

**XVI International Festival and Contest
on island Wolin, Poland (Baltic sea, near Germany)
International Project CULTURE CARAVAN**

MUSIC ISLANDS OPEN / SINGING ISLANDS OPEN: 21-24.02.2020

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM OF STAY

21.02.2020 (Friday)

Arrival to Międzyzdroje at **12:00** (**not earlier**).

13:00 Lunch (*If you arrive later, your lunch will be changed for evening meal. If you arrive later than evening meal possible to serve, your lunch will be served as evening meal next day. All this are to discuss **in advance***).

Meeting organizers (only group leaders) – music on USB, payment.

In your free time - walking along the sea, souvenir shopping.

*Optional – **Wax Museum** (tickets 4€/person).

*Gabinet Figur Woskowych w Międzyzdrojach
Bohaterów Warszawy 19, 72-500 Międzyzdroje
www.woskowe.pl*

*Optional – **Parrots Life** (tickets 4€/person)

*Gryfa Pomorskiego 4,
72-500 Międzyzdroje
<https://www.facebook.com/PapugarniaZSW/>*

*Optional – **Tourist Train**, about 30 minutes (tickets 4€/person).

<http://www.holidayexpressno1.pl>

*Optional – **Baltic Miniature Park** (tickets 4€/person with festival badge, approximately 2 km from the town center, walking distance).

*Ul. Nowomyśliwska 98
72-500 Międzyzdroje
<http://baltyckiparkminiatur.pl/galeria>*

18:00 Evening meal* (buffet, optional for extra payment 5€/person, **order in advance**).

Overnight in Międzyzdroje (**see hotel address in your confirmation documents**).

22.02.2020 (Saturday)

08:00 Breakfast (buffet).

10:00 - 12:00 Sound check and stage probe according to shedule.

12:00 Lunch.

13:30 – 17:30 Opening Ceremony and contest performances open for public.

17:30 – 18:30 Break for Jury decision. Complement from Organizers (wafel). Possibility to meet closer other participants, getting autographs from new festival friends (don't forget your scrapbook or so called festival diary), exchange of souvenirs and small gifts.

18:30 – 19:15 Closing Ceremony: Awards (Diplomas, Festival Cups, Thanksgiving Letters).

*Międzynarodowy Dom Kultury w Międzyzdrojach
ul. Bohaterów Warszawy 20, 72-500 Międzyzdroje
<http://www.mdkmiedzyzdroje.com>*

20:00 Evening meal* (buffet, optional for extra payment 5€/person, **order in advance**).

Overnight in Międzyzdroje.

23.02.2020 (Sunday)

08:00 Breakfast (buffet).

It is jus tan example of integration event for participants (it i also could be singing/playing music together, additional festiwal concerts etc.):

Learning dance steps with teacher KORNELIA BRZEZICKA (30 minutes).

integration lesson for all children participants. **You have to change your casual street shoes for indoor shoes**; if you don't have ones – you can stay in socks or just barefoot). KORNELIA BRZEZICKA is a teacher at the Dance School „Jantar” of Anna Zjawieńska, at the School, which organizes well-known contests of kindergartens "Dancing Kids" and many dance tournaments such as „Pearl of the Baltic Sea - Open” and „Wolin - Dance Island”. She remembers the period of her own school education as a time full of trainings, trips to tournaments, festivals and art camps. A great period that influenced her further life, taught discipline and personal culture, protected her from temptations, gave her the opportunity to meet wonderful people. She tries to pass this knowledge to all children who go to her classes.

*Optional - **Walking city-tour round Międzyzdroje with Kavcha Mountain in Wolin National Park.** (guide 50€/group - 1.5 hours, **order in advance**)

Międzyzdroje - modern Baltic resort - in the south it is surrounded by forest hills of Wolin National Park, the northern part of the city offers a vast sea view. There is a 395 meter pier from which you can take a boat trip not only along the Polish coast, but also to Germany - to the resort towns Ahlbeck, Heringsdorf and Bansin.

The city became very popular when the Polish film stars began to come here – Summer festival of Stars is held every year since 1996. The city has the Promenade of Stars - at every festival there is the opening ceremony of the celebrities hand impressions. In the Wax Museum also Polish actors are shown.

A combination of mild climate, modern street sculptures, design of parks, architectural, historical and natural monuments, and rich cultural and entertainment possibilities for each one attracts a lot of tourists. For art groups and individual performers - International House of Culture, amphitheater, outdoor scene near the pier.

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*Optional, for additional payment - visiting nearest towns of sea coast: **Świnoujście** in Poland, **Ahlbeck/Heringsdorf** in Germany.

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Overnight in Międzyzdroje.

24.02.2020 (Monday)

08:00 – 10:00 Breakfast (buffet).

Before 11:00 Check-out. Departure.

Program can be changes slightly.

Attention:

1. Take our national flag – it is very welcome, for example, for award ceremony or international meeting at school.
2. Small souvenirs/gifts, postcards, your scrapbook or so called festival diary for getting autographs from new festival friends can be very useful while making new friends.
3. Hotel can take city tax 0,5€/person per night.

4. Towels are provided, hygiene items should be taken with you (soap, shampoo, toothbrush and toothpaste).
5. There is a free wi-fi in the hotel.
- 6. All participants perform in stage costumes and wear them till award ceremony.**

**Your festival co-ordinator:
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