

Poland in Brief

School – basic information

- In 2020 our school had its 75th anniversary
- The school building is located on a past ghetto ground
- Until 2019 the school was called "Zespół Szkół Licealno-Gimnazjalnych" and now it is "I Liceum Ogólnokształcące"
- Currently, Iwona Mokras-Wosik is the Head Teacher of our school





School profiles

- Our school has an option of 3 profiles: math-IT, biology-chemistry and, humanities. Each of them gives different opportunities for students that attend here.



School activities



Interests of
young people



VOIVODESHIP OF LODZ

- It covers an area of 18,218.95 km².
- One of the 16 voivodeships of Poland.
- Located in the central part of the country.
- In 2020, 2.4 mln people were recorded here.
- Lodz is the most important city in our region.
- Important cities: Łódź, Piotrków Trybunalski, Pabianice, Tomaszów Mazowiecki.



LODZ

- Lodz is the third city in Poland in terms of population.
- It was granted city rights in 1423.
- Hanna Zdanowska is the president of Lodz.



LOWICZ

- Lowicz is very associated with regional traditions and costumes.
- Established in 1136, town rights in 1298.
- The mayor of Lowicz is Krzysztof Kalinski.





GLOWNO

- Established in 15th century, town rights – 1427-1869, 1925.
- Mayor of Glowno – Grzegorz Janeczek.
- Glowno is divided into districts.
- The local football team is Stal Glowno.

WARSAW- THE CAPITAL OF THE COUNTRY



Presidential Palace



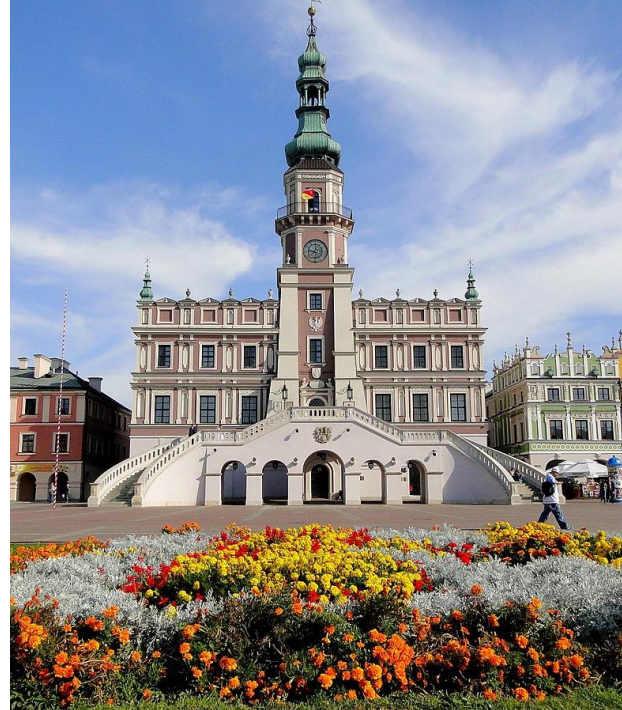
**Palace of Culture
and Science**



**Palace in
Wilanów**



Royal Castle



TOP 5 MOST BEAUTIFUL TOWNS IN POLAND

1. Gdańsk
2. Cracow
3. Wrocław
4. Zamość
5. Warsaw

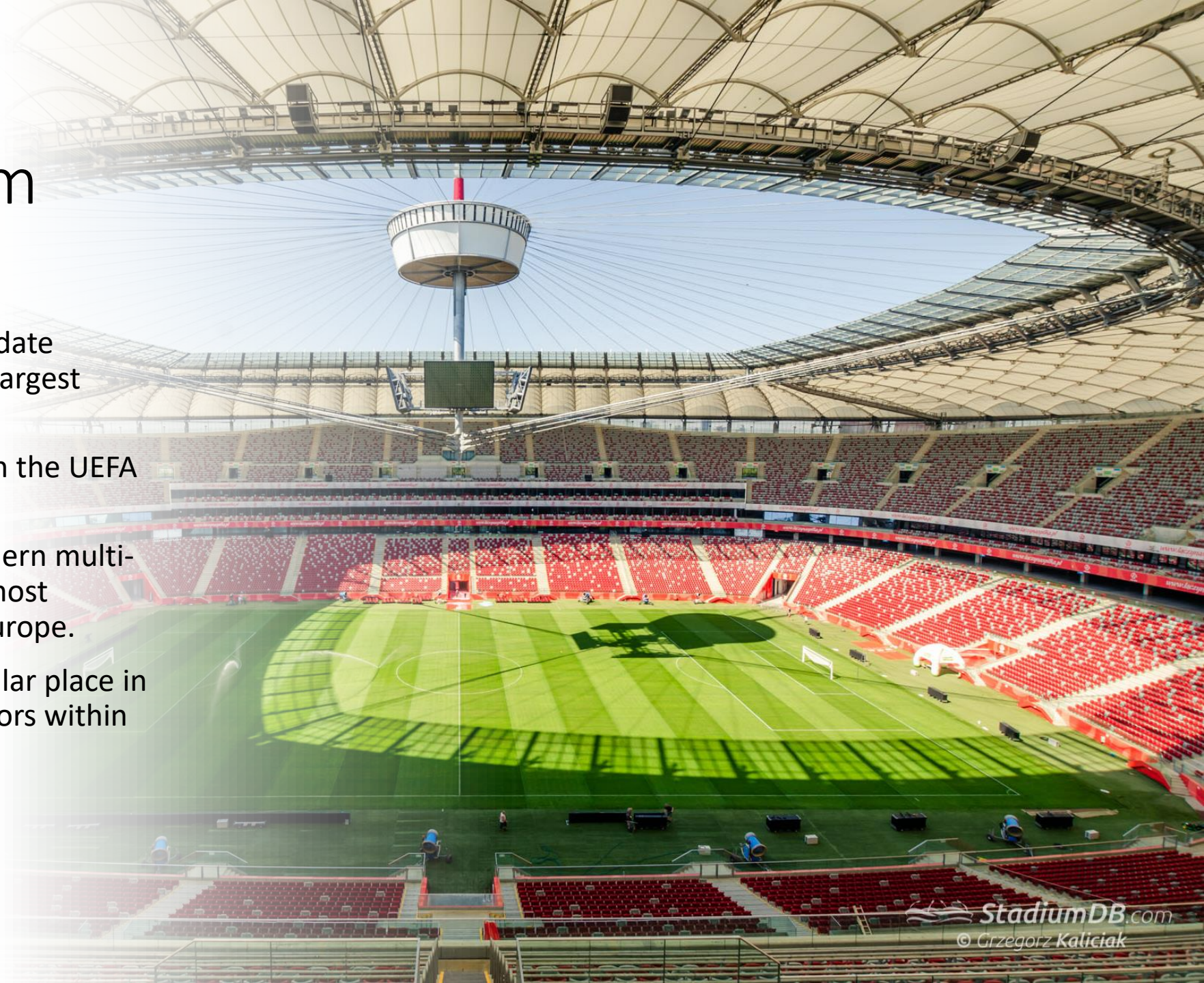
THE MOST INTERESTING PART OF POLISH HISTORY

- The country with the first constitution in Europe, the second in the World.
- The country that disappeared from the map of Europe for the next 123 years.
- The nation that defeated communism.
- Moving capital of Poland.



National Stadium

- The Polish stadium can accommodate around 60,000 people and is the largest stadium in Poland.
- It has the 4th (highest) category in the UEFA classification
- National stadium is the most modern multi-functional arena and one of the most modern facilities of this type in Europe.
- In 2013, it became the most popular place in Poland, attracting 1,3 million visitors within 12 months.





Famous Polish people

Culture and customs



CHRISTMAS IN POLAND

Easter

- spring cleaning
- painting eggs
- Wet Monday
- Holy Week



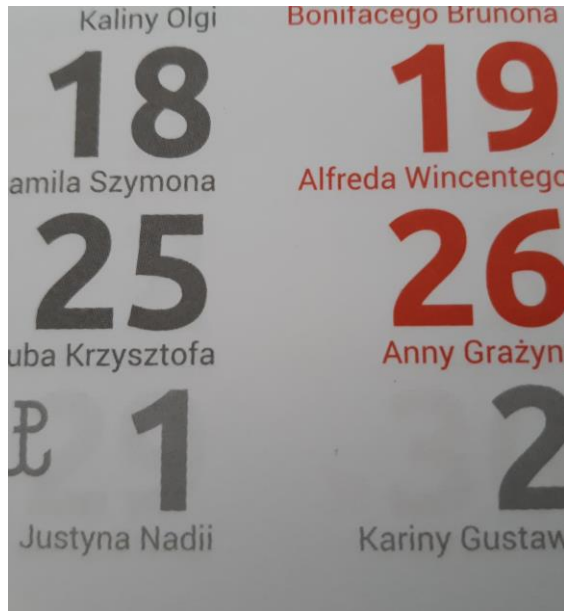


Culture and customs

- National Flag Day (2nd of May)
- Meetings with friends or family on the weekend of May called "Majówka"
- Polish custom of drowning and burning Marzanna – Slavic goddess of winter, symbolizing the arrival of spring

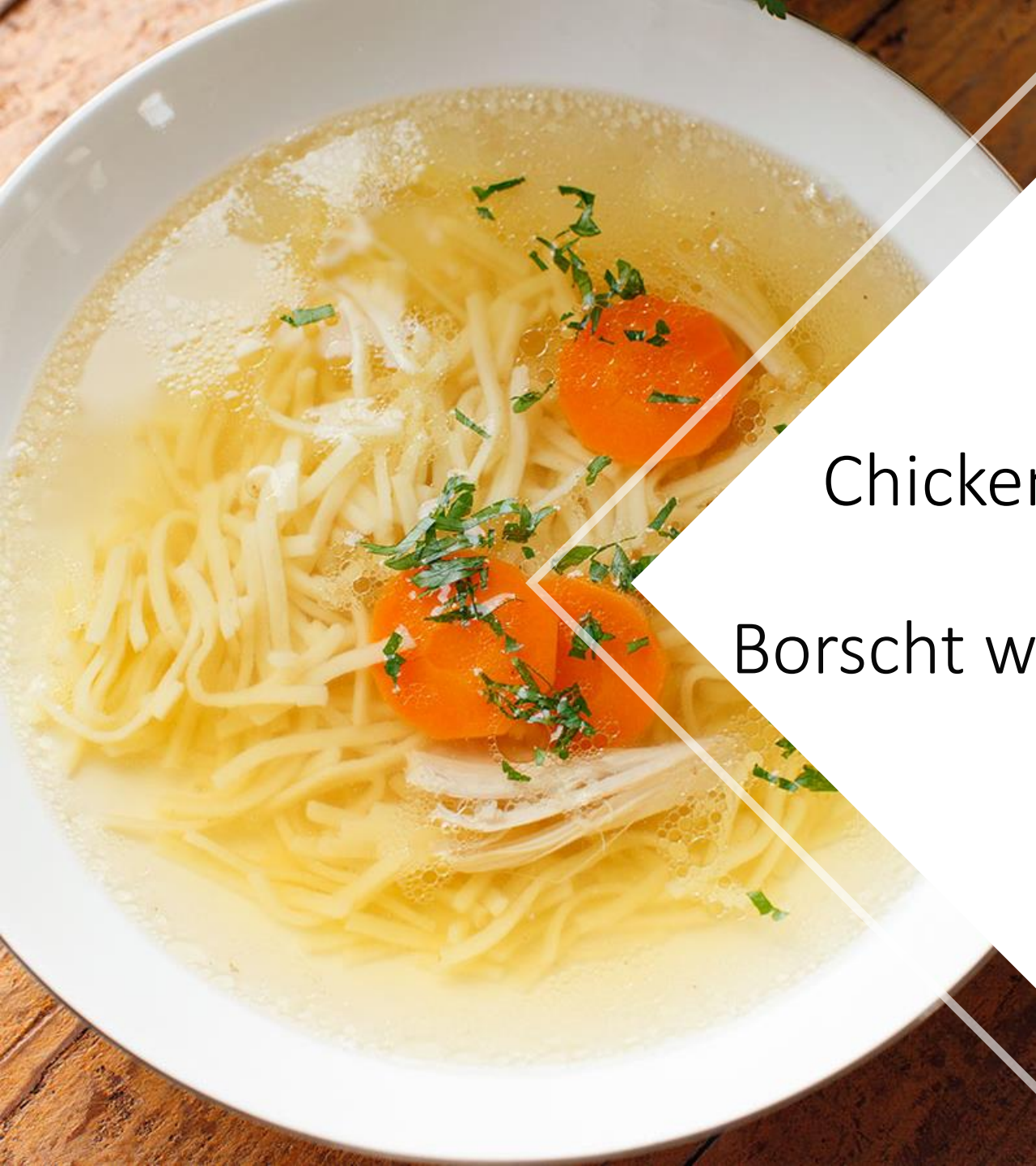


Strange Polish customs for foreigners





Cuisine



Chicken soup

Borscht with ravioli



Vegetable salad



Sandwiches



Apple Pancakes

Pierogi

- One of the most popular Polish dishes!
- Most often eaten on Christmas Eve



Bigos

- Also, most often eaten on second day of Christmas
- There is no person in Poland who doesn't like it





Desserts

Makowiec - Yeast poppy seed cake that's one of Poland's most popular desserts.

Faworki – Angel wings - traditional, sweet crisp pastry, deep-fried and sprinkled with powdered sugar. Most often eaten during the carnival and Fat Thursday.



Compote

Black tea

The most popular drinks in Poland.

Thank you for your attention :)