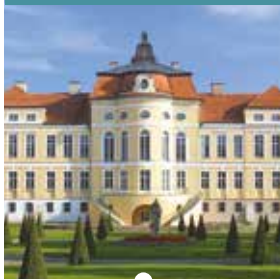
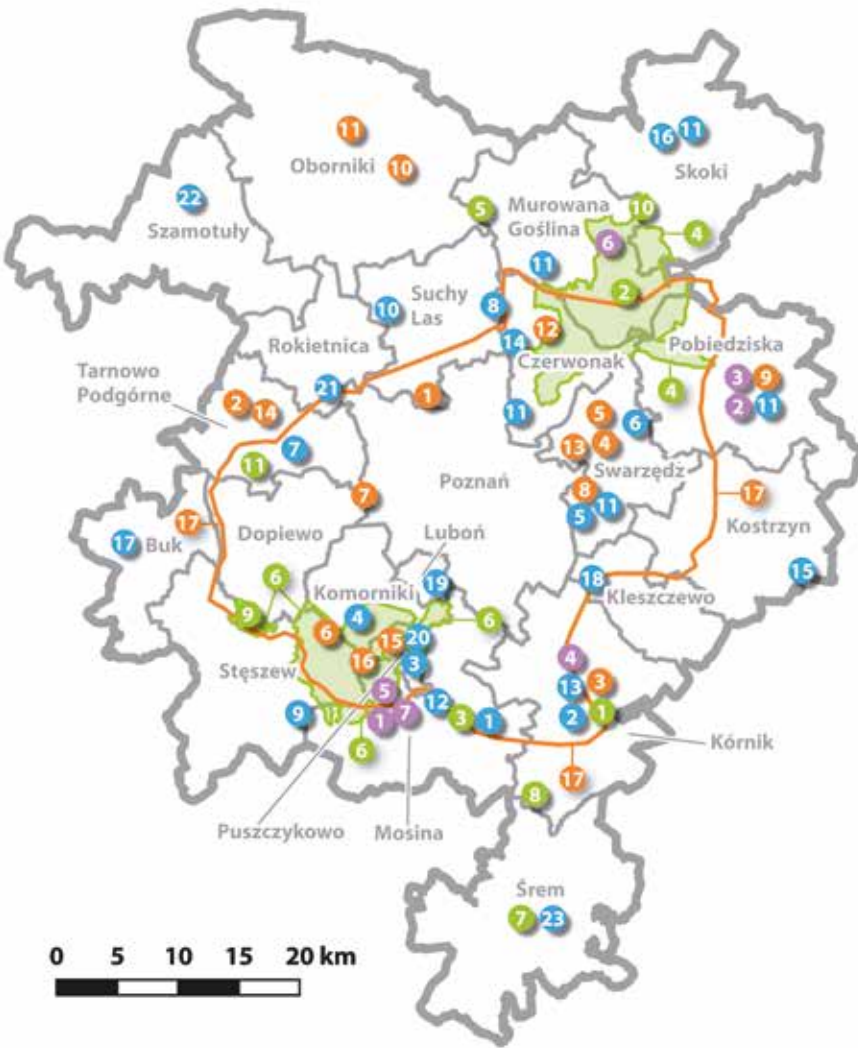


# Tourist attractions

## Surroundings of Poznań



# The map of the Poznań Metropolis



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- Wielkopolski National Park
- Warta Boardwalk in Śrem
- Nature education path "Bobrowy Szlak"
- Trzcieleński Swamp
- Lakes: Gackie, Borowe, Książę and Dzwonowskie
- Lusowskie Lake

## Sports and recreation

- "Octopus" Water Park
- Tarnowskie Thermal Baths
- Recreation and Sports Center "Oaza"
- Swarzędz Sports and Recreation Center
- Cascader Park Ropes Course in Kobylnica
- DELI Park
- Rodzinka Playground
- Skatepark in Swarzędz
- WakePlace – wakeboarding lift
- Motocross track in Oborniki
- Airstrip in Słonawy
- Trapper Hut
- "Podkowa Gruszczyń" Stud Farm
- "Misialek" Ice Skating Rink
- SPA\_Jarnia<sup>DAY SPA</sup>
- Active Three – three activity routes
- Poznań County Bicycle Ring

## Other attractions

- Trolley Rail in Mosina
- Open Air Piastowski Trail Miniature Museum
- Pobiedziska Burgh
- Train Scale Model in Borówiec
- Observation Tower in Mosina
- Indian Village in Łopuchówko
- "Dandy from Mosina" Monument

## Great outdoor

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# TRAVELLING AROUND POZNAŃ

## TRAIN



Most of the larger towns of Poznań Metropolis can be reached by train. The train schedule is available on the [www.rozklad-pkp.pl](http://www.rozklad-pkp.pl).

## BUS



Most of the attractions of Poznań Metropolis can be reached by bus. More information about bus travel connections on [www.e-podroznik.pl](http://www.e-podroznik.pl), [www.poznan.jakdojade.pl](http://www.poznan.jakdojade.pl) and on the websites of each Community.

## CAR



All attractions described in this publication are available by car.

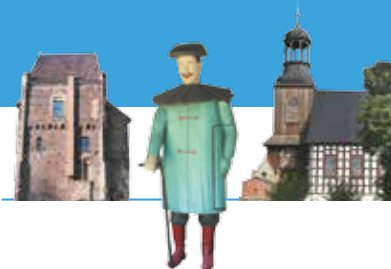
## POZNAŃ CITY CARD

Free entrance, discounted admission or the keepsake gadget with the Poznań City Card.



# History and architecture

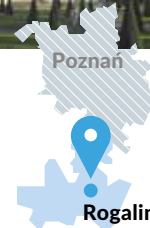
Poznań's surrounding areas were the site of many battles, both in the times of Władysław Łokietek (the battle of Palędzie with the teutonic Knights), and during Wielkopolskie Uprising in 1918-1919. Historical figures, such as Napoleon Bonaparte, went through and stayed in the city. It was there that great houses built their abodes like the Górk family and later their successors the Działyński family in Kórnik. The traces of this heritage can be seen in many mansions and palaces. Many famous Poles were born in Poznań's neighbouring towns – the Nobel Prize winning poet Wisława Szymborska, born in Bnin, is one of many examples. Everyone can find something for themselves here – from medieval settlements, to wooden churches, numerous museums, to lavish palaces.



## 1 Rogalin Palace and Museum



Rogalin  
Arciszewskiego 2  
Mosina Community  
Tel. +48 61 813 88 00  
[www.rogalin.mnp.art.pl](http://www.rogalin.mnp.art.pl)



The walls of the palace in Rogalin host a museum whose **collections tell the story of the aristocratic Raczyński family**. The exhibition also includes the **carriage house** and a **Painting Gallery**. The museum tour can be accompanied by a rented **audio guide** of the Palace interiors as well as a **tablet** with an audio- and video guide of the Painting Gallery.

The Painting  
Gallery tour  
with a tablet



## 2 Kórnik Castle

photo by Archive of the Poznań County



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Kórnik

Kórnik  
Zamkowa 5  
Kórnik Community  
Tel. +48 61 817 00 81  
[www.bkpan.poznan.pl](http://www.bkpan.poznan.pl)

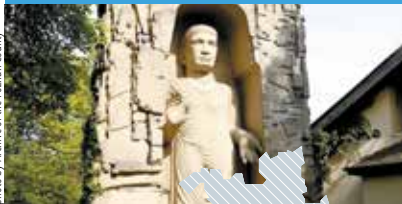
Nowadays, the 19th century Neo-Gothic castle in Kórnik has the appearance and character of a defensive structure. It houses a **museum** with paintings by Polish and European masters, numismatic collections, Polish and Eastern military accessories, or ethnographic and natural collections from Australia and Oceania. The Castle's many rooms are said to be haunted by the **ghost of the White Lady**.

The Castle's many rooms are said to be haunted by the ghost of the White Lady



## 3 Arkady Fiedler's Museum and Literary Workshop in Puszczykowo

photo by Archive of the Poznań County



Poznań

Puszczykowo

Puszczykowo  
ul. Słowackiego 1  
Tel. +48 61 813 37 94,  
+48 61 813 31 90  
[www.fiedler.pl](http://www.fiedler.pl)

The most **interesting memorabilia and trophies from many travels of Polish writer and traveller Arkady Fiedler** and his sons have been gathered in the museum (at old house of Fiedler's family). Some of the exhibits can be tested – playing the tam-tam, or other exotic instruments. A very original attraction is the **real life-sized replica of Christopher Columbus' legendary ship, Santa Maria**. The Garden of Tolerance surrounding the Museum building holds an unusual collection of sculptured replicas of famous ancient monuments, including the **Bolivian Gate of the Sun**, an **Aztec calendar** and an **Easter Islands statue**.



The real life-sized replica of Christopher Columbus' legendary ship, Santa Maria

photo by Archive of the Arkady Fiedler's Museum and Literary Workshop



## 4 National Museum of Agriculture and Food Industry in Szreniawa

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Szreniawa

Szreniawa/Komorniki  
ul. Dworcowa 5  
Komorniki Community  
Tel. +48 61 810 76 29  
[www.muzeum-szreniawa.pl](http://www.muzeum-szreniawa.pl)

The museum presents pieces concerning the history of **Polish countryside, agriculture** and the **agricultural-food industry** from all over Poland. The museum also organizes multiple **events** and **show-and-tells – traditional bread-baking, butter churning, candle-making, autumn field work**, operating an old timey fire-truck, as well as bygone rural wedding and holiday customs.

Weighing nearly 9 500 kg self-propelled steam engine from 1919



photo by M. Kazmarczyk



## 5 Prof. R. Kostenecki Heritage Park and Beekeeping Museum in Swarzędz

photo by Archive of the National Museum of Agriculture and Food Industry in Szreniawa



Poznań

Swarzędz

Swarzędz  
ul. Poznańska 35  
Swarzędz Community  
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[www.muzeum-szreniawa.pl](http://www.muzeum-szreniawa.pl)

This open-air museum is a collection of **bee hives unique on a European scale**, which illustrates in its outdoor exhibition the history of apiculture and beekeeping in Poland. There is also an **exhibition on productive insects in Poland and in the world**. The open-air museum is located in a 4.5 hectare park created in the second half of the 19th century, which also houses a stylish **hunting lodge**.



## 6 Natural-Hunting Museum in Uzarzewo

photo by Archive of the National Museum of Agriculture and Food Industry in Szreniawa



Uzarzewo  
ul. Akacjowa 12  
Swarzędz Community  
Tel. +48 61 818 12 11  
[www.muzeum-szreniawa.pl](http://www.muzeum-szreniawa.pl)

The Museum includes historic palace – it houses the **exhibition of forestry and hunting history** since most ancient times: weaponry, hunting accessories and trophies and park complex, and the stable/carriage houses **the natural environment of Wielkopolska** is presented as well as the fauna inhabiting it, with a special emphasis on wild game. Adam Smorawiński's hunting trophies are also displayed there.



Adam Smorawiński's hunting trophies



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*Exhibits connected with the insurgents of the Greater Poland*

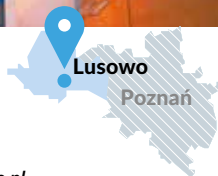


photo by Archive of the Museum of Greater Poland Uprising in Lusowo



## 7 Museum of Greater Poland Uprising in Lusowo

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Lusowo  
ul. Ogrodowa 3a  
Tarnowo Podgórne Community  
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[www.muzeumlusowo.pl](http://www.muzeumlusowo.pl)

The museum collections include **exhibits connected with the insurgents of the Greater Poland**. An equally important part of the exhibition are the memorabilia related to General Dowbor-Muśnicki and his family, and particularly with his daughters Janina and Agnieszka who died in Katyń and Palmiry in 1940. The **last part of the exhibition is related to the battles fought by soldiers of Greater Poland outside of Wielkopolska between 1919 and 1920**, among others the Polish-Soviet war.

## 8 Palac in Biedrusko



Biedrusko  
ul. 11 Maja 82  
Suchy Las Community  
Tel. +48 793 330 036  
[www.zamekbiedrusko.pl](http://www.zamekbiedrusko.pl)

Neo-Renaissance building erected between **1877-80** by Ludwik Huhn for Albrecht Otton von Treskow. Multi-storeyed, with a square tower and columnar porches, covered with a flat roof. **Richly decorated interiors**. In the **park** there is an **amphitheater**, a lovers' gazebo, **ponds** and a **fountain**. The palace hosted William II and Ferdinand Foch. Today, this beautifully restored building houses a hotel, a restaurant and the **Museum of Military and Interior Design**.

Richly decorated interiors



photo by Archive of the Suchy Las Community Office



## 9 Palace in Będlewo



Będlewo  
ul. Parkowa 1  
Stęszew Community  
Tel. +48 61 813 51 87,  
+48 61 669 83 11  
[www.palacbedlewo.pl](http://www.palacbedlewo.pl)

The Palace was erected in **1866** in the **English Neogothic style**. It is accompanied by a nine-hectare **park with three ponds and a romantic grotto**. Today, it houses the Mathematical Research and Conference Center of the Institute of Mathematics of the Polish Academy of Science. The historic buildings have been supplemented with a modern hotel facility.

*The marble fountain adorns the beautiful English-style park with numerous historical trees*



photo by S. Małecka

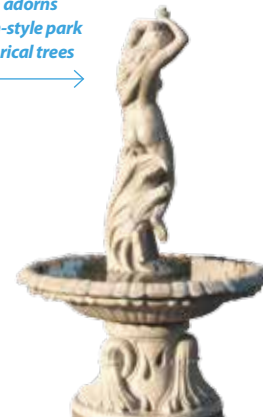
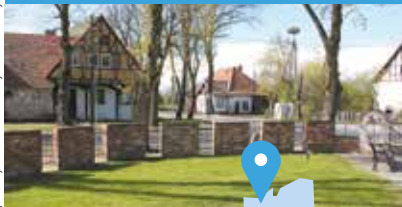


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## 10 Historic buildings in Gołęczewo

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Gołęczewo  
Suchy Las Community

A railway station, "Pod Złotą Gwiazdą" inn, school (former communal house), bathhouse and 38 houses and farmhouses **currently hold separate entries in the Registration of Monuments**. The Germans wanted to turn Gołęczewo into a **model village settlement**, and so they purchased it in 1901 and immediately entered the realization of the project by architect Paul Fischer. The high rooftop houses were erected in Prussian colours – white with red and black detailing.

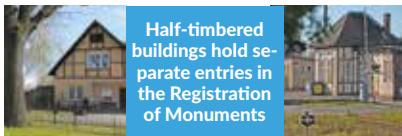


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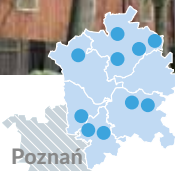
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## 11 Trail of Wooden Churches around Puszcza Zielonka

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Communities:  
Czerwonak, Swarzędz,  
Murwana Goślina,  
Pobiedziska, Kiszkowo, Skoki  
[www.puszcza-zielonka.pl/turystyka/szlak-koosciolow-drewnianych/przebieg-szlaku](http://www.puszcza-zielonka.pl/turystyka/szlak-koosciolow-drewnianych/przebieg-szlaku)

The trail is up to **140 km long**. **Twelve charming wooden churches** await the visitors in Długa Goślina, Kicin, Kiszkowo, Łagiewniki Kościelne, Raczkowo, Jabłkowo, Rejowiec, Skoki, Sławno, Uzarszewo, Węglewo and Wierzenica. The oldest of them (in Węglewo and Wierzenica) have been built in the Middle Ages; the history of the rest of them goes back to the 17th century.

*The richly decorated Baroque altar from the eighteenth century in the church in Jabłkowo*



## 12 St. Michael Archangel and Our Lady Supporter of the Faithful in Rogalinek

photo by Archive of the Mosina Municipality Office



Rogalinek  
ul. Wodna 8  
Mosina Community  
Tel. +48 61 893 80 61  
[www.rogalinek.archpoznan.pl/index.php/o-nas](http://www.rogalinek.archpoznan.pl/index.php/o-nas)

**A late-Baroque wooden church**, built at the turn of the **seventeenth and eighteenth centuries**, located at the edge of the village. Its roof is shingled and crested with a tower. This little church is richly adorned. Its most interesting monument is its **altar with a true copy of the original late-Gothic sculpture of Madonna and Child** (stolen in 2002) and the **side altar, an example of 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup> century folk art**.

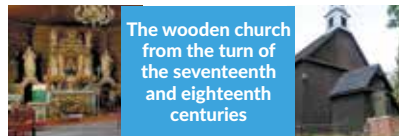


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## 13 All Saints Church in Kórnik

photo by T. Sachnowiak



Kórnik  
ul. Średzka 1  
Kórnik Community  
[www.parafrawszystkich.pl](http://www.parafrawszystkich.pl)

Built in **1437** from the foundation of the mighty Górk family. Inside there are **three late Renaissance tombstones** of the Górk family from the 17th century, as well as the **alabaster tombstone** of Teofila of Działyński Szoldrska-Potulicka (the popular **"White Lady"** – the **spirit haunted castle in Kórnik**) from the 18<sup>th</sup> century. In the basement of the church **the Działyński family and Zamoyski family crypts** are located.

The crypts of the family Działyński and Zamoyski are located in the undergrounds of the church



photo by Archive of the Kórnik Municipality Office



## 14 Former Cistercian Church and Monastery in Owińska

photo by Archive of the Czerwonak Community Office



Owińska  
pl. Przemysława  
Czerwonak Community  
[www.owinska.pl](http://www.owinska.pl),  
[www.niewidomi.edu.pl](http://www.niewidomi.edu.pl)



The monastery was raised around 1250. Today, it is a **late Baroque church** of John the Baptist, and the monastery walls house the Special Educational Centre for Visually Impaired Children. In the nearby park there is **the only Spacial Orientation Park in Europe**, where the visually impaired children learn how to move about in an open space (it is open also for visitors). The unique **Typhological Museum** also resides here. The whole area can be visited via an **outdoor game**, "Around Owińska Monastery", available for download at [www.czerwonak.pl](http://www.czerwonak.pl).



The only in this scale Spacial Orientation Park in Europe

photo by Archive of the Poznań Tourism Organisation



## 15 Church of St. Kazimierz in Gułtowy

photo by H. Błażnio



Gułtowy  
ul. Pałacowa 8  
Kostrzyn Community



The Church of St. Kazimierz was built in 1738. It is distinguished by its picturesque, **half-timbered architecture** and it has the reputation of being one of the most beautiful buildings of this kind in the entire Wielkopolska region. It is accompanied by a **neo-Gothic Bniński family burial chapel from 1784**, and a **wooden tower from 1834**. The interiors of the church, including the altar, are in the rococo style.

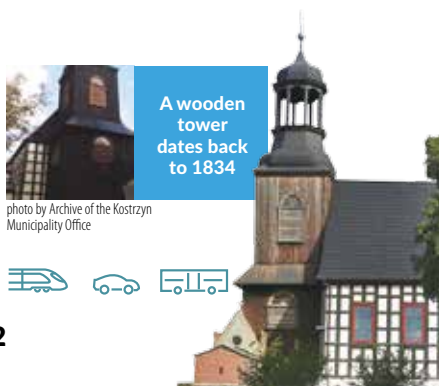


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A wooden tower dates back to 1834



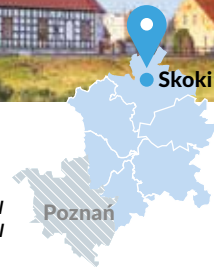
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## 16 Church of St. Nicholas the Bishop in Skoki

photo by K. Lubawa



Skoki  
ul. Kościelna 7  
Skoki Community  
[www.gmina-skoki.pl](http://www.gmina-skoki.pl)  
[www.parafiaskoki.pl](http://www.parafiaskoki.pl)



This petite, picturesque temple was built in **the 1730's**, in the place of a former church. What distinguishes it is its brick-filled, timber framing – a **form of post-beam construction**. The interiors are in the richly adorned **rococo style**. The church itself is part of the **Trail of Wooden Churches around Puszcza Zielonka**.



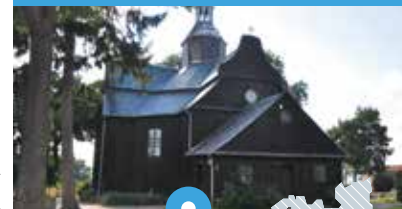
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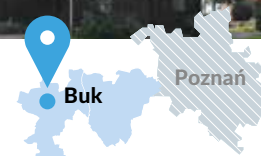


## 17 Church of the Holy Cross in Buk

photo by N. Wegmann



Buk  
ul. Bohaterów  
Bukowskich  
Buk Community  
Tel. +48 61 814 01 41  
[www.parafia\\_buk.pl](http://www.parafia_buk.pl)



This **antique wooden church** was built in **1760**. It has remained mostly unspoilt till this day with its original murals depicting scenes from St. Wojciech's life. Among the church's **most prized possessions** are a **crucifix** and a **stone font from the turn of the 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> century**. At the church there is also a well-preserved **wooden belfry from 1757** and an "Ecce Homo" statue from 1762.

Original murals depicting scenes from St. Wojciech's life



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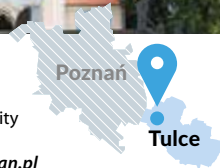


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## 18 Marian Sanctuary in Tulce

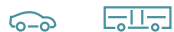
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Tulce  
ul. Pocztowa 1  
Kleszczewo Community  
Tel. +48 61 870 50 55  
[www.tulce.archpoznan.pl](http://www.tulce.archpoznan.pl)

The Church of the Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary was raised in the first half of the 13<sup>th</sup> century in the late-Romanesque style. It was rebuilt in the 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> and late 18<sup>th</sup> century. It is one of the 10 Marian sanctuaries on Papal Law located in Poznań archdiocese. The Tulce sanctuary is also **on the Roman Trail**. The **statue of Tulecka Pani from the 1500's**, a Baroque main altar and side altars from the 17<sup>th</sup> century can be seen inside.

The two-storey wooden tower from 1860



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## 19 Luboń Industrial Architecture Trail

photo by J. Pińgrych



Luboń  
[www.oklubon.pl](http://www.oklubon.pl)  
[www.lubon.poznan.travel](http://www.lubon.poznan.travel)

Mysteries big and small, solved and still awaiting answers, are a vital part of the **over 100 years of history of the Luboń factories**. The adventure begins at a time when the Polish had to fight for their own country, and ends at the time of the ownership transformations related to the groundbreaking political changes taking place in Poland in the 1990's.

Over 100 years of history in these industrial spaces

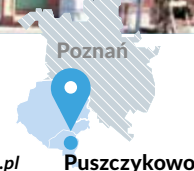


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## 20 Puszczykowo Train Station

photo by Archive of the Poznań Tourism Organisation



Puszczykowo  
ul. Wczasowa 1  
Tel. +48 61 819 45 63  
[www.puszczykowo.pl](http://www.puszczykowo.pl)  
[www.eko-lokomotywa.pl](http://www.eko-lokomotywa.pl)

Although the train station in Puszczykowo, Poznań's most famous summer resort, **exists since 1897**, the first station facility was erected in 1904. Its final look, with the **characteristic clock tower**, was completed in 1910, and has remained unchanged ever since. It has been a listed historic building since 1983, and today it also houses a **restaurant**.

The charming interiors of the station house a restaurant

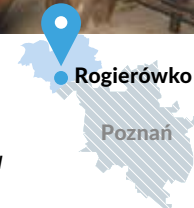
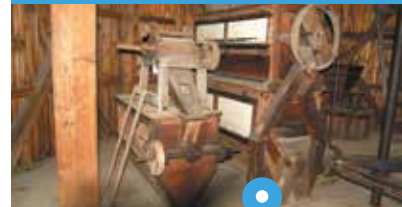


photo by Archive of the Poznań Tourism Organisation



## 21 Windmill in Rogierówko

photo by Archive of the Museum of the First Piasts at Lednica



Rogierówko  
ul. Muzealna 5  
Rokietnica Community  
Tel. +48 61 848 20 51  
[www.lednicamuzeum.pl](http://www.lednicamuzeum.pl)

Although the actual date of its creation is not known, the history of the windmill dates back to at least **1905**. It was built by a German foreman for countess Wiśniewska. It is a **typical smock mill, octagonal in plan – the only one of its kind in Poland**. The lower level used to house a steam engine. The entire **wind propulsion** was made using **lignum vitae**, an **exotic type of wood**. Nowadays, the mill houses the **Millery Museum** – a part of the Museum of the First Piasts at Lednica.

A typical smock mill, octagonal in plan – the only one of its kind in Poland



photo by Archive of the Museum of the First Piasts at Lednica

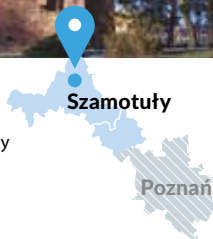


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## 22 Halszka's Keep in Szamotuły

photo by Archive of the Górka Museum-Castle in Szamotuły



Szamotuły  
ul. Wroniecka 30  
Szamotuły Community  
Tel. +48 61 292 18 13  
[www.zamek.org.pl](http://www.zamek.org.pl)

Halszka's Keep is a **late-Gothic tower built in 17<sup>th</sup> century** and it was incorporated in the ramparts of the **former castle**. It owes its name to Duchess Elżbieta Ostrogska, called Halszka. In the 16<sup>th</sup> century, at the decree of king Zygmunt August, she was to be married off to Łukasz III Górka against her will. According to legend, he locked her in the tower for 14 years, putting a black metal mask on her face. Today, the tower **houses a museum** with a collection of **religious icons** among its exhibits.

*According to the legend the Łukasz III Górka locked duchess Elżbieta Ostrogska in the tower for 14 years putting a black metal mask on her face*



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## 23 Water tower in Śrem

photo by J. Pinyrdy



Śrem  
ul. Mickiewicza  
Śrem Community  
[www.srem.pl](http://www.srem.pl)

The water tower is the most recognizable building on Śrem's skyline. It was built in **1909** and it **goes up nearly 44 meters**. It was designed to **resemble Gothic wall towers**. Inside, there is a **tank with 240 cubic meters capacity**, which holds the construction of the roof. In the night scenery the tower is a particularly impressive sight, as it is beautifully lit. It is believed that where the tower now stands, up until the 17<sup>th</sup> century, there was the St. Nicholas Church – the first temple in the city.

It was designed to resemble Gothic wall towers



photo by J. Pinyrdy



## Great outdoor

Poznań is surrounded by many lakes and forests. Only 15 km south of Poznań there is Wielkopolski National Park, or the nearby Rogaliński Landscape Park. Different in character, but equally attractive, are the grounds north of the city, with Puszcza Zielonka Landscape Park and Promno Landscape Park. Another unique spot is Biedrusko, with the remains of buildings, abandoned over 100 years ago to make a military training ground, used by the army to this day, and partially open to the civilians on weekends.



## 1 Kórnik Arboretum



Kórnik  
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Kórnik Community  
Tel. +48 61 817 00 33  
[www.idpan.poznan.pl/o-arboretum](http://www.idpan.poznan.pl/o-arboretum)

In an area of over 40 hectares (nearly 100 acres) there is a **vast collection of trees, bushes and shrubs** from the cold temperate climate zone of the Northern hemisphere. The exact number of plant species and varieties in the arboretum is **nearly 3500**. The arboretum is open every day, all year round. It is a great place for **family walks**. On the spot there is a **playground**, an **educational meadow**, a **picnic area and educational paths**. **Many events** take place here, attracting both Poznań residents and tourists – the famous Blooming Magnolias, or Azalea and Rhododendron Days.



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## 2 Forest Arboretum in Zielonka

photo by Archive of the Forest Arboretum in Zielonka



Zielonka 6  
Murwana Goślina  
Community  
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[www.up.poznan.pl/arboretum](http://www.up.poznan.pl/arboretum)



The arboretum with multiple stations is located at the very heart of of the "Puszcza Zielonka" Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty in Zielonka. It covers an **area of over 80 hectares** and presents more than **1000 species and varieties of trees and shrubs**. Nearby there is a large forest parking space with a **playground** and a **nature trail**. One of the arboretum's many attractions is a **"bug hotel"**.



photo by Archive of the Forest Arboretum in Zielonka

More than 1000 species and varieties of trees and shrubs



## 3 Oak Trees of Rogalin

photo by W. Mańka



Rogalin  
ul. Arciszewskiego 2  
Mosina Community  
Tel. +48 61 813 88 00  
[www.rogalin.mnp.art.pl](http://www.rogalin.mnp.art.pl)



**Rogalin Landscape Park** is famous for its magnificent **oak trees** – nearly two thousand of them, in fact, with many classified as nature monuments. The most famous of them are **Lech** (6.33 in girth), **Czech** (7.35 m in girth, unfortunately dead since 1992) and **Rus** (9.15 m in girth, currently the thickest of all the Rogalin oak-wood forest), as well as **Oak Edward** (6.18 m in girth). They grow near the Rogalin Palace, in the picturesque scenery of the naturalistic landscape park.

Centuries-old branches require special support



photo by W. Mańka

## 4 "Puszcza Zielonka" Landscape Park

photo by Archive of the Poznań Tourism Organisation



GPS: 52°33'12"N 17°06'48"E  
Communities:  
Czerwonak, Kiszkowo,  
Murwana Goślina,  
Pobiedziska, Skoki  
[www.turystyka.puszcza-zielonka.pl](http://www.turystyka.puszcza-zielonka.pl)



Located East of Poznań, this landscape park is the perfect place for **family leisure and recreation**. The **bicycle path** network of "Puszcza Zielonka" and its surrounding areas, **over 220 kilometers long**, is one of the most interesting and richest in Wielkopolska. **Many other paths** have also been charted here – hiking, kayaking, horse-riding, and the unique Trail of Wooden Churches, where you can learn about the wooden religious architecture of these areas.

The perfect area for a family trip



photo by K. Lubawa

The blooming spring snowflake announces the coming of spring



photo by Archive of the Poznań Tourism Organisation

## 6 Wielkopolski National Park



South of Poznań, situated between the towns of Puszczykowo-Stęszew-Mosina (WNP Nature Museum) [www.wielkopolskipn.pl](http://www.wielkopolskipn.pl)

**18 areas of strict protection** with the joint acreage of 260 hectares (over 640 acres) have been established in the park. They protect among others **32 monument trees**. **Five signposted hiking trails** with the joint length of **85 kilometers** run through the park. **Seven walks** run across these trails. **Over 100 kilometers of cycle paths** are available in the park, as well as **30 kilometers of horse riding paths**. In the park there is also many **listed buildings** and the **WNP Nature Museum in Jeziory**.

A paradise for nature and active leisure lovers



photo by P. Byszałowski

## 7 Warta Boardwalk in Śrem



Southern shore of the Warta river in the center of Śrem, between the 23 Stycznia Bridge and Mickiewicza St. Śrem Community [www.srem.pl](http://www.srem.pl)

An ideal place for strolls and active leisure. The Boardwalk is a **1 kilometer long walking and cycling path**. During the walk, nature lovers may observe **12 nature monuments**. There are benches at the boardwalk, as well as a playground.

*The monument-bench of Heliodor Święcicki – the founder and the first chancellor of **Wszchnica Polska** (from 1920 University of Poznań)*



photo by Archive of the Śrem Municipality Office

## 8 Nature education path "Bobrowy Szlak"



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Czmoniec  
Kórnik Community [www.kornik.pl](http://www.kornik.pl)

This charming path running through Rogaliński Landscape Park leads through **forests and riverside meadows**, providing unforgettable views to the former Warta riverbed and its natural wetlands. The path consists of **9 stops with information boards**. **Three variants of the path** have been designed with **different levels of difficulty** – yellow (1 km, for the youngest and beginners among nature lovers), green (around 2.5 km, for those with medium endurance) and red (4 km, for the experienced hikers).

The trail runs through meadows, along the edge of swamps, sometimes in the forest



photo by P. Byszałowski

## 9 Trzcieleńskie Swamp



Trzcieleńskie Swamp  
Trzcieleńskie Lake, 4 kilometers north of Stęszew  
Dopiewo Community [www.wielkopolskipn.pl](http://www.wielkopolskipn.pl)

This reserve is a **part of the Wielkopolski National Park**. It spreads over 38,14 hectares, including a largely overgrown and swampy Lake Trzcieleńskie in the valley of the Samica river. It is **the nesting site of over 60 species of birds**, so a good pair of binoculars is a recommended item to take along for the trip. Some of the bird species observed here include peewit, grey heron, marsh harrier, common buzzard, red kite, and also crane and oriole.

You can observe here among others the grey heron



photo by M. Bartkowiak





## 10 Lakes: Gackie, Borowe, Książę and Dzwonowskie



photo by K. Lubawa

Skoki Community  
[www.gmina-skoki.pl](http://www.gmina-skoki.pl)

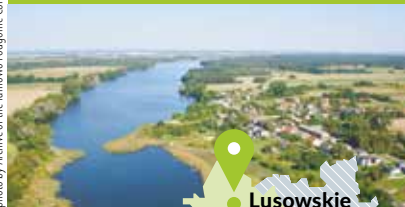
**Lakes: Gackie, Borowe, Książę and Dzwonowskie**



Skoki and its surroundings abound in lakes. Big or small, they are an invitation to outdoor leisure close to nature, such as **going for a walk** or a **bicycle ride**. A good excuse to do just that is the nearby Cistercian Trail. What is noteworthy is that the Skoki lakes are teeming with fish, and so are a **true fisherman's paradise**.

## 11 Lusowskie Lake

photo by Archive of the Tarnowo Podgórne Community Office



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 Tarnowo Podgórne Community  
[www.tarnowo-podgorne.pl/dla-turystow](http://www.tarnowo-podgorne.pl/dla-turystow)

**Lusowskie Lake**

The lake is located in the **Protected Landscape Area**, which makes its water among the cleanest in the region. There is also a **modern beach** in Lusowo, inviting lakeside leisure. Due to the abundance of fish species, the lake has been named the **fishermen's paradise**. There is also a multitude of **bird nestings in the area**, and along the north shore of the lake there is a **romantic linden-aspen alvenue**.

← *One of the cleanest lakes in the region*



photo by K. Lubawa

photo by Archive of the Tarnowo Podgórne Community Office

# Sports and recreation

Tens, if not hundreds of kilometers of walking and biking routes go through Poznań area. This is a great way to see both the sights and the nature, which together make up the city's suburban landscape. Around Poznań there are many sports facilities and water parks. For those longing for more exciting experiences there are rope parks or motorcross tracks. For those looking to relax and unwind, there are modern and uniquely designed SPAs.



## 1 "Octopus" Water Park



photo by Archive of the Suchy Las Community Office

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[www.octopus.suchylas.pl](http://www.octopus.suchylas.pl)

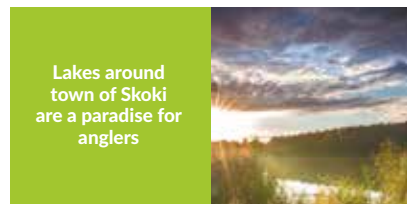


In this **modern water park**, everyone will find something for themselves – a **six-track pool**, ideal for recreational swimming, as well as a **pool with many attractions** – **water beds**, an **air geyser**, **jacuzzi** and **water slides**. Right by the swimming pool there is also a **bowling alley**, a restaurant and a business/conference studio.



photo by Archive of the Suchy Las Community Office

An excellent place for entertainment for the whole family



Lakes around town of Skoki are a paradise for anglers

photo by K. Lubawa





## 2 Tarnowskie Thermal Baths

photo by Archive of the Tarnowskie Thermal Baths



Tarnowo Podgórne  
ul. Nowa 54  
Tarnowo Podgórne Community  
Tel. +48 61 818 28 63  
[www.tarnowskie-termy.pl](http://www.tarnowskie-termy.pl)

Tarnowskie Thermal Baths is a modern **pool and recreation complex**. An exceptional **aqua park** which acquires its water from **geothermal springs 1200 meters underground**, delivering water at the temperature of over 45.7 degrees Celsius. **Three zones – recreational, sports and sauna** with **pools** and many **water attractions** are great fun for the kids. Outside, there is a large, **sandy beach** with a playground, a graduation tower, a beach volleyball court and leisure zones.

A huge sandy beach allows you to truly relax



photo by Archive of the Tarnowskie Thermal Baths

## 3 Recreation and Sports Center "Oaza"

photo by Archive of the Recreation and Sports Center "Oaza"



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ul. I. Krasieckiego 1  
Kórnik Community  
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+48 668 568 266  
[www.oaza.kornik.pl](http://www.oaza.kornik.pl)

Recreation and Sports Center "Oaza" in Kórnik has a wide variety of attractions for kids and adults the same, becoming a place of fun, relaxation and physical activity. Next to a **pool** and **wellness center**, there is a **gym**, a **fitness center**, rehabilitation, hair salon and a restaurant. The sports hall hosts many matches and other **events**.

photo by Archive of the Recreation and Sports Center "Oaza"



Well-equipped gym encourages to take care of the physical condition

## 4 Swarzędz Sports and Recreation Center

photo by M. Kaczmarczyk



Swarzędz  
ul. Kosynierów 1  
Swarzędz Community  
Tel. +48 61 650 95 20  
[www.scsir.swarzedz.pl](http://www.scsir.swarzedz.pl)

A **swimming pool "Wodny Raj"**, an **all-year skating rink**, a **sports arena**, a **tennis court**, **three full sized football pitches**, a seasonal water equipment rental are all part of the complex. The swimming pool consists of a sports pool and a recreational pool with the so-called **"wild river"**, **two multimedia water-slides**, a **whirlpool** and a **kiddie pool**. There is also an **attractive SPA** offer, a **bowling alley** and a cafe in this complex.

From April till October four tennis courts are available



photo by Archive of the Śrem Municipality Office

## 5 Cascader Park Ropes Course in Kobylnica

photo by Archive of the Cascader Park Ropes Course in Kobylnica



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ul. Poznańska 44  
Kobylnica Community  
Tel. +48 782 140 315,  
+48 669 621 333  
[www.cascaderpark.pl](http://www.cascaderpark.pl)

Cascader Park is the **largest ropes course in Wielkopolska** – located in Kobylnica, a small town outside Poznań. Visitors can enjoy **4 ropes courses** adapted for children, young adults and adults, **2 zip lines** and a **picnic area** of over one acre – an ideal place for a picnic, a company retreat, a birthday party.

The largest ropes course in Wielkopolska



## 6 DELI Park

photo by Archive of the DELI Park



Poznań

Stęszew

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ul. Poznańska 1  
Stęszew Community  
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+48 797 992 720  
[www.delipark.pl](http://www.delipark.pl)

DELI Park is an **education and recreation park**. It hosts a miniature park of the world's most famous buildings, models of giant insects and prehistoric animals as well as a mini zoo. **Poland's first sky-high ECO Village** was opened here – it is a series of 10 hanging bridges attached to 11 trees, with terraces and tree houses. The visitors can safely walk in the treetops.

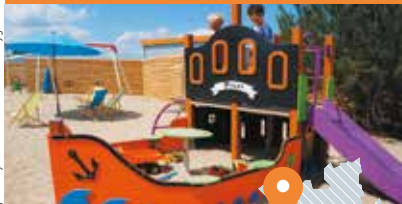
photo by Archive of the DELI Park



Tree houses and terraces are built on the 11 trees connected by hanging bridges

## 7 Rodzinka Playground

photo by Archive of the Rodzinka Playground



Poznań

Skórzewo

Skórzewo  
ul. Skórzewska 19  
Dopiewo Community  
Tel. +48 508 522 684,  
+48 508 522 686  
[www.parkrodzinka.pl](http://www.parkrodzinka.pl)

A wide array of attractions for children and whole families, including **playgrounds, activities, workshops, interactive floors**, touchscreens, a **climbing wall**, multilevel jungle gym, trampolines and slides. Outside there are also many attractions such as a rope course, a rope pyramid, merry-go-rounds and swings.

*Unforgettable attractions for children*



## 8 Skatepark in Swarzędz



photo by M. Paulis

Poznań

Swarzędz

Swarzędz  
ul. Kosynierów 1  
Swarzędz Community  
[www.swarzedz.pl](http://www.swarzedz.pl)

The Swarzędz Skatepark is **one of the most modern in Poland** – it is a so-called skatepark plaza, which combined the green and parks and rec elements with sports equipment. Its **acreage is 1704,58 square meters**, its length – 58 meters and width – nearly 42 meters. The sports elements of the park are: stairs with railing, a manual box, a grand curb, a grind box, a quarter pipe, a mini bank, a fun box pyramid wave, a double set, a gap and a vulcano.

An ideal place to perform tricks on bicycles, roller skates and skateboards



## 9 WakePlace – Wakeboarding lift



photo by K. Kępczyński

Poznań

Pobiedziska

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Pobiedziska Community  
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+48 607 636 710  
[www.kuwakawake.pl](http://www.kuwakawake.pl)

Wakeboarding, for those who may not be familiar with the term, is snowboarding on water. **On Lake Biezdruchowo**, a state-of-the-art, **200-meter lift** was built for this sport. It is meant for pros and amateurs alike, the latter beginning their wakeboarding adventure under the watchful eye of professional instructors.

200-meter lift will satisfy all wakeboarding enthusiasts

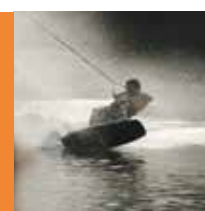
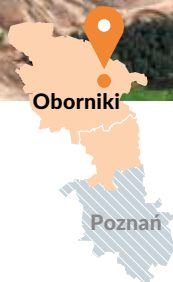


photo by K. Kępczyński



## 10 Motocross track in Oborniki

photo by Archive of the Poznan Tourism Organisation



Oborniki  
Droga Leśna 7  
Oborniki Community  
Tel. +48 604 773 753  
[www.motokluboborniki.pl](http://www.motokluboborniki.pl)

The motocross track in Oborniki **was built after the revitalisation of a former aggregate mine, which makes it a unique facility on a national scale.** It is now one of the most spectacular and most beautifully located tracks in Poland. The track is ideally suited to **motor, cycling and off-road car sports** both on a competitive and amateur scale. The route goes through an excavation hollow and in the valley of the river Warta, and the auditorium stands are located on a natural embankment.

The most spectacular and the most beautifully situated motocross track in Poland



photo by Archive of the Motoclub in Oborniki



## 11 Airstrip in Słonawy

photo by Archive of the Poznan Tourism Organisation



Oborniki  
ul. Wybudowanie 129  
Oborniki Community  
Tel. +48 602 885 761  
[www.osl-oborniki.info](http://www.osl-oborniki.info)

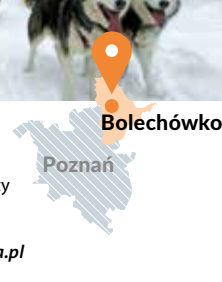
For all the adrenaline junkies out there – the **opportunity to see the aerial view of the city on a powered hang glider is nothing to sneeze at.** Thanks to the Obornickie Aviation Association, sky-high scenic flights are also available. The Aviation Revue has named the Słonawy facility "a friendly airstrip".

*The views from the air are an unforgettable experience for everyone*



photo by Archive of the Trapper Hut

## 12 Trapper Hut



Bolechówko  
ul. Lipowa 50A  
Czerwonak Community  
Tel. +48 693 160 293,  
+48 663 523 921  
[www.traperska-osada.pl](http://www.traperska-osada.pl)

Traperska Osada offers many **agritourist attractions**, ideal for anyone who loves outdoor leisure. Walks, hikes, **cycling trips, horse riding**, as well as **dog sleighing** guarantee lots of fun and entertainment for both kids and adults.



Here you can feel like on the Wild West



## 13 "Podkowa Gruszczyń" Stud Farm

photo by Archive of the Trapper Hut



Gruszczyń  
ul. Zielińska 42  
Swarzędz Community  
Tel. +48 607 096 556  
[www.podkowagruszczyzn.pl](http://www.podkowagruszczyzn.pl)

The stud farm offers **horse riding lessons in all levels of advancement.** Classes with instructor are held on horses and ponies especially matched to the rider's skill set. The stud farm also offers **chaise rides, horseback tours and accommodation** at an agritourism facility.

*Horse riding lessons in all levels of advancement*



photo by Archive of the "Podkowa Gruszczyń" Stud Farm



## 14 "Misiałek" Ice Skating Rink

photo by A. Zandacki



Tarnowo Podgórne  
ul. Poznańska 131 A  
Tarnowo Podgórne Community  
Tel. +48 511 894 656  
[www.lodowiskomisialek.pl](http://www.lodowiskomisialek.pl)

The **full-sized indoor rink** enables perfect conditions for a lot of ice skating fun. Excellent ventilation, great music, a snack bar and a skate rental complete the rink's facilities.

Great fun for the whole family



photo by A. Zandacki

Relax in luxurious conditions

## 15 SPA\_larnia<sup>DAY SPA</sup>

photo by Archive of the SPA\_larnia<sup>DAY SPA</sup>



Puszczykowo  
ul. Czarnieckiego 56  
Tel. +48 61 813 37 38  
[www.spalarnia.com.pl](http://www.spalarnia.com.pl)

Located at the **very edge of Wielkopolski National Park**, they are the sanctuary of peace and quiet. On the area of over 1000 sq m, there are facilities such as a **glass mosaic-tiled pool with ozonated water**, a counterflow and a jet stream shower, a **large dry sauna**, a **steam WNP**, massage and beauty parlours. The guests may also enjoy the **hotel facilities** and a **restaurant**.



photo by Archive of the SPA\_larnia<sup>DAY SPA</sup>



## 16 Active Three - three activity routes around Wielkopolska National Park

photo by Archive of the Mosina Municipality Office



Communities:  
Mosina,  
Puszczykowo,  
Komorniki,  
Stęszew

With active, outside all-year-round leisure in mind, on the initiative of **Mosina, Puszczykowo, Komorniki and Stęszew** communities and in **cooperation with Wielkopolski National Park (WNP)**, the project Active Three was created – **three activity routes around WNP**. As part of the initiative, a unique network of **over 55 kilometers of marked routes** was designated in the form of closed loops with varied lengths and difficulty levels, designed for **nordic walking, running**, and in the winter also **cross-country skiing**.

Over 55 km marked trails



photo by Archive of the Mosina Municipality Office



## 17 Poznań County Bicycle Ring

photo by Archive of the Poznań County



Communities:  
Mosina, Stęszew,  
Tarnowo Podgórne,  
Murowana Goślina,  
Kostrzyn, Kórnik

The ring is 173 kilometers long and encompasses Poznań's surrounding areas' **most interesting spots**. They are **tourist attractions** in communities: **Mosina, Stęszew, Tarnowo Podgórne, Murowana Goślina, Kostrzyn and Kórnik**. The route is aimed at enthusiasts of one-day bicycle trips. A whole of **7 connecting routes** have been created, leaving the city in a radial manner. After having completed any of the routes on the ring, each one allows for an easy return into the city. Each route has **characteristic markings – a black bicycle on an orange background with a designation of route direction**. For more information on Poznań's bicycle routes, go to [www.rowery.poznan.travel](http://www.rowery.poznan.travel).



photo by Archive of the Poznań County





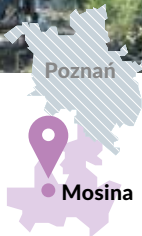
# Other attractions

When discovering the attractions of Poznań's surrounding areas, it might be worth it to try some of the more unorthodox suggestions. This will definitely add some "oomph" to the sightseeing experience and make it a bit richer. Taking part in Medieval games or archery with a bow used by Native Americans will surely stimulate the imagination of many children and grown-ups alike. An unforgettable ride on a handcar through the forests of Wielkopolski National Park will be a cherished memory for years to come and the view from the observation tower will amaze quite a few visitors of the Poznań area.



## 1 Trolley Rail in Mosina

photo by Archive of the Trolley Rail in Mosina



Mosina  
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(start station)  
Mosina Community  
Tel. +48 512 227 912  
[www.naszredziny.pl](http://www.naszredziny.pl)

An unforgettable **ride in a bicycle trolley** on a closed train track from **Puszczykówko to Osowa Góra**. The ride takes place in alternation. It is an interesting, attractive and active way of spending free time with no age limits.

photo by Archive of the Trolley Rail in Mosina



*An active way to spend free time with no age restrictions*



## 2 Open Air Piastowski Trail Miniature Museum



Pobiedziska  
ul. Fabryczna 10  
Pobiedziska Community  
Tel. +48 61 817 78 22  
[www.ok-pobiedziska.pl/cms/70/skansen\\_miniatur](http://www.ok-pobiedziska.pl/cms/70/skansen_miniatur)

The open air Miniature Museum is a park with **scale models of historic objects as well as interesting parts of Wielkopolska city housing**. They are a **faithful reproductions** of the original buildings with all details intact, made in 1:20 scale. Some of the models in the museum are the Rogalin Palace, Raczyński Library, Gniezno Cathedral and Poznań Old Market Square.



Dozens of scale models of famous buildings of Piast Trail and Wielkopolska

photo by Archive of the Poznań Tourism Organisation



## 3 Pobiedziska Burgh



Pobiedziska  
ul. Fabryczna 1  
Pobiedziska Community  
Tel. +48 601 215 175  
[www.grod-pobiedziska.pl](http://www.grod-pobiedziska.pl)

The Pobiedziska Burgh is a **wooden reconstruction of a fortress from the beginnings of the Polish State**, located on the historic Piastowski Trail midway between Poznań and Gniezno. On the grounds, there is an **exhibition of full-scale Medieval war engines, an armory, a shooting gallery** with war engines. In addition, the visitors can take part in various **games and medieval playschemes**.



Great adventure for children and adults



photo by Archive of the Pobiedziska Burgh



## 4 Train Scale Model in Borówiec

photo by Archive of the Train Scale Model in Borówiec



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ul. Uroczysko 1  
Kórnik Community  
Tel. +48 61 897 15 11  
[www.borowiecmakieta.pl](http://www.borowiecmakieta.pl)

This 1:87 scale model was built on over **250 square meters**, and is still being expanded. It features **12 rail sets** in constant motion, passing one another and running in accordance to a constantly changing schedule. Apart from trains, the model also has moving cars and planes. In an area of around **50 square meters**, the visitors can also admire **a scale model of an airport**. The runway is 12 meters long. Fully light planes taxi the airport model surface.



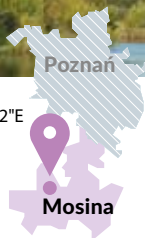
12 rail sets in constant motion

photo by Archive of the Train Scale Model in Borówiec



## 5 Observation Tower in Mosina

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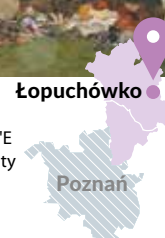
GPS: 52°15'20.5"N 16°49'55.2"E  
Mosina – Pożegowo  
Mosina Community

The wooden tower with an observation deck in Mosina is **16.97 meters high** and is located in the so called clay pit pond area, as a part of the NATURA 2000 protected reserve and Wielkopolski Natural Park. Near the tower there are **camping shelters, benches and bicycle stands**. You can take a walk along a marked path for the parking lot to the tower and back, and see the National Park's glacial formations, its flora and fauna, with their description on the **information boards**. The entry on to the tower gives you the opportunity to **enjoy the panoramic view** of the Park and Poznań city not far away.



## 6 Indian Village in Łopuchówko

photo by Archive of the Indian Village in Łopuchówko



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The Indian Village is a place where you can learn about the everyday lives of the **native tribes of North America**. Painted tipis, richly adorned clothes or weapons allow you to feel the atmosphere of the old hunters and warriors. It is also an ideal place for anyone who likes to spend their time close to nature and who is naturally curious about other cultures. You can try your hand at **archery or spear throwing**, and show your strength and agility on an **obstacle course**.



The atmosphere of the world of old Native Americans warriors and hunters

photo by Archive of the Indian Village in Łopuchówko



## 7 "Dandy from Mosina" Monument

photo by P. Lysakowski



Mosina  
ul. Niezłomnych  
Mosina Community  
[www.mosina.pl](http://www.mosina.pl)

The Dandy from Mosina Monument is located by the Town Gallery/Museum Hall at Niezłomnych St. The legend about it is **connected with quartering of the army of hetman Czarniecki in Mosina for the winter 1659/1660**. The quartering squad was given **new elegant uniforms from the Mosina tailors**, made in the Swedish fashion. When the squad later arrived to the concentrated royal forces in the spring, they were immediately called the "dandies from Mosina".

The "Dandy from Mosina" is commonly known symbol of town of Mosina



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