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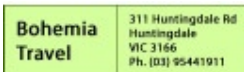
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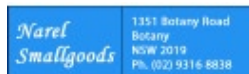
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# K'OZZIE FEST 2009

## Official Festival Program



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## Day One, Friday April 17

Thredbo and Jindabyne

**9am** – Thredbo – Welcome by a NPWS Discovery Ranger, followed by the Harmony Walk to Mt Kosciuszko.

**1pm** – Meet on the mountain to celebrate having Mt Kosciuszko placed on the National Heritage List; sing together, have guitars with you if you can.

**3pm to midnight** – Jindabyne, Memorial Hall – Artists' rehearsals; exhibition mounting; decoration of the Hall (you can help us, too).

## Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Jindabyne

Jindabyne Visitors' Centre foyer – Come to see the photographic exhibition *From Geehi to Mt. Kosciuszko: In the Footsteps of Paul E. Strzelecki*, photos by Mariusz Krzyzewski.

## Day Two, Saturday April 18

Jindabyne

**9am** – Jindabyne Cinemas (next to the Visitors' Centre) – screening of the TVN production *In the Footsteps of Strzelecki (Śladami Strzeleckiego)*. Free entry.

**From 10am** – Memorial Hall – Morning tea in the Hall while viewing *The Strzelecki Graphic Competition Exhibition*.

**12pm** – ‘The Strzelecki Gathering at the Strzelecki Monument’, featuring special guests: Krysta Strzelecki, Gloria Strzelecki and The Oksza-Strzeleckis from Poland. Family photo session. Everybody welcome.

**12pm to 1:30pm** – Memorial Hall – Polish BBQ: Polish sausages, potato pancakes and famous bigos prepared by Polonez Smallgoods.

### Gala Concert Program

**1:30pm** – Memorial Hall

Introductions:

- Master of Ceremony, Dariusz Paczynski
- Welcome to Country, a representative of the Ngarigo People of the Monaro

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11. Snowy Anthem – lyrics by Paul Dion – performed by the John Paul II Music Ensemble and ALL
12. ‘Charlie Tarra Song’ – performed by Andrzej Komorowski
13. ‘Edmund The Traveller’, ‘Adyna’ (lyrics by Marek Baterowicz), ‘Who were you Adyna?’ (lyrics by Lee Taylor-Friend) and ‘Three Hearts’ – performed by the Music Ensemble ‘Razem’ (‘Together’) – Bozena Szymanska, Jola Komincz and Andrzej Komorowski
14. Victorian Polish School Performance
15. ‘Bank of Love’ – performed by Paulina Pazdzior
16. Dances from the Region of Sacz – Polish Song and Dance Ensemble ‘Lajkonik’
17. Music on flute from Victoria Parsons
18. Railway songs and ‘Adyna’ – performed by John Hospodaryk
19. ‘Look down on us Kosciuszko’, ‘Rusalka’, and ‘Daddy’ – performed by Halina Gad
20. Stylised Highland Dances by ‘Lajkonik’ Girls ‘Wino Zielone’ (‘Green Wine’)
21. ‘Kwiaty Polskie’ (‘Polish Flowers’), ‘O Strzelecki tobie dziękujemy’ and ‘Nie zapominajmy o Strzeleckim’ – performed by the John Paul II Music Ensemble
22. More songs from ‘Razem’ Music Ensemble

**5pm** – St Paul’s Parish Hall, Commissioner Street – Krzysztof Malek Piano Recital ‘Chopin and Szymanowski for Ozzies’ (tickets distributed by the Snowy Monaro Arts Centre).

**7pm** – Drinks and nibbles with the local community, community representatives and media.

## Two K’Ozzie Fest Exhibitions

Cooma Library

*From Geehi to Mt Kosciuszko: In the footsteps of P.E. Strzelecki* and cartoons by Adam Fiala, entitled *The Discovery of a Mountain Named Kosciuszko*. Cooma Library, 61 Vale St., open Friday, Saturday and Sunday, April 17, 18 and 19, 2009.

For more information, contact the Festival organisers Ursula (0418 265 271) or Ernestyna (0414 353 307).

- Mayor of Snowy River Shire Council, Mr John Cahill
  - Deputy Head of Mission, Embassy of the Republic of Poland, Mr Witold Krzesinski
  - Manager of South East Region, National Parks and Wildlife Service, Department of Environment and Climate Change, Mr Dave Darlington
1. Kosciuszko Polonaise in C Major – dance by the Senior Girls of the Folkloric Ensemble ‘Syrenka’, Sydney
  2. Dance performance by the Traditional Dancers of Monaro
  3. ‘The Snowy Anthem’ (Paul Dion) – performed by the John Paul II Music Ensemble (Bogumila Filip, Stasia Very, Agnieszka Rypel-Polkas, Darek Paczynski, Halina Gad and Krzysztof Malek) and ALL
  4. ‘My Mountain Kosciuszko’ – performed by John Hospodaryk and youth
  5. Victorian Polish School Performance
  6. Song about ‘Lajkonik’ – performed by Monika Dabrowski, Izabela Kotarski and Artur Wojcik
  7. Stylised Highland Dances by ‘Lajkonik’ Girls ‘Wino Zielone’ (Green Wine)
  8. ‘Bogong’, ‘Variation on a Theme by Kosciuszko’ and ‘Adyna’ – performed by John Hospodaryk
  9. ‘Crazy Kosciuszko Melody’ – performed by Alicia Polak
  10. “And the winners are!” Official announcement of results of the Strzelecki Graphic Competition
  11. ‘Charlie Tarra Song’ – performed by Andrzej Komorowski, lyrics by Adam Fiala

## Intermission

12. Dances from the region of Chelm – Polish Dance Ensemble ‘Lajkonik’
13. ‘Kukuleczka’, ‘Cyt, Cyt’ and ‘Polka Trablanka’ – performed by the Ensemble POLHOP (Alicja Polak, Angelica Machowicz, Jessica Polak, Oliwia Bugaj and Ola Jasieniecka)
14. ‘Look down on us Kosciuszko’ and ‘Daddy’ – performed by Halina Gad, soprano

15. 'Who were you Adyna?' – performed by Halina Gad and Stasia Very, lyrics by Lee Taylor-Friend
16. Dances from Kurpie – Polish Folkloric Ensemble 'Syrenka'
17. 'Bank of Love' – performed by Paulina Pazdzior
18. 'Ballada o Górze Kościuszki' – performed by Gloria Strzelecka
19. 'Skarby' ('Treasures') – performed by the ensemble 'Kombi' (Basia Henclewska and Ela Machowicz)
20. 'Nie zapominajmy o Strzeleckim' and 'O Strzelecki Tobie dziękujemy' – performed by the John Paul II Music Group
21. 'Oh how wonderful' – performed by Stasia Very
22. 'Adyna', 'Edmundzie Podrozniku', 'Mountain Daisy' – performed by the Razem group (Jolanta Komincz, Bozena Szymańska, Andrzej Komorowski)
23. Dances from the Kurpie Region, Polish Dance Ensemble 'Lajkonik'
24. 'Song of Hope' (Okudzawa) – performed by Tadeusz Szymanski, with artists and the audience joining in.

**5pm** – Hotel Horizons – 'Chopin and Szymanowski for Ozzies' piano recital by Krzysztof Malek for local VIPs, media and the community. Gold coin donation appreciated. **A Strzelecki cartoon exhibition will be open only this evening.**

**7.30pm** – Back to Memorial Hall for a screening of two documentaries produced by Oscar Kantor: 1. *From Geehi to Mt. Kosciuszko: In the Footsteps of Paul E. Strzelecki* and 2. *Australian Nomads: Colonisation or Invasion?* If time permits, the movie from TVN may be screened for those who missed it in the morning.

**7.30pm** – Children's Disco in Jindabyne Sports and Recreation Centre.

### **Day Three, Sunday April 19**

Cooma Centennial Park

**From 8am** – Rotary Market Day

**From 9am** – Polish music from a CD

**9.30 to 10.30** – Cooma City Band conducted by Chris Wall

**10am** – Mass at St Patrick's Catholic Church

**From 10.30am** – Gala Concert in Cooma Centennial Park, featuring Polish youth from NSW and Victoria, as well as Traditional Dancers

from Monaro. Our MC will be Ms Caroline Fox. Stalls galore. CDs with Kosciuszko and Strzelecki songs. The Festival Anthology, *Paul Edmund Strzelecki and His Team: Achieving Together*, will be on sale. Polish amber and jewellery, T-shirts, Polonez Smallgoods van with plenty of Polish food. Rotary's Beer Garden with several brands of Polish beer.

### **Gala Concert Program**

1. Dances by the Folkloric Ensemble 'Syrenka', Sydney – Kosciuszko Polonez in C Major – Senior Girls and Dances from the Region of Kurpie
2. 'Bogong' and 'Variation on a Theme by Kosciuszko' – performed by John Hospodaryk
3. 'Naczelniku' and 'Nadzieja' – performed by Tadeusz Szymanski
4. 'Skarby' ('Treasures') – performed by the ensemble 'Kombi' (Basia Henclewska and Ela Machowicz)
5. Songs and Dances from 'Surrender', 'Life is Life' and 'Avinion' – performed by the POLHOP Ensemble
6. 'Lajkonik' Representative Ensemble, Dances from Chelm
7. 'Ballad of Mt Kosciuszko' (Ballada o Górze Kościuszki) – performed by Gloria Strzelecki

### **11.30 to noon – Official Opening**

Introductions:

- MC Caroline Fox
  - Welcome to Country – a representative of the Ngarigo People of the Monaro
  - Mayor of Cooma Monaro Shire Council, Mr Vin Good
  - Deputy Head of Mission, Embassy of the Republic of Poland, Mr Witold Krzesinski
  - Presentation of Art Prize by Mr John Vucic, General Manager of Cooma Monaro Shire Council
8. 'Who were you Adyna?' (lyrics by Lee Taylor-Friend) – performed by Halina Gad
  9. Dances from Kurpie Region – 'Lajkonik' Ensemble
  10. Traditional Dancers of Monaro – Farewell Ceremony (40min performance)