1 Ulitsa Presnensky Val. Metro Ulitsa 1905 Goda. Tickets ⊠from 500 rubles⊠($8). Friday at 8 p.m.*

Nogu Svelo is remembered for their early 1990s hit HaruMamburu, written ⊠in a made-up language. The band's front man Max Pokrovsky has been ⊠releasing new music both as a solo artist and as part of rock band Nogu ⊠Svelo. Last year Nogu Svelo released "Eat My Heart," their first album ⊠in nine years.

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British electronic musician **Darren J. Cunningham** — who plays under the moniker Actress — and the **London Contemporary Orchestra⊠** will perform on Saturday as part of Selector Live, a conference ⊠organized the British Council devoted to music industry. This is only ⊠the second time the two will perform together, the previous being a ⊠special event at the Barbican Centre in London. The party will continue ⊠into the early hours with The 2 Bears, a side project of Joe Goddard ⊠from British act Hot Chip.

Strelka. *14 Bersenevskaya Naberezhnaya, Bldg. 5. Metro Polyanka, Kropotkinskaya. Tickets from 1,500 rubles ($24). Saturday, at 10 p.m.*

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