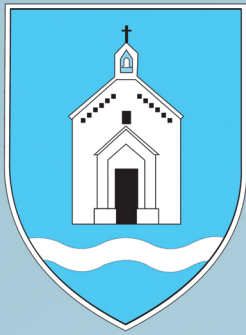




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# This is just the beginning, our dear ones! - meeting of EU a friends

Term: 13/9/2024 – 15/9/2024

KRAKOVANY - SLOVAKIA

## Friday 13/9.: First European Day of Languages and Learning

- A speech by the mayors of all partner municipalities as the start of the event
- International partnerships of towns and municipalities - a discussion on the importance of partnership and belonging
- Sightseeing trip - let's get to know the beauties of the region around Krakow
- Lectures + discussions in the field of the environment:
  - Environmental burdens caused by human activity
  - Environmental Impact Assessment – EIA
  - How to compost in the village of Krakovany - an activity for children and adolescents
  - New European Bauhaus, European Green Deal
- Transfer of information about the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on local communities - discussion about the impact of the pandemic, including the exchange of experience on managing the corona crisis - Marking the whole world
- Lecture on the EU's goals so that disabilities do not create obstacles in Europe
- Presentation of the Strategy in the field of the rights of persons with disabilities for the years 2021-2030
- All children, including those of Roma origin, deserve to be children in the true sense of the word - lecture + presentation of the Convention on the Rights of the Child
- Interactively with the European Union – playful and interactive teaching of children about the EU with experts
- Evening sitting, familiarisation, dancing, music
- Performances of local and foreign folklore ensembles
- Mutual learning of folk dances - Folklore LUSK, Children's Folklore Ensemble Krakovanček
- Activities for children - games, dance workshops, joint trips, creative workshops
- Exhibition in the premises of the local cultural center - theme traditional culture "What do we have in common?"

## Saturday 14/9: Second European Day of Culture and Equality

- A joint breakfast linked to a discussion about discrimination in education: "How can we defend ourselves?"
- Workshop on the International Conference "On the Road to Gender Equality in Europe" in Bratislava on September 3, 2023
- Problems of gender equality in Slovakia, the Czech Republic, Poland according to the Gender Equality Index – lecture
- Sightseeing trip - let's get to know the beauties of the region around Krakovany
- A visit to the local museum "Behind the Krakovany Gate", an authentic view of the life of the inhabitants of western Slovakia at the turn of the 19th and 20th centuries
- Activities for children - games, dance workshops, joint trips, creative workshops
- Exhibition in the premises of the local cultural center - theme "Colorful autumn in the pumpkin yard"
- Searching for common roots, intercultural dialogue
- International sports competitions - ball games, football
- Human rights, documents, institutions - Charter of Fundamental Human Rights, European Action Plan for Democracy
- Concerts of musical groups 20:00 Maslo, Cup of Tea, Bystrík Banda

## Sunday 15/9: Third European Day of Citizens and Partners

- The Holy Mass in the Church of St. Nicholas in Krakovany in folklore costume
- A visit to the local museum "Behind the Krakovany Gate", an authentic view of the life of the inhabitants of western Slovakia at the turn of the 19th and 20th centuries
- Solidarity = a better future - a lecture for citizens
- Joint lunch with partners
- Artistic musical performances
- We advise young people how to get involved in organizations - an example is the European Solidarity Corps and the EU Solidarity Fund – discussion
- Presentation of the local voluntary Red Cross organization - its goals, experiences and advice
- Presentation of the EU, national strategies, projects and the EIGE institute - discussion, questions and answers
- Stereotypes and problems with the inclusion of marginalized communities in society – lecture
- Discussion of all statutory bodies on stronger cooperation
- Discussion with participants about their feelings about the event



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