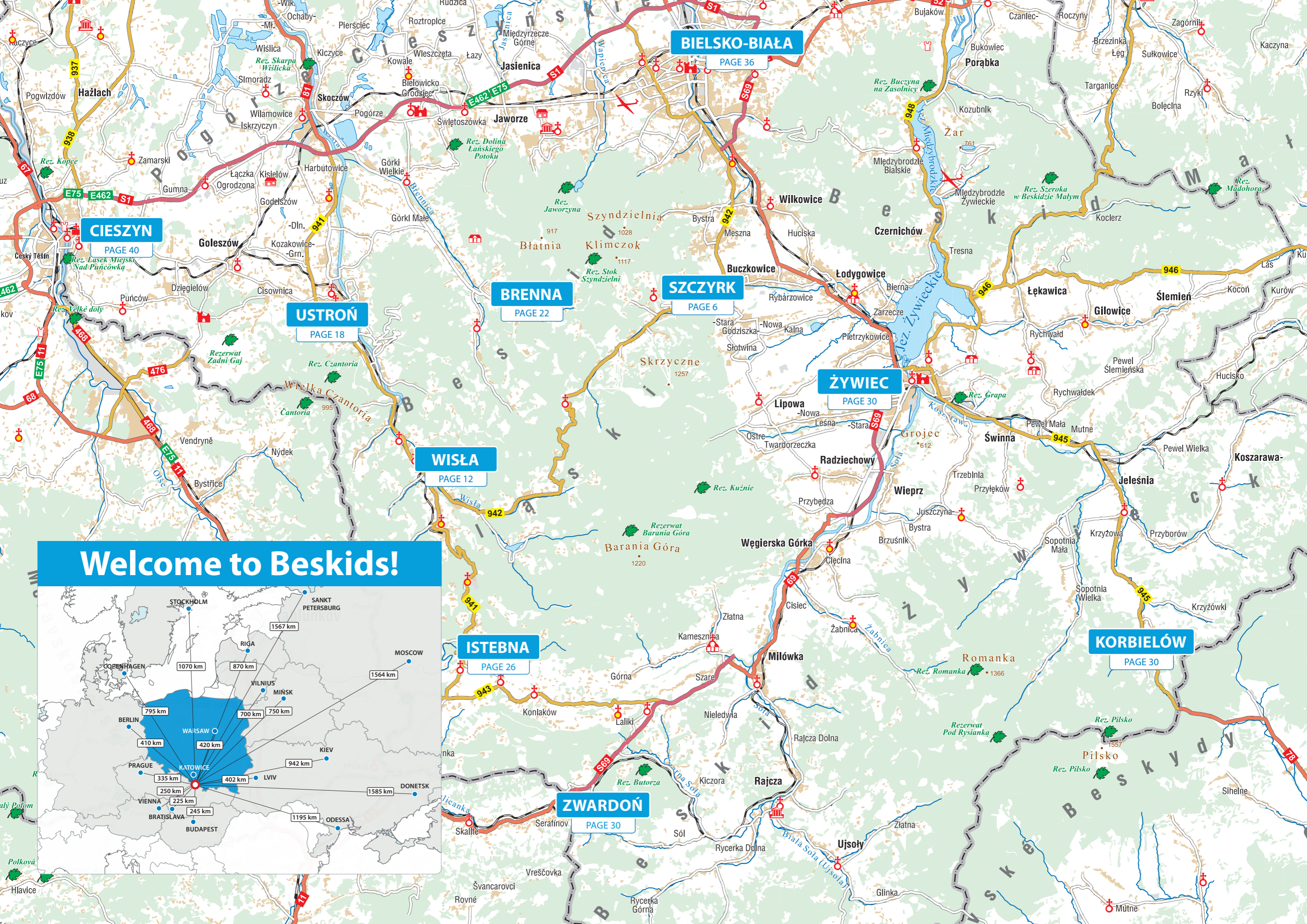


Beskids in the winter

ski resorts
tourist attractions





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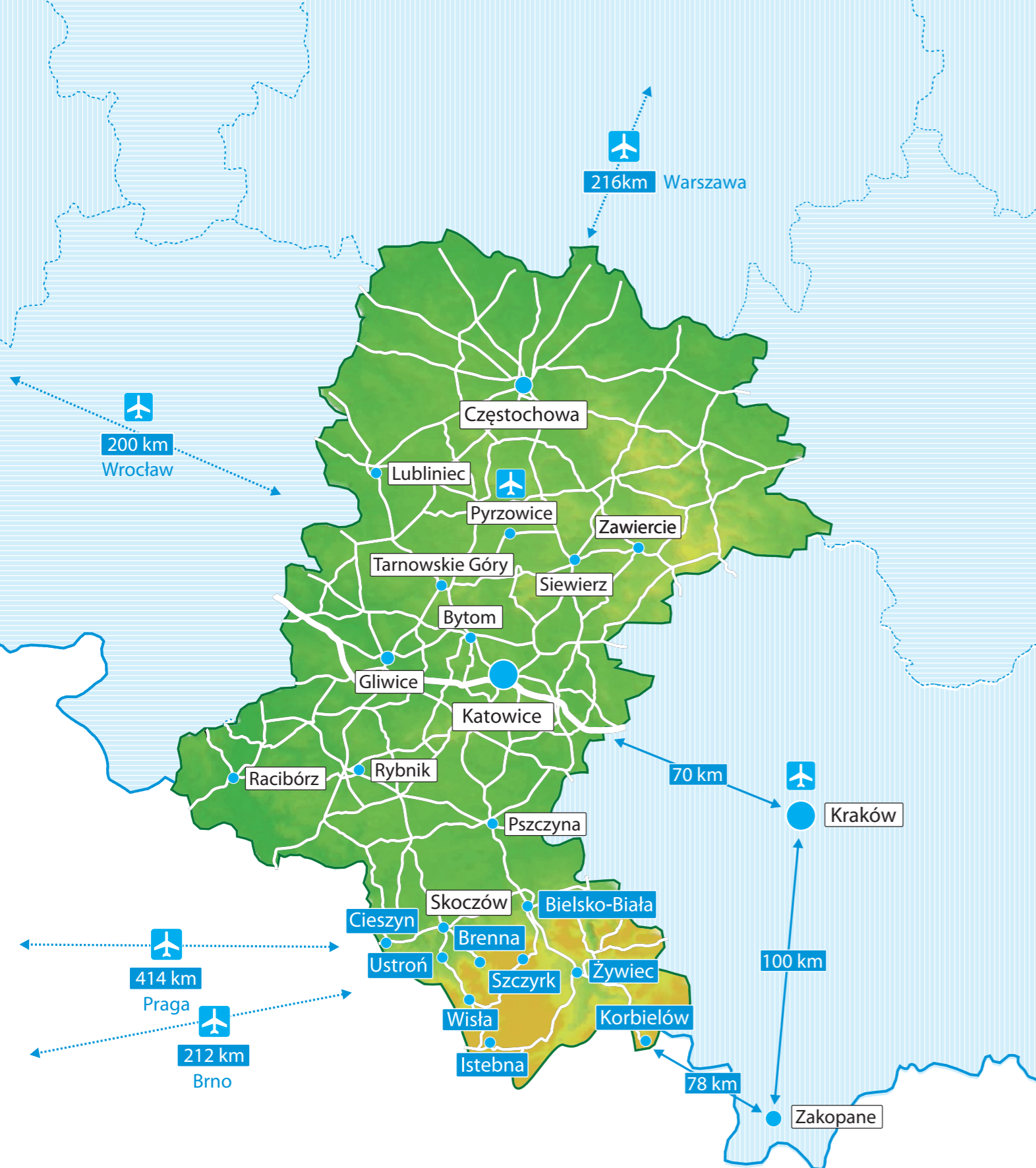
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Welcome to Beskids!





A region with positive energy

Every year, various natural and cultural attractions encourage about 6 million tourists to visit the region. Due to its convenient location and very good transport accessibility, as well as great tourist development, it is one of the most-visited Polish regions. The Beskids, located in the southern part of the voivodship, are particularly popular. They attract with their appeal all year round: in summer – with hikes in the mountains, and in winter – with the best ski slopes in Poland.

The Beskids span the picturesque Polish and Polish, Czech and Slovakian border regions. Tourists yearning for spectacular views, long hikes and active holidays have been coming here for years. Easy access from Poland, Czechia and the rest of Europe makes the Beskids a popular destination for both weekend gateways and longer breaks. All the major towns in the region can be reached via road or rail. Flying to the Beskids is not a problem either – the region is close to three international airports: Katowice-Pyrzowice, Kraków-Balice and Ostrava.

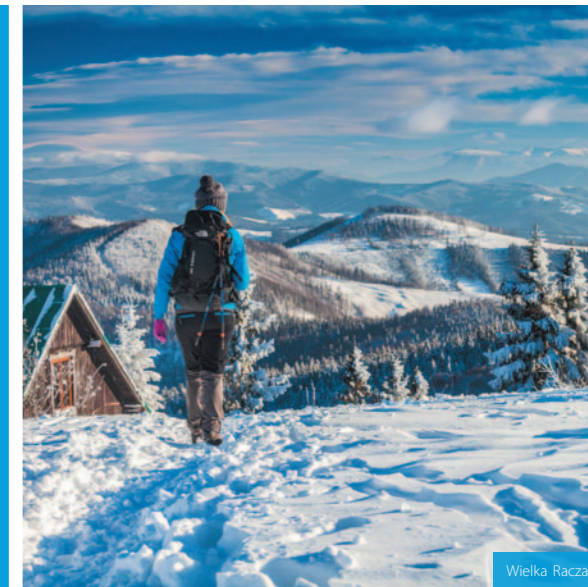
For many winter is the most beautiful time of year in the Beskids. This is a time when the mountain slopes are full of skiers and snowboarders and when children flock to sledge on bunny hills. Pristine ski slopes on the Polish, Czech and Slovak sides of the border await tourists. There are hundreds of kilometres of ski slopes in the region located in major winter sports centres such as Szczyrk, Wisła, Zawoja and Korbiewów in Poland, Białka or Malenovice on the Czech side and Oszcudnica in Slovakia.

Traditional sleigh rides organised by local highlanders or the increasingly popular ski touring opportunities can be just as exciting. Skiing from one mountain refuge to another is a real adventure. A goblet of mulled wine served by friendly refuge staff makes the whole undertaking even more worthwhile.

Historical monuments and cultural events in vibrant towns and cities of the Beskids are a must-see on many people's lists.

All that and more awaits you in the Beskids.

www.beskidy.travel



Wielka Racza



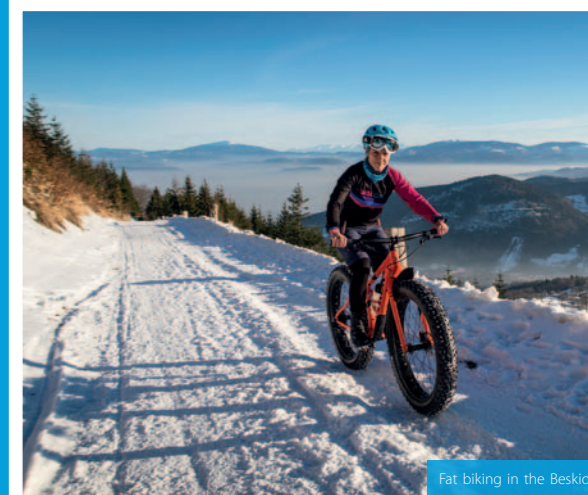
Ski touring



Rysianka



Klimczok



Fat biking in the Beskids



Gondola lift to Hala Skrzaniarska, Szczyrk Mountain Resort



Szczyrk

force of energy

Due to its specific location, Szczyrk, which is conducive to intensive snowfall and its long-lasting persistence on the slopes, is an excellent place for winter sports. Thanks to the unique atmosphere and the largest number of ski lifts in Poland, it enjoys great popularity and is often called the „ski capital of Poland”.

Enthusiasts of white madness can enjoy over 40 km of ski slopes of various levels of difficulty – from very easy, marked in blue, to difficult, black, for demanding skiers. Most of the routes are artificially snowed and some of them are also illuminated.

If you are just starting your adventure with winter sports, you can take advantage of the offer of numerous ski equipment rentals and ski schools with experienced instructors.

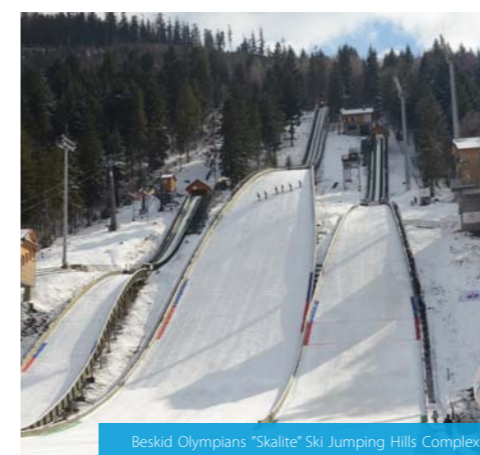
A shared skipass, free ski buses in the city, a wide range of accommodation and gastronomy, as well as interesting tourist attractions, contribute to comfortable rest.

www.zima.szczyrk.pl



Lift to Skrzyczne, COS OPO Szczyrk

SELECTED TOURIST ATTRACTIONS



Beskid Olympians "Skalite" Ski Jumping Hills Complex

BESKID OLYMPIANS "SKALITE" SKI JUMPING HILLS COMPLEX

The complex consists of 3 ski jumps with points K-95, K-70 and K-40. This is where national teams from Poland and abroad train, and where the most important national and international competitions are organised.

Szczyrk, ul. Deptak nad Żylicą / Wypoczynkowa
tel. +48 33 817 84 41, 608 091 379, www.szczyrk.cos.pl
Distance from the centre of Szczyrk: 0,6 km

SZYSZKA PARK

An amusement park right in the town centre is a unique tourist Szczyrk venue. Excitement guaranteed.

Szczyrk, ul. Beskidzka 48a
tel. +48 661 222 121
Location: town centre, by pl. św. Jakuba



Szyszka Park

GALLERIES:

BATOR ART GALLERY I and II

On the surface of approx. 200 m², you can admire collections of the works of over 130 artists. Paintings, graphics, ceramics and sculpture are one of the many fields of art that the gallery features in its collection.

Szczyrk, ul. Myśliwska 60/Beskidzka 15, tel. 608 575 671, www.galeriabator.com
Distance from the centre of Szczyrk: 0,3 km and 1,2 km

JOANNA JAGODA – ORIGINAL JEWELRY

For over 15 years, the artist has been passionately designing and making jewelry. She draws inspiration from mountain scenery and the closeness of nature.

Szczyrk, ul. Kalinowa 7, tel. +48 505 083 740, www.joannajagoda.pl
Distance from the centre of Szczyrk: 0,6 km

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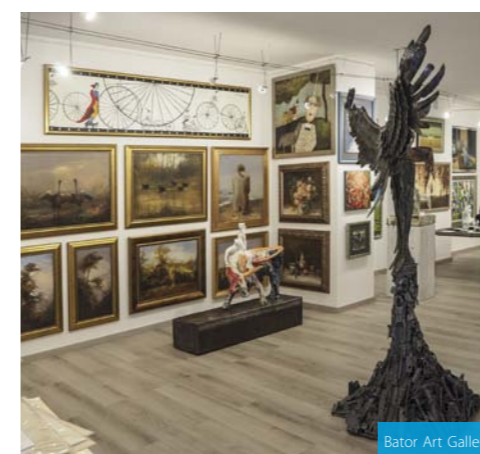
The local artist Józef Więzik makes, among others, wood carvings depicting characteristic, chubby angels.

Szczyrk, ul. Beskidzka 110, tel. +48 512 668 885
Distance from the centre of Szczyrk: 0,5 km

BESKIDARTS CREATIVE ZONE














































Ceramics, sculpture, costumes inspired by highlanders are created by artists on site. Concerts, workshops and creative meetings are also held here.

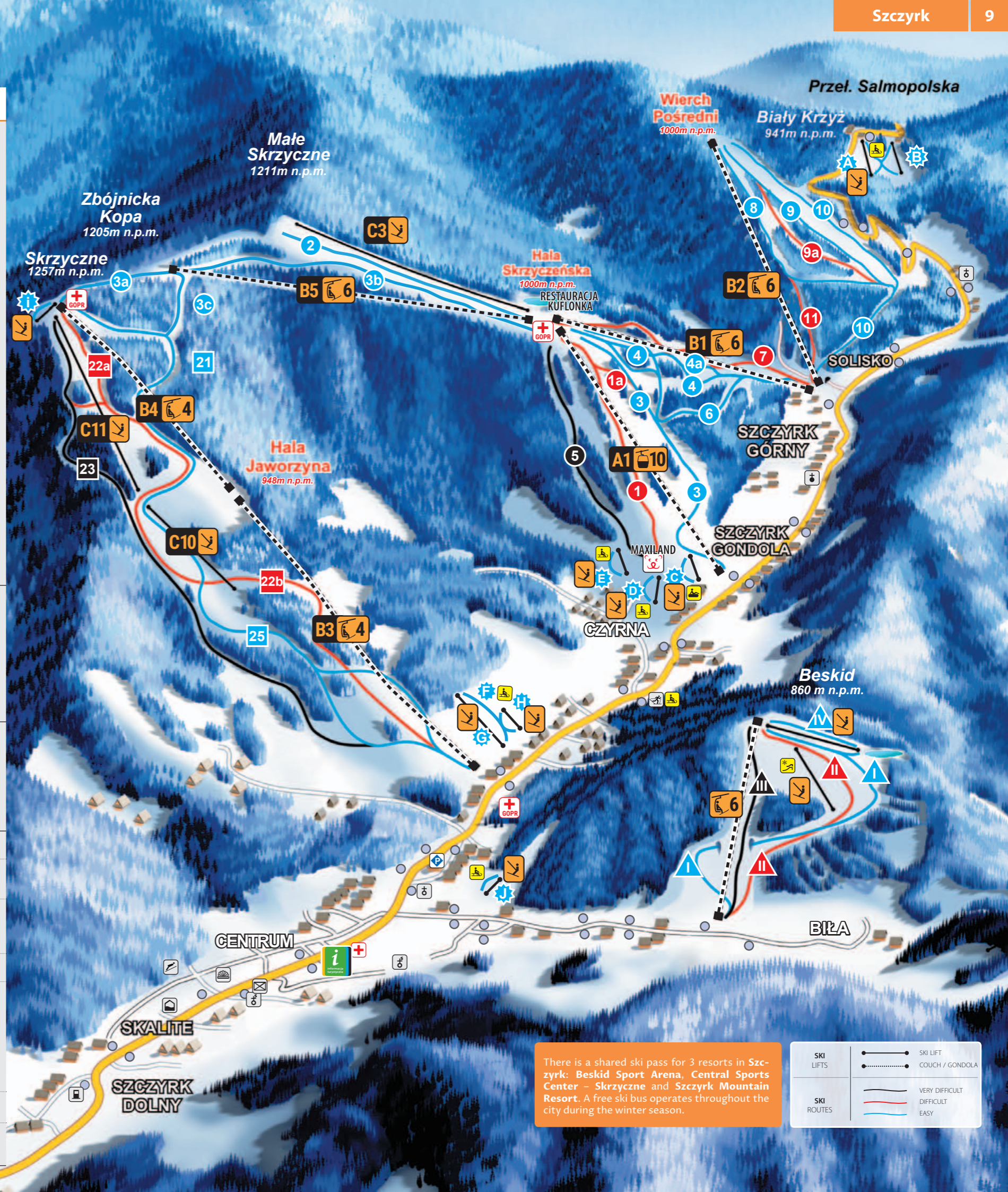
Szczyrk, ul. Myśliwska 34, tel. +48 605 119 573, www.facebook.com/beskidarts
Distance from the centre of Szczyrk: 1,3 km



Bator Art Gallery

Ski lifts in Szczyrk

| | ROUTE NAME | ROUTE LENGTH (m) | ILLUMINATION | SNOW | DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY | CONTACT |
|--|--|------------------|--------------|------|---|---|
|  | 1 Sportowa | 1 687 | + | + |  | Szczyrk Mountain Resort tel. +48 33 817 89 26 www.szczyrkowski.pl |
| | 1a Młaki | 240 | - | - |  | |
| | 2 Świerkowa | 1 350 | - | + |  | |
| | 3 Szczyrkowska II | 2 810 | + | + |  | |
| | 3a Kopa | 1 000 | - | - |  | |
| | 3b Szczyrkowska I | 2 095 | - | + |  | |
| | 3c Zbójnicka | 700 | - | + |  | |
| | 4 Szumarjanka | 2 014 | - | + |  | |
| | 4a Suche | 396 | - | + |  | |
| | 5 Bieńkula | 1 535 | - | + |  | |
| | 6 Turystyczna | 1 900 | - | - |  | |
|  | 7 Malinowa | 1 820 | - | + |  | Ski resort Skrzyczne COS – Centralny Ośrodek Sportu tel. +48 33 817 86 20 www.skrzyczne.cos.pl |
| | 8 Sielska | 1 350 | - | + |  | |
| | 9 Juliany | 850 | - | - |  | |
| | 9a Pośrednia | 670 | - | - |  | |
| | 10 Salmopolska | 1 813 | - | + |  | |
|  | 11 Golgota | 800 | - | + |  | Beskid Sport Arena tel. +48 33 443 43 00 www.beskidsportarena.pl |
| | 21 Ondraszek | 2 460 | - | - |  | |
| | 22a Kaskada | 1 260 | - | + |  | |
| | 22b Kaskada | 1 940 | - | - |  | |
| | 23 Fis | 2 800 | - | + |  | |
|  | 25 Widokowa | 2 320 | - | - |  | tel. +48 508 063 251 www.bialykrzyz.com.pl tel. +48 33 817 93 02, +48 531 067 281 www.bialykrzyz.com.pl |
| | I I | 1 200 | + | + |  | |
| | II II | 1 000 | + | + |  | |
| | III III | 800 | + | + |  | |
|  | IV IV | 200 | + | + |  | tel. +48 608 330 087, +48 604 518 170 www.eszczyrk.com.pl tel. +48 693 429 329 www.strefazimy.pl |
| | A Bartuś | 200 | + | + |  | |
| | B Biały Krzyż | 300 | + | + |  | |
| | C Skrzat | 200 | + | + |  | |
| | D Krasnal | 200 | + | + |  | |
| | E Bananowy | 180 | + | + |  | |
| | F Kaimówka | 400 | + | + |  | |
| | G Zółwik | 60 | + | + |  | |
| | H Zebra | 120 | + | + |  | |
| | Magic carpet | 20 | + | + |  | |
|  | i Meadow by Skrzyczne refuge | 200 | + | - |  | tel. +48 511 376 144 www.skrzyczne.szczyrk.pl |
| | J Beskidek „Skilandia” (platter lift) | 80 | + | + |  | |
|  | | | | | | Family Park DIMBO Szczyrk tel. +48 518 074 063 www.dimbo.pl |
| | | | | | | |
|  | | | | | | tel. +48 664 784 094 www.skilandia.pl |
| | | | | | | |



There is a shared ski pass for 3 resorts in Szczyrk: Beskid Sport Arena, Central Sports Center – Skrzyczne and Szczyrk Mountain Resort. A free ski bus operates throughout the city during the winter season.

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| SKI LIFTS | —●— SKI LIFT |
| | —●— COUCH / GONDOLA |
| SKI ROUTES | — VERY DIFFICULT |
| | — DIFFICULT |
| | — EASY |

MAIN SKI RESORTS



BESKID SPORT ARENA



Beskid Sport Arena

The ski complex is located in the Bila Valley. It offers 4 illuminated routes with a total length of 3.2 km. The resort has a 6-person couch, equipped with windshields and T-bar lifts. It has 5 free parking lots (400 cars and 5 buses). At the bottom station there is a restaurant and equipment rental, at the top station there is a second gastronomic point. The BSA also features an automated snow making system.

www.beskidsportarena.pl

THE CENTRE FOR THE PREPARATIONS OF OLYMPIC GAMES IN SZCZYRK



The resort has year-round, 4-person cable railways on the sections: from the bottom station in Szczyrk to Jaworzyna (2400 persons/hour) and on the route Jaworzyna – Skrzyczne (2400 persons/hour). Additionally: 2 T-bar lifts, Dolina II disc lifter and Dolina III T-bar lifts – along the FIS route from Doliny to Skrzyczne. The routes have varying degrees of difficulty. COS OPO in Szczyrk also has an indoor swimming pool, sports and entertainment hall, wellness centre, athletics stadium, sports field, courts, beach volleyball courts and a complex of 3 ski jumps „Skalite”.

www.skrzyczne.cos.pl

SZCZYRK MOUNTAIN RESORT



One of the largest ski resorts in Poland. Straddling the slopes of Małe Skrzyczne and Wierch Pośredni it boasts excellent conditions on ski slopes, some of which are even up to 5 km long. Following a recent major refurbishment, chairlifts and a gondola lift whisk tourists to the top. Cambered and widened pistes will ensure skiers of all levels will have their fill. A skiing school and equipment rental facilities can also be found near the ski lifts.

www.szczyrkowski.pl



Szczyrk Mountain Resort, Skrzyczne in the background

For those who would like to explore the area from the perspective of the surrounding peaks, the Szczyrk Mountain Resort offers ski-touring trips and the possibility of renting the right equipment. This type of skiing has been

gaining popularity in recent years and allows you to reach places that previously could only be reached on foot.

www.szczyrkowski.pl

AFTER SKIING

After an intensive day on the slopes, the **Apres Ski Bar** by the lower gondola station in the Szczyrk Mountain Resort is just what you need. It is perfect for spending time there with friends engulfed by **club music beats**. Ideal for weekend dancing too. Those who enjoy a stronger tipple, can look forward to **warming winter drinks**, served at the bar until late in the evening.

The “Chata Tajemnic” escape room, not far from the town centre (next to the post office) is also high n among the ranks of Szczyrk’s tourist attractions. There are 5 themed rooms with many perplexing puzzles to solve. Gospoda Polska is also certainly worth a visit. It is here that Polish show business stars have left plaster hand-prints on The outside wall. The Bagatela café with a gallery of old photographs of Szczyrk should not be missed either.

More than 200 years old, the listed **St. James the Apostle Sanctuary** is the oldest and most valuable

architectural monument in the town. The “**na Górcie**” **Our Lady of Szczyrk Sanctuary**, which was the site of the 1984 revelation, is also a favourite with pilgrims.



Winter is also a great season for hiking in spectacular snowy scenery. After skiing, it is worth taking a walk to the Karkoszczonka pass (about 1 h from the centre of Szczyrk), to visit the **Chata Wujka Toma** refuge in a timber mountain cottage dating back to 1918. The Żylica River Path, which starts in the town centre at the main junction and runs all the way to Szczyrk Skalite is ideal for evening walk.



Tourist Information Point

Szczyrk, ul. Beskidzka 41
tel. +48 33 815 83 88
szczyrk@silesia.travel, it@szczyrk.pl
www.szczyrk.pl

www.zima.szczyrk.pl
www.lato.szczyrk.pl
www.instagram.com/miasto_szczyrk

Szczyrk on Facebook
www.facebook.com/MiastoSzczyrk

Access to Szczyrk

By bus:

- Beskids public transport, timetable: tel. +48 33 81 68 116
www.komunikacjabeskidzka.pl

By train:

- PKP: Railway station in Bielsko-Biała, tel. +48 33 489 12 49, +48 39 19 757 – national rail information (Access by train to Bielsko-Biała + discover the convenience of Beskids public transport facilities www.komunikacjabeskidzka.pl or bus from the Żądło line www.travelszczyrk.com.pl)

By car: routes leading to Szczyrk:

- route no. S1 / 942 from Bielsko-Biała
- route no. 81/941 from Katowice through Ustroń / Wisła
- route no. 941/942 from Istebna through Kubalonka

By plane: The nearest airports are:

- Katowice Pyrzowice 111 km from Szczyrk, tel. +48 32 39 27 200, www.katowice-airport.com

- Krakow Balice 127 km from Szczyrk, tel. +48 48 12 295 58 00, www.krakowairport.pl
- Ostrava (Czech Republic) 92 km from Szczyrk, tel. +420 597 471 136, www.airport-ostrava.cz
- Brno (Czech Republic) 263 km from Szczyrk, tel. +420 545 521 136, www.airport-brno.cz



Stok Ski Station



Wisła

the power of mountain springs

The town is located in the heart of the Silesian Beskids, where the queen of Polish rivers – the Wisła – starts. It is known for its picturesque landscapes, excellent regional cuisine and winter sports.

Enthusiasts of white madness visit the slopes associated in the **Wisła Skipass**. There are found across 14 ski resorts in **Wisła, Ustroń and Istebna**, all covered by the common Skipass card system. As a result, enthusiasts of winter attractions can enjoy over 26 km of well-maintained routes of varying difficulty. The resorts offer special areas for children, routes ideal for beginners and advanced skiers, as well as a team of qualified instructors. The slopes are illuminated and equipped with snowmaking systems, thanks to which there always prevail very good conditions. On site there are rentals which offer the latest ski equipment. After an active day on the slopes, you can go to the Tropicana water park or for apres-ski.

Ski slopes accessible within the scope of the Wisła Skipass:

Cieńków, Klepki, Nowa Osada, Partecznik, Pasieki, Siglany, Sarajewo, Soszów, Stok, Stożek and Palenica, Mała Palenica, Poniwiec in **Ustroń** and Złoty Groń in **Istebna**

www.wislanskiskipass.pl
www.wisla.pl



Cieńków Ski Station

SELECTED TOURIST ATTRACTIONS



Adam Małysz Ski Jumping Hill

ADAM MAŁYSZ SKI JUMP AND ADAM MAŁYSZ GALLERY OF SPORTS TROPHIES

The Adam Małysz ski jump in Wisła Malinka, with structural point K-120 and size HS-134 m, is the second largest (next to Wielka Krokiew in Zakopane) in Poland. The facility has a capacity of 8,000 seats, including over 1,200 sitting.

In the Adam Małysz Gallery of Sports Trophies you can admire most of the medals and cups won by the jumper.

Adam Małysz Ski Jump, Malinka 4, 43-460 Wisła

Adam Małysz Gallery of Sports Trophies, ul. 1 Maja 48A 43-460 Wisła
 tel. + 48 517 567 660, galeria@malysz.org

Distance from the centre of the Wisła: Gallery – 0.9 km, Ski jump – 6 km



Castle of the President of the Republic of Poland

RESIDENCE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF POLAND, THE CASTLE IN WISŁA – NATIONAL HERITAGE COMPLEX

It is located in Wisła-Czarne on the slope of the Zadni Groń. It was established in 1929-1931 in the place of the burnt wooden Habsburg hunting castle from the beginning of the 20th century. It was a gift of the Silesian People for the President of the Republic of Poland Ignacy Mościcki. Thanks to the efforts of President Aleksander Kwasniewski, the historical function of the Castle as the Residence of the Head of State was restored.

Wisła, ul. Zameczek 1, + 48 33 854 65 00, www.zamekwisla.pl,
Distance from the centre of Wisła: 10 km



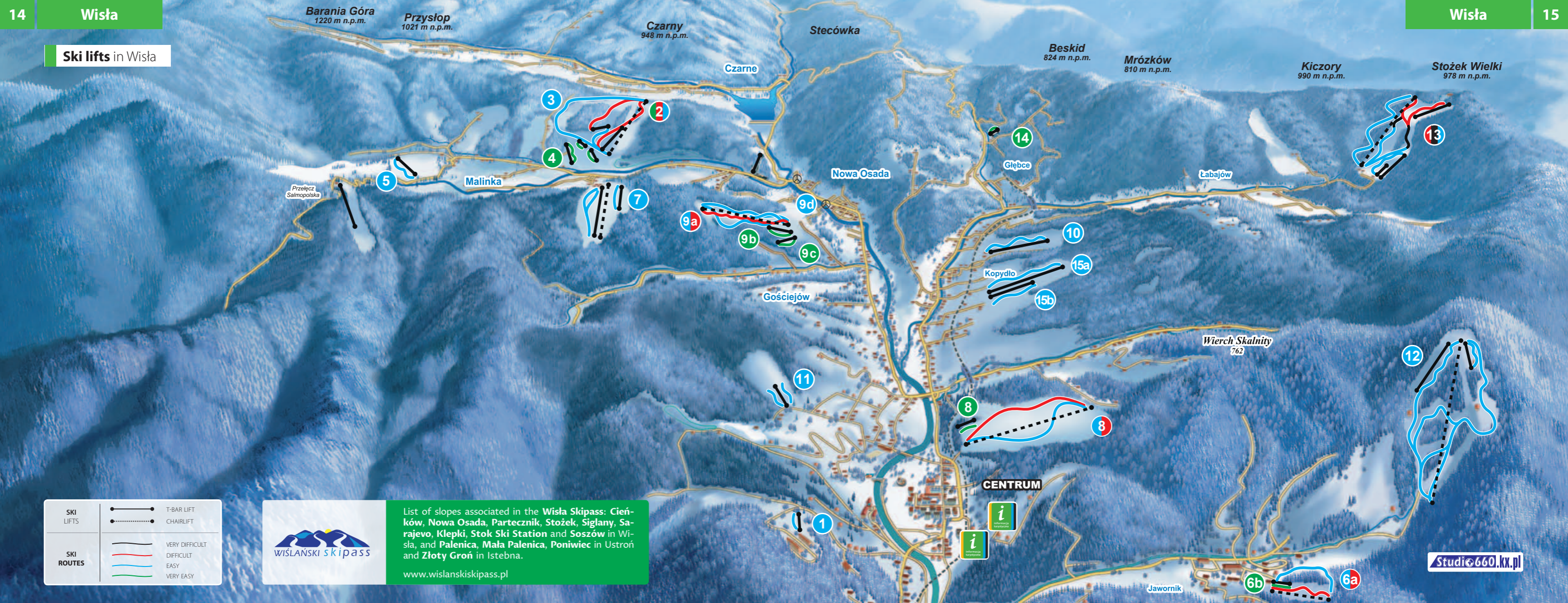
Beskid Museum




















ANDRZEJ PODŻORSKI BESKID MUSEUM
























Opened in 1964 in the building of a former inn from the 18th century. The permanent exhibition consists of exhibits related to the life and work of the Silesian Beskids mountaineers regarding shepherding, weaving, woodworking, agricultural tools, peculiarities of men's and women's folk costumes and examples of folk art. The Wooden Construction Enclave operates as part of the museum, where regional traditions and crafts are presented.

Wisła, ul. P. Stellera 1 (Centrum Wisły), +48 33 855 22 50,
www.muzeumwisla.pl

Ski lifts in Wisła



| LIFT NAME | LIFT LENGTH (m) | NUMBER OF ROUTES | ROUTE LENGTH (m) | ILLUMINATION | SNOW | DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY | CONTACT |
|---|-----------------|------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|------|--|---|
|  1 Bukowa (disc lift, sled) | 100 | 1 | 100 | + | + |  | Centrum, tel. +48 33 855 19 93, +48 33 855 24 70, +48 609 752 751 karina.wisla.pl, karina@wisla.pl |
| 2 Cieńków I (chairlift) | 1000 | 5 | 1350, 1200, 1000, 600, 350 | + | + |  | Malinka tel. +48 801 006 001, +48 33 855 36 32 cienkownarty.pl cienkow@nat.pl |
| Cieńków II | 350 | 1 | 350 | + | + |  | |
| Cieńków III | 100 | 1 | 400 | - | - |  | |
| Cieńków IV | 50 | 1 | 50 | + | + | | |
|  3 Cieńków Sarajewo | 240 | 1 | 250 | + | + |  | Malinka tel. +48 502 686 516 |
| 4 Cieńków Wisielka Tyci Tyci (disc lift) | 100 | 1 | 100 | + | + |  | Malinka, tel. +48 731 690 395 |
| 5 Na Polanie Extreme (disc lift, sled) | 380 | 2 | 450, 400 | + | + |  | Malinka, tel. +48 506 056 564 hatlas42@interia.pl |
|  6a Stok Ski Station (chairlift) | 805 | 2 | 1000 | + | + |  | Wisła, Jawornik 52 a kasa i informacja: tel. +48 33 856 42 80 stokstacjanarciarska.pl wyciag@hotelstok.pl |
| 6b Stok Ski Station (disc lift) | 1 | 1 | 150 | + | + |  | |
|  6 Klepki (chairlift) | 600 | 3 | 800, 700, 600 | + | + |  | Malinka tel. +48 504 102 979 wyciag-klepki.pl biuro@wyciag-klepki.pl |
| Klepki (disc lift) | 600 | 3 | 800, 700, 600 | + | + |  | |
| Klepki (disc lift) | 200 | 1 | 200 | + | + |  | |
| 8 Ski Station Skolnity Ski & Bike Park (chairlift, disc lift, sled) | 800 | 2 | 1100 980 | + | + |   | Centrum tel. +48 731 323 711 |
| 8 Ski Station Skolnity Ski & Bike Park (belt lift) | 80 | 1 | 80 | + | + |  | info@skolnity.pl skolnity.pl |

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|---|-------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|----------------------|--------------|------|--|---|
|  | 9a Nowa Osada I (chair lift) | 960 | 3 | 1300, 1000, 1000 | + | + |   | Nowa Osada tel. +48 33 855 92 85, +48 607 983 768 nowaosada.pl kontakt@nowaosada.pl |
| | 9b Disc lift „Krasnal” | 150 | 1 | 150 | + | + |  | |
| | 9c Button ski lift „Maluch” | 60 | 1 | 60 | + | + |  | |
| | 9d Beskid | 250 | 1 | 250 | + | + |  | |
|  | 10 Pasieki I | 600 | 2 | 800, 800 | + | + |  | Kopydło tel. +48 609 514 813 pasieki.wisla.pl wyciag@pasieki.wisla.pl |
| | Pasieki II | 170 | 1 | 170 | + | + | | |
| | Pasieki III Snowtubing | 100 | 2 | 120 | + | + | | |
|  | 11 Partecznik | 110 | 1 | 110 | + | + |  | Centrum, tel. +48 602 156 059 poczta@partecznik.pl partecznik.pl |
|  | 12 Ski Station Soszów H0 | 815 | 4 | 200, 900, 1200, 1300 | + | + |   | Jawornik tel. +48 33 855 28 32, +48 33 474 23 95 www.soszow.pl poczta@soszow.pl |
| | Ski Station Soszów H1 | 600 | 2 | 690, 1900 | - | + |   | |
|  | 13 Stożek cable lift | 800 | 3 | 1600, 1000, 800 | - | + |  | Łabajów tel. +48 33 855 32 52, +48 33 855 32 04 stozekwisla.pl |
| | Stożek (disc lift) | 300 | 1 | 300 | - | + |  | |
| | Stożek (disc lift) | 350 | 1 | 350 | - | + |  | |
| | 14 Zjazd Głębcze (disc lift) | 250 | 1 | 250 | + | + |  | Głębcze, tel. +48 602 648 832 www.zjazdglebcze.pl |
|  | 15a Siglany I Lift | 500 | 1 | 500 | + | + |  | Kopydło, tel. +48 785 046 071 siglany.wisla.pl wyciag@siglany.wisla.pl |
| | 15b Disc Lift „Krasnal” | 250 | 1 | 250 | + | + |  | |

SELECTED TOURIST ATTRACTIONS



Ochorowiczówka

OCHOROWICZÓWKA – MUSEUM OF MAGICAL REALISM

The museum presents over 300 surreal paintings and sculptures of Polish artists and an exhibition dedicated to Julian Ochorowicz (Polish inventor, philosopher, psychologist, poet and publicist). It is the only permanent exhibition of works of this type in art in Poland and probably the largest in Europe. The museum also features an exhibition of works by Salvador Dali, the father of surrealism.

Wisła, ul. Ochorowicza 6, tel. +48 690 044 214,
e-mail: muzeum@ochorowiczowka.pl
www.ochorowiczowka.pl



Habsburg's Hunting Chateau

TIMBER HABSBURG HUNTING LODGE

The Habsburg Hunting Lodge in the centre of Wisła, originally situated on the Przysłop pod Barania Górą meadow is a noteworthy site on the Wooden Architecture Trail. This object dates back to the late 19th century and served the imperial family and its guests who came to Wisła for hunting. In the 1980s, the palace was demolished and transported from Przysłop to the centre of the Wisła, reconstructed and handed over to PTTK. Currently, it also houses a tourist information point.

CROSS-COUNTRY SKIING ROUTES

There are cross-country skiing routes in Wisła to suit everyone. The Jonidło Sports Centre features a roller-ski used as a cross-country skiing trail in winter. The 900-metre-long loop has a groomed track for cross-country skiers. And of course if needed skiing equipment can also be hired on the spot. It is also possible to hire an instructor.

Route length: 900 m
The rental desk is open daily from 9:00-18:00
Contact: tel. 601 340 881, 663 830 664, www.jonidlo.pl

For more experienced enthusiasts of this sport there are routes located on the Kubalonka pass, which can boast homology and a FIS license, as well as excellent preparation for both classic and free style. Their location at an altitude of over 800 m a.s.l. among the spruce-fir forests provides beautiful views and wide ascent, where both amateur and professional cross-country skiers can be found. The length of routes – loops is 7.5 km, 5 km, 3 km, 2.5 km and 1 km. There is also a modern biathlon shooting range and ski equipment rental. On the routes regional, national and international competitions are held.

Route length: 5 km, 3 km, 2.5 km, 1 km
Contact: tel. 607 207 968 (8: 00-15: 00)

Snow conditions permitting, cross-country skiers can also visit the Kopczyński Park in the town centre and ski along the banks of the Wisła River in the centre and in Nowa Osada, as well as along the valleys of the White and Black Wisła rivers.



COS ski slopes in Kubalonka

AFTER SKIING

WINTER SLEIGH RIDES

Sleigh rides are an attraction for everyone, especially for families with children. Picturesque routes, e.g. along the Biała Wisetka Valley, on Kubalonka, in Gościejów, allow you to admire the charms of the Silesian Beskids. The sleigh ride is especially charming after dark, when burning torches are an additional attraction. The sleigh ride usually has its finale in a highlander villa with folk music. It is an opportunity to taste regional dishes, while adults have the chance to enjoy local liquors with honey in the lead, and children can try sweet herbal tea.

Detailed information is provided by the Tourist Information Office in Wisła.



Sleigh ride through the Biała Wisetka Valley



Wisła Centre

Tourist Information Point

- Wisła, Pl.B.Hoffa 3
tel. +48 33 855 34 56,
791 400 485, wisla@silesia.travel,
informacja@wisla.pl, www.wisla.pl,
www.noclegi.wisla.pl
- Wisła, ul. Lipowa 4a
tel. +48 33 855 35 60
pttkwisla@silesia.travel

Access to the Wisła

By bus:

- WISPOL: +48 33 851 84 52
www.wispol.pl, biuro@wispol.pl

By train:

- PKP: +48 39 19 757 – national railway information

By car:
routes leading to the Wisła:

- route no. 81 from Ustroń (from Katowice)
- route no. 81 from Ustroń (from Katowice)
- route no. 941 from Kubalonka (from Istebna)

Samolotem – najbliższe lotniska to:

- Katowice Pyrzowice 126 km od Wisły, tel. +48 32 39 27 200 , www.katowice-airport.com

Wisła on Facebook
www.facebook.com/miastowisla

- Krakow Balice 147 km from the Wisła, tel. +48 12 295 58 00, www.krakowairport.pl
- Ostrava (Czech Republic) 70 km from the Wisła, tel. +420 597 471 136, www.airport-ostrava.cz
- Brno (Czech Republic) 230 km from the Wisła, tel. +420 545 521 136, www.airport-brno.cz



Observation tower on the top of Czantoria



Ustroń

mountains of joy

Ustroń is one of the most recognisable holiday and health resorts in Poland. It lies at the foot of the Silesian Beskids, between Równica and Czantoria.

Given the rich accommodation base, its spa character, a multitude of attractions and a varied culinary offer, Ustroń is a great choice for both weekend and longer stays.

The spa district houses numerous sanatoriums, the Spa Park, brine fountains, a water pump room and a graduation tower.

In winter, apart from skiing and snowboarding, you can use the city ice rink, which has been open since the beginning of December.



View of the Stokłosica Glade, Czantoria

SELECTED TOURIST ATTRACTIONS



Animals in the Forest Park of Surprises

ANIMALS IN THE FOREST PARK OF SURPRISES

It is located on the southern slope of the Równica mountain. It can be reached by car or on foot, following the yellow signs of the walking trail from the city centre. In a park covering an area of approx. 14 ha, you can see, among others bison, deer, roe deer, fallow deer, mouflons and wild boars. Some animals walk freely among the visitors. You can feed and stroke them.

**Ustroń, ul. Zdrojowa 16, +48 33 444 60 50, www.lesnypark.pl,
Distance from the centre of Ustroń: 3,3 km**

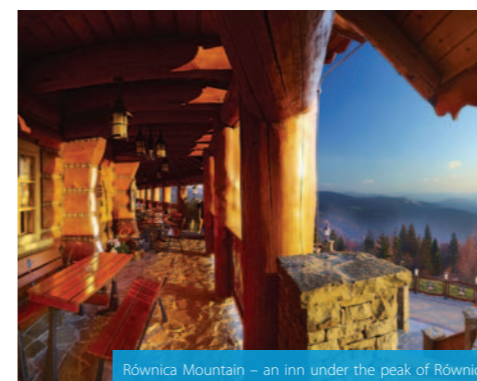


Jan Jarocki Museum of Ustroń

JAN JAROCKI MUSEUM OF USTROŃ

The museum is located in the former historic building of the management of the „Klemens” smelter, which existed in this place in 1772-1897. On the ground floor there is a historical and ethnographic exhibition, as well as a gallery of contemporary painting. On the first floor you can see an exhibition dedicated to the history of metallurgy and forging in Ustroń.

**Ustroń, ul. Hutnicza 3, +48 33 854 29 96, www.muzeum.ustron.pl
Distance from the centre of Ustroń: 0,5 km**



























Równica Mountain – an inn under the peak of Równica

RÓWNICA MOUNTAIN

Równica is located east of the centre of Ustroń. The peak can be reached on foot, but also by car. A toboggan run with a length of 600 m operates all year round, regardless of the weather. There is also a hostel and catering and accommodation facilities.

**Górski Park Równica, Ustroń, ul. Równica 20, +48 33 856 48 48, www.rownica.pl
Distance from the centre of Ustroń: 6 km**



| LIFT NAME | LIFT LENGTH (m) | NUMBER OF ROUTES | ROUTE LENGTH (m) | ILLUMINATION | SNOW | DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY | CONTACT |
|---|-----------------|------------------|------------------|--------------|------|---|---|
|  Czentoria | | 7 | | | | | tel. 33 +48 854 35 50 www.czentoria.net |
|  Route no. 1 Four-person cable lift | 1640 | | 1900 | - | + |  | |
|  Route no. 2 Four-person cable lift | 1640 | | 2600 | - | - |  | |
|  Faturka – ski lift | 670 | | 670 | + | + |  | |
|  Solisko – disc lift | 340 | | 340 | + | + |  | |
|  Stokłosica – disc lift | 198 | | 200 | - | + |  | tel. +48 533 910 216 www.lisia-polana.pl |
|  Lisia Polana – disc lift | 140 | | 140 | + | + |  | |
|  Lisia Polana – conveyer lift | 80 | | 80 | + | + |  | tel. +48 33 854 32 10 www.poniwiec.pl |
|  Poniwiec Mała Czentoria | | 2 | | | | | |
|  Four-person cable lift | 900 | | 900 | + | + |  | |
|  Disc lift | 170 | | 170 | + | + |  | tel. +48 602 552 200 palenica.ustron.pl Ski-lift closed |
|  Great Palenica | 1000 | 1 | 1000 | + | + |  | |
|  Small Palenica | 430 | 1 | 430 | + | + |  | |

Detailed description of the ski runs in Ustroń

WINTER SPORTS AND RECREATION FACILITIES

The city also has well-developed facilities for cross-country skiing. Near the upper cableway station to Czentoria and on the Wisła Boulevards there are cross-country trails that are prepared by the Ustron School of Cross-Country Skiing. The school also offers free training and organises ski competitions.

There are ski equipment rental facilities and refreshment points On the slopes of Lisa Polana, Czentoria and Poniwiec Mała Czentoria. Dedicated sledging areas on Lisia Polana and Poniwiec Mała Czentoria are ideal for families with small children.

AFTER SKIING

After skiing, it is worth taking advantage of the rich spa and gastronomic offer of Ustroń. Wanting to take care for your health, you can use the services of numerous health centres. Sanatoriums have over 200 years of tradition here. Patients appreciate the mild climate, health-promoting power of brine and peloid, as well as a wide rehabilitation offer and treatments strengthening the respiratory and circulatory system. The spa district is known for its pyramid-shaped buildings. They are the hallmark of the city, which is admired by many architectural experts from around the world.

You can also spend winter time savouring and discovering the flavours of the Beskids. Guests will find

many restaurants offering regional dishes, such as ribs, potato pancakes with the-so called „szpyrki”, or bits bacon or lard, sour soup and herb tea loved by everyone.

Detailed information can be obtained from the Tourist Information Office in Ustroń.



Christmas Market in Ustroń, December 7-22, Market Square



Tourist Information Point

Ustroń, ul. Rynek 2, tel. +48 33 854 26 53,
ul. Sanatoryjna 9 (Water Pump Room)

ustron@silesia.travel
www.ustron.pl

Access to Ustroń

By bus:

- WISPOL: +48 33 851 84 52
www.wispol.pl, biuro@wispol.pl
- DRABAS: tel. +48 601 994 800
www.drabas.pl, marcin@drabas.pl
- BUSBROTHERS: tel. +48 605 18 99 95,
+48 601 47 30 35, www.busbrosthers.pl,
info@busbrosthers.pl
- LAJKONIK: national hotline
tel. +48 660 508 097,
www.lajkonikbus.pl,
biuro@lajkonikbus.pl

By train:

- PKP: +48 39 19 757 – national railway information.

By car: routes leading to Ustroń:

- route no. 81 (from Katowice via Skoczów)
- route no. 942 from Szczyrk (from Bielsko-Biała)
- route no. 941 from Kubalonka (from Istebna)

Ustron on social networks

www.facebook.com/miasto.ustron
www.instagram.com/miasto.ustron
www.twitter.com/miastou

By plane: nearest airports:

- Katowice Pyrzowice 119 km from Ustroń, tel. +48 32 39 27 200,
www.katowice-airport.com
- Krakow Balice 135 km from Ustroń, tel. +48 12 295 58 00,
www.krakowairport.pl
- Ostrava (Czech Republic) 62 km from Ustroń, tel. +420 597 471 136,
www.airport-ostava.cz
- Brno (Czech Republic) 234 km from Ustroń, tel. +420 545 521 136,
www.airport-brno.cz



View of the Ski Valley



Brenna

the power of nature

In the valley of the Brennica River, at the junction of the Beskids and Cieszyn Silesia lies the picturesque Brenna commune, which consists of three towns: Brenna, Górki Małe and Górki Wielkie (or Brenna, Little Mountains and Great Mountains).

Surrounded on three sides by the mountains of the Silesian Beskids, it has extraordinary qualities that predestine activity. In summer, these are hiking, mountain biking and horse riding, in winter, cross-country skiing, ski-touring or downhill skiing. Skaters will find their place in the Tourism Park, and whole families will have a great time in special winter zones.

Brenna also invites you to winter expeditions on ski-tours, cross-country skis or snow shoes.

www.brenna.org.pl



View from Stary Gróń

SELECTED TOURIST ATTRACTIONS

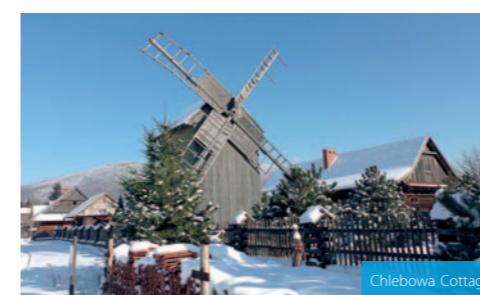


Beskids Zielin House „Przytulnia”

BESKIDS ZIELIN HOUSE „PRZYTULIA”

It reveals the world of ancient highlanders who lived close to nature, with great respect for it. In this living museum, tradition merges with modernity. The permanent multimedia exhibition divided into four sections will appeal to visitors of all ages. Headsets will replay stories of Drowners and other creatures, loudspeakers will play highlander music and the screens will display beautiful, Beskid landscapes. Here, in the spirit of traditional hospitality, visitors are treated to natural teas with unique, fruity and herbal aromas.

Brenna, ul. Wyzwolenia 69, tel. +48 33 400 00 21
domzielin@brenna.org.pl, www.brenna.org.pl

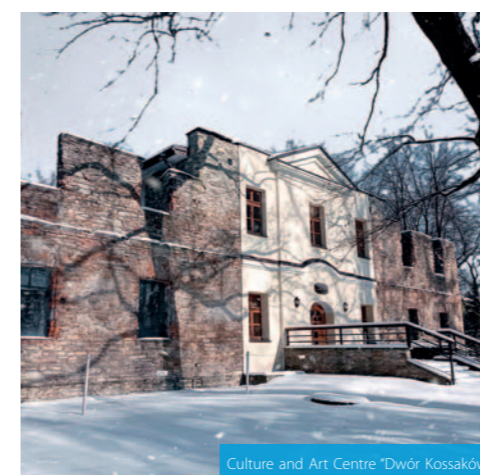


Chlebowa Cottage

CHLEBOWA COTTAGE

An open-air museum where you can learn about or recall the taste of real homemade bread, as well as discover the sweet world of bee-keeping, an old mill or a smithy. The tour ends with a tasting of scones with homemade butter, herb lard and honey. The taste of real cereal coffee and herbal tea remains in the memory for long.

Górki Małe, ul. Breńska 113, tel. +48 33 8539 630, pytania@chlebowachata.pl, www.chlebowachata.pl

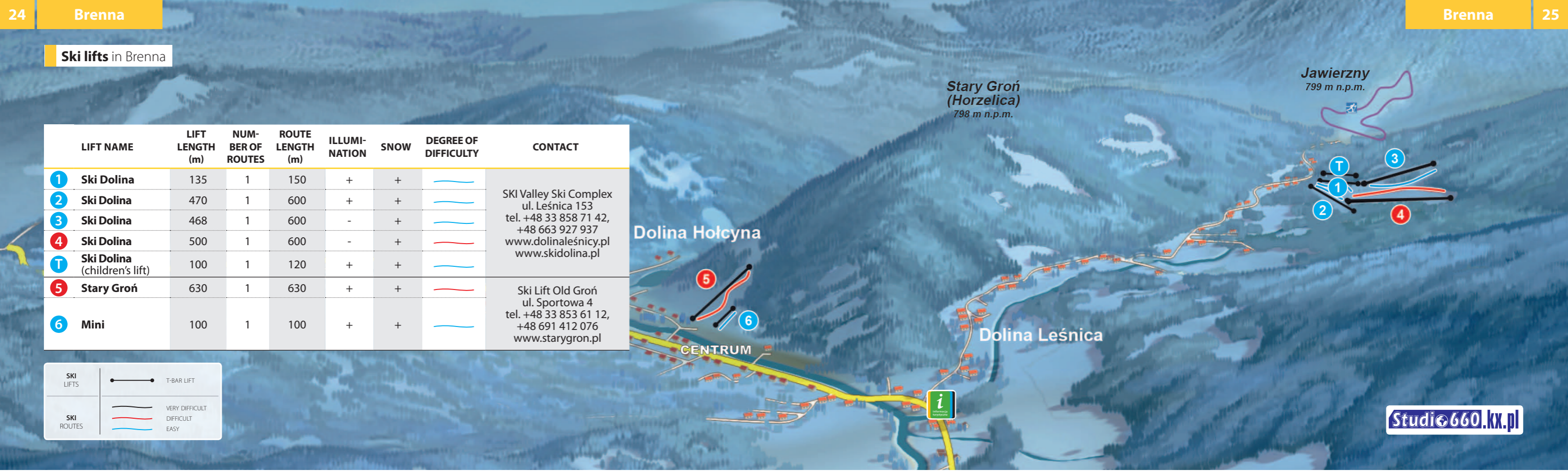


Culture and Art Centre „Dwór Kossaków”

THE CULTURE AND ART CENTER „DWÓR KOSSAKÓW” AND MUSEUM OF ZOFIA KOSSAK-SZATKOWSKA

The ruins of the manor in which the famous Kossak family lived were turned into a cultural centre that houses an exhibition depicting the life and work of Zofia Kossak. Next to her, in a former gardener's house, there is a collection of souvenirs from her life. The interior of the building gives the impression that the household members have barely left. The writer loved greenery and flowers very much, here she also created a beautiful garden, and described the herbs in the book „The Polish Year”.

Dwór Kossaków – Górki Wielkie, ul. Stary Dwór 4, tel. +48 33 851 03 51, www.dworkossakow.pl
Muzeum Zofii Kossak – Górki Wielkie, ul. Stary Dwór 2, tel. +48 33 853 95 15, www.muzeumkossak.pl



Ski lifts in Brenna

| | LIFT NAME | LIFT LENGTH (m) | NUM-BER OF ROUTES | ROUTE LENGTH (m) | ILLUMI-NATION | SNOW | DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY | CONTACT |
|---|------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|---------------|------|----------------------|--|
| 1 | Ski Dolina | 135 | 1 | 150 | + | + | | SKI Valley Ski Complex ul. Leśnica 153 tel. +48 33 858 71 42, +48 663 927 937 www.dolinalaśnicy.pl www.skidolina.pl |
| 2 | Ski Dolina | 470 | 1 | 600 | + | + | | |
| 3 | Ski Dolina | 468 | 1 | 600 | - | + | | |
| 4 | Ski Dolina | 500 | 1 | 600 | - | + | | |
| T | Ski Dolina (children's lift) | 100 | 1 | 120 | + | + | | |
| 5 | Stary Groń | 630 | 1 | 630 | + | + | | Ski Lift Old Groń ul. Sportowa 4 tel. +48 33 853 61 12, +48 691 412 076 www.starygron.pl |
| 6 | Mini | 100 | 1 | 100 | + | + | | |

SKI LIFTS

T-BAR LIFT

SKI ROUTES

VERY DIFFICULT
 DIFFICULT
 EASY

SKI TOURS TRIPS

The gentle terrain and well-marked hiking trails make it possible to safely practice increasingly popular ski-touring trips. Those who are interested have at their disposal several places that are worth visiting in the winter. All the distant peaks are located at an altitude of up to 1100 m a.s.l., so everyone can try this form of activity.

AFTER SKIING

TOURISM PARK IN BRENNE CENTRE

The ice rink, located in the Tourism Park in Brenna Centre is one of the most popular and most visited winter attractions. There is a skate rental shop nearby. The advantage of the ice rink is the ability to ride on the surface even at low positive temperatures. The facility is available from December to March. Various outdoor events, sports competitions and discos are organised here, during which you can ice skate to the rhythm of the music.

There is also a **ski rental in the Tourism Park**. It has ski-touring and cross-country skiing equipment, including necessary accessories – shoes, poles, seals.

Tourism Park – Brenna, ul. Malinowa 2B (CENTRE),
tel. 33 474 06 01, www.brenna.org.pl

RECREATIONAL CROSS-COUNTRY SKIING TRAIL

The Brenna commune is a perfect place for cross-country skiing. At the deepest end of the charming Leśnica valley, it is a paradise for cross-country skiers. There are a whopping 4 skiing trails of various difficulty. Each of them is regularly groomed. You can try your hand on both skate and classic skis.

Jeżeli się zmieszają to opisy tras, jeżeli nie to bez.

- Trail 1: WYSOKI**, difficulty: easy
Length: approx. 1.7 km
- Trail 2: WILCZY POTOK**, difficulty: medium
Length: approx. 1.5 km
- Trail 3: SZPORÓWKA**, difficulty: medium
Length: approx. 2.3 km
- Trail 4: BŁOTNY**, difficulty: medium
Length: approx. 1 km



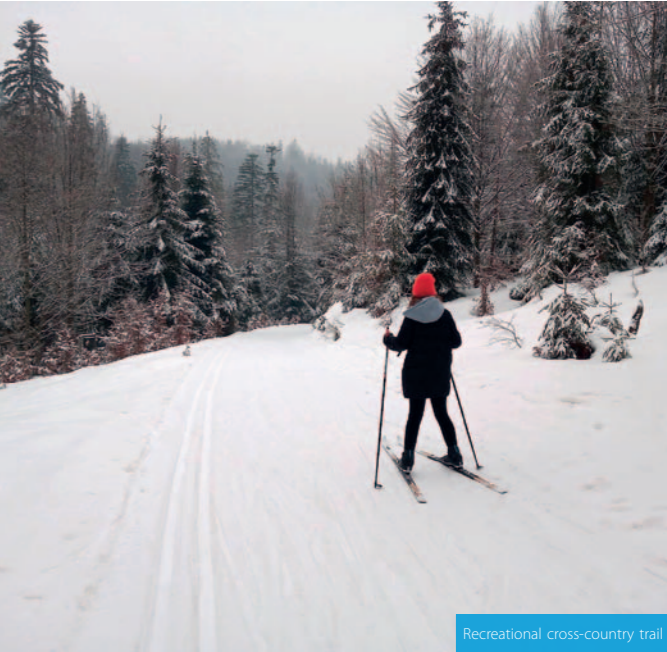
SLEIGH RIDES

Targeted to organised groups and individuals. Organised by local residents with horse-drawn sleigh rides. They give the opportunity to ride sleighs, carts or the most popular and interesting form of sleigh rides, i.e. sleigh pulled behind the horse cart.

SPA & WELLNESS SWIMMING POOLS AND ZONES

Within the Brenna commune there are several facilities with spa and wellness zones as well as indoor pools. This is a very interesting proposition for anyone looking for rest and moments of relaxation after a time full of activity. It can also be one of the ways to spend long winter evenings.

For more information, please visit the Tourist Information Point in Brenna.



Tourist Information Point

ul. Wyzwolenia 77,
43-438 Brenna
tel. +48 33 858 69 71

brenna@silesia.travel
www.brenna.org.pl

Brenna on social media:
www.facebook.com/brenna.gmina
www.instagram.com/brenna.gmina

Access to Brenna

By bus:

- Linea-Trans, tel. +48 605 264 269
- WISPOL, tel. +48 33 851 84 52

By train:

- PKP: Skoczów railway station, tel. +48 33 853 39 12 (Access by train to Skoczów + transit at PKS to Brenna) +48 39 19 757 – national railway information

By car: routes leading to Brenna:

- route no. 81 from Katowice via Skoczów
- route no. 942 from Szczyrk / Wisła / Ustroń
- route no. S52 from Cieszyn
- route no. S52 from Bielsko Biała

By plane: The nearest airports are:

- Katowice Pyrzowice 120 km from Brenna, phone +48 32 39 27 200, www.katowice-airport.com

- Krakow Balice 136 km from Brenna, tel. +48 12 295 58 00, www.krakowairport.pl
- Ostrava (Czech Republic) 65 km from Brenna, tel. +420 597 471 136, www.airport-ostrava.cz
- Brno (Czechy) 236 km od Brennej, tel. +420 545 521 136, www.airport-brno.cz



Istebna

the power of tradition

Istebna, due to its location, is considered one of the most picturesque towns in the south of Poland. The main reason why you should visit these areas is the still cultivated tradition and folk culture.

The most important assets of active recreation in the Istebna commune are long-lasting snow cover, cable cars and cross-country trails. The first snowfall usually appears here at the end of November, and the permanent snow cover lasts for about 5 months a year, with its thickness reaching 60-100 cm, often exceeding these values.

It happens that even during Easter, you can see amateurs of white madness skiing down the local slopes.

www.istebna.eu

View from Ochodzita



Złoty Gron

SELECTED TOURIST ATTRACTIONS



Jerzy Kukuczka memorial chamber in Wilcze

JERZY KUKUCZKA MEMORIAL CHAMBER

Located in the Istebna hamlet of Wilcze, the chamber is run by the wife of the outstanding Polish Himalayan mountaineer Jerzy Kukuczka. He was the second person in the world to scale all the world's fourteen eight-thousanders. The venue is provided by the Kukuczka family timber house. The Himalayan mountaineer used to come here to recuperate between his expeditions and seek peace and quiet to write his books. Today it is home to photographs of his expeditions, some old climbing equipment, medals, awards, books and, most importantly, visitors can listen to the extraordinary story of a man who loved mountains and remained there forever. Cecylia is an exceptional custodian as she knows her husband life and his achievements like no one else.

43-470 Istebna Wilcze 340; tel. +48 508 389 558

www.jerzykukuczka.com

Advance telephone booking required.



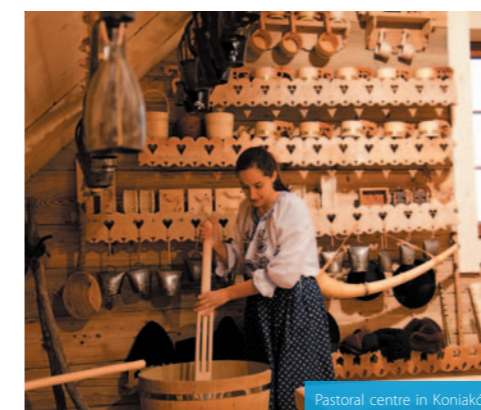
Kawulok Cottage

KAWULOK COTTAGE

Regional Chamber with an exhibition of antique home appliances and handmade musical instruments. It is located in a cottage built in 1863, which is the object of the Wooden Architecture Route of the Silesian Voivodeship.

Istebna 824, tel. +48 790 262 829

Distance from the centre of Istebna: 1 km



Pastoral centre in Koniaków

PASTORAL CENTRE IN KONIAKÓW

A unique place where you can learn about the history and highlander tradition of grazing sheep. You can touch everything there, try your hand at weaving (using wool), taste regional products, stroke and feed the animals living on the farm: sheep and goats. For those willing, it is possible to buy local wood, metal, wool and leather products as well as souvenirs.

Koniaków 33; +48 602 128 388,

www.centrumpasterskie.pl; e-mail: kolyba@op.pl

Open: V-IX 9:00-19:00, X-IV 10:00-18:00



Kubalonka cross-country trails

| | LIFT AND ROUTE NAME | LIFT LENGTH (m) | NUM-BER OF ROUTES | ROUTE LENGTH (m) | ILLUMI-NATION | SNOW | DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY | CONTACT |
|----|---|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|---------------|------|----------------------|--|
| 1a | Kompleks Istebna Zagroń I (cable lift) | 840 | 2 | 1000, 900 | + | + | | tel. +48 728 312 322 www.istebna.org |
| 1b | Kompleks Istebna Zagroń II (T-bar lift) | 260 | 1 | 300 | + | + | | |
| 2a | Ośrodek Narciarski Złoty Groń I (Disc lift) | 290 | 1 | 290 | + | + | | tel. +48 510 250 210 www.zlotygron.pl |
| 2b | Ośrodek Narciarski Złoty Groń II (cable lift) | 800 | 4 | 800 | + | + | | |
| | | | | 400 | + | + | | |
| | | | | 800 | - | + | | |
| | | | | 900 | - | - | | |
| 2c | Złoty Groń III ski resort (magic carpet) | 50 | 1 | 50 | + | + | | tel. +48 532 529 245 www.szus.com.pl |
| 3 | Szus (T-bar lift) | 450 | 1 | 450 | + | - | | |
| 4 | Szańce (T-bar lift) | 350 | 1 | 400 | + | - | | tel. +48 33 855 72 31, +48 603 952 144 www.uzawadow.pl |

A detailed description of the ski trails in Istebna and Koniaków

SPORT AND RECREATION

In Istebna you can find areas for skiing (cross-country skiing, ski-touring) as well as downhill skiing and snow-boarding. There are ski runs of varying difficulty as well as numerous ski schools and equipment rentals. The best conditions in this respect occur on the northern

slope of Złoty Groń. Snow scooters are waiting for more adventurous visitors, and families with children can enjoy the snowtubing zone in Kubalonka and in the Zagroń Complex.

AFTER SKIING

A pool and in one of the relaxing SPA & Wellness zones is just the thing after an active day. These are available at the Zagroń Complex (www.istebna.org), in the Złoty Groń Hotel (www.hotelzlotygron.pl) and in numerous mountain chalets. You can also go on a sleigh ride with a bonfire and a highlander band, or go to one of the restaurants to enjoy regional specialties and more.



Water Park in Zagroń Complex

WINTER SPORTS AND RECREATION FACILITIES

PZN CROSS-COUNTRY ROUTES

A complex of 300 km, 750 m, 1400 m, 2.5 km and 5 km cross-country ski trails. Prepared for classic and free style riding. Public routes have a biathlon shooting range, and FIS approval guarantees the highest European standards. Artificial snow facilities added in 2023. www.pzn.pl

SKI GLIDING

Ochodzita (the highest peak in Koniaków – 895 m a.s.l.), which according to ski gliding enthusiasts, has one of the best slopes in the Beskids for practicing this sport. It is a flat, woodless peak with an easy approach. Fans from all over Poland come here.



Informacja turystyczna



Tourist Information Point

43-470 Istebna 68 (building of the Commune Cultural Centre)
tel. +48 33 855 61 58

Access to Istebna

By bus:

- WISPOL +48 33 851 84 52
www.wispol.pl, biuro@wispol.pl
- DAS Katarzyna Kwiczala
Telefony +48 33 856 22 54
biuro@das2.com.pl
or kontakt@das2.com.pl

By train:

- PKP: Wisła railway station Uzdrowisko, (PKP access to the Wisła + transit from Wispol / DAS II to Istebna), +48 39 19 757 – national railway information

istebna@silesia.travel
www.istebna.eu

Istebna on Facebook
www.facebook.com/gmina-istebna

By car: routes leading to Istebna:

- route no. 81 from Ustroń (from Katowice)
- route no. 942/941 from Szczyrk / Wisła (from Bielsko-Biała)
- route no. S1 / 943 from Żywiec

By plane: nearest airports:

- Katowice Pyrzowice 143 km from Istebna, tel. +48 32 39 27 200, www.katowice-airport.com
- Krakow Balice 159 km from Istebna, tel. +48 12 295 58 00, www.krakowairport.pl

- Ostrava (Czech Republic) 76 km from Istebna, tel. +420 597 471 136, www.airport-ostrava.cz
- Brno (Czech Republic) 241 km from Istebna, tel. +420 545 521 136, www.airport-brno.cz



Żywiec District

Żywiec District has excellent conditions for winter sports. Tourists can take advantage of the numerous ski lifts and superb trails. The ski season starts at the end of November and lasts till the end of April.

The largest ski and snowboard resorts in the area are **Zwardoń** and **Korbiewów**. The slopes of one of the highest peaks of the Żywiec Beskids – Pilska (1557 m a.s.l.), remain covered with snow until late spring.

The ski resorts have from several to dozens ski lifts. Illuminated and artificially snowed routes, catering facilities, ski equipment rentals and service, as well as ski instructors guarantee the satisfaction of tourists.

You can use many hiking trails and bicycle routes in winter for cross-country skiing as well as for popular mountain skiing (ski-tour).

www.zywiec.powiat.pl



View of Babia Mountain from Pilska (Hala Miziowa)

SELECTED TOURIST ATTRACTIONS



Old Castle – Żywiec

OLD CASTLE IN ŻYWIEC

In the city centre there is a 16th-century Old Castle and a 19th-century Habsburg Palace. They are located in a beautiful park created in English style. In the park there is also the so-called chinese house. The building of the Old Castle houses the City Museum, and next to it, a themed miniature park “From Komorowskie to Habsburgs” with 23 building miniatures.

www.muzeum-zywiec.pl

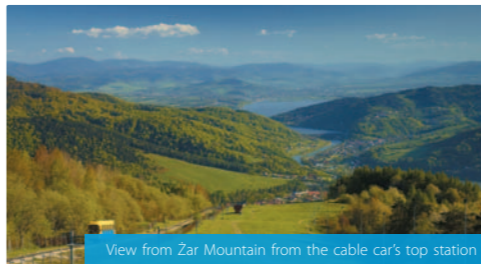


Żywiec Brewery Museum

ŻYWIEC BREWERY MUSEUM

The largest and most modern institution of this type in Poland. The Museum tourist route presents the beer production process and the 160-year history of the Brewery. Exhibits, archives and multimedia, as well as the atmosphere of the era in the reconstructed streets is a must-see.

www.muzeumbrowaru.pl



View from Zar Mountain from the cable car's top station

ŻAR MOUNTAIN (761 M A.S.L.)

Żar Mountain is a hill in Międzybrodzie Żywiecki, from which there extends a beautiful panorama of the Beskid Mountains and Żywieckie Lake. There is a ski lift, glider school and rope park, and a water reservoir has been built on top of the pumped storage power plant.

www.gorazar.pl



Żywiec Ethnographic Park in Ślemień

ŻYWIEC ETHNOGRAPHIC PARK IN ŚLEMIEN

Etnopark reproduces the urban layout and development of the village of the Żywiec Beskids. These are buildings from different periods, which are pearls of the Beskid architecture, in which the soul was breathed again. 19 historic architectural objects have already been placed in the area of over 6 ha.

www.etnopark.pl



SKI LIFTS

T-BAR LIFT

CHAIRLIFT

SKI ROUTES

VERY DIFFICULT

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| LIFT AND ROUTE NAME | | LIFT LENGTH (m) | NUM- BER OF ROUTES | ROUTE LENGTH (m) | ILLUMI- NATION | SNOW | DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY | CONTACT |
|---------------------|--|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|----------------|------|----------------------|---|
| 1 | Kamienna – Solisko (4-person cable) | 700 | 2 | - | | | | tel. +48 33 483 20 27 www.pilsko.org |
| 1 | Trasa Solisko – Kamienna | | | 730 | + | + | | |
| 1c | Solisko – Kamienna (sports slope) | | | 730 | - | - | | |
| 2 | Polana Strugi – Hala Szczawiny (2-person cable) | 1564 | 2 | - | | | | |
| 4a | Pilsko – Hala Szczawiny | | | 1800 + 1564 | - | - | | |
| 2a | Buczynka – Hala Szczawiny | | | 1800 | - | - | | tel. +48 33 483 20 27 www.pilsko.org |
| 3 | Hala Szczawiny – Hala Miziowa (Double parallel T-bar lift) | 913 | 1 | - | - | - | | |
| 4a | Pilsko – Hala Szczawiny | | | 1800 + 1564 | | | | |
| 4 | Hala Miziowa – Pilsko (wyciąg orczykowy) | 670 | 2 | - | - | - | | |
| 4a | Pilsko – Hala Szczawiny | | | 1800 + 1564 | - | - | | |
| 4b | Pilsko – Hala Miziowa | | | 800 | - | - | | tel. +48 601 506 406 |
| 5 | Baba (2-person cable) | 710 | 2 | | | | | |
| 1b 1b | Solisko – Kamienna – Baba | | | 710 | + | + | | |
| 6 | Hala Miziowa – Kopiec (disc lift) | 430 | 1 | | | | | |
| 6a | Kopiec – Hala Miziowa – Buczynka | | | 2100 | - | - | | |
| 7 | „Płaj” (disc lift) | 80 + 180 | 1 | | | | | tel. +48 33 483 20 27 www.pilsko.org |
| 6a | Kopiec – Hala Miziowa – Buczynka | | | 2100 | - | - | | |
| 2a | Buczynka – Hala Szczawiny | | | 1800 | - | - | | |
| 8 | Jontek – Buczynka (4-person cable) | 1500 | 1 | | | | | |
| 1a | Buczynka – Kamienna | | | 2500 | - | + | | |
| 9 | Cypisek | 300 | 1 | 300 | + | + | | tel. +48 33 863 67 14 |

OTHER LIFTS IN ŻYWIEC DISTRICT

| TOWN NAME | LIFT NAME | LIFT LENGTH (M) | NUMBER OF ROUTES | ROUTE LENGTH (M) | ILLUMI- NATION | SNOW | CONTACT |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|----------------|------|-------------------------------|
| Międzybrodzie Żywieckie | PKL Żar funicular (cable-rail) | 1300 | 3 | 1600 | + | + | tel. 33 8661136 www.pkl.pl |
| | Żar mountain (platter lift) | 300 | | 300 | + | + | |
| | Żar mountain (T-bar lift) | 600 | | 600 | + | + | |
| Przyłęków | Jastrzębica Ski (T-bar platter lift) | 400 | 1 | 400 | + | + | recepcja@hotel-zywiecki.pl |
| Zwardoń (Zwardoń Ski) | Mały Rachowiec | 860 | 3 | 1450 | + | + | www.zwardonski.pl |
| Zwardoń (Zwardoń Ski) | Duży Rachowiec | 1200 | 3 | 3400 | - | - | |
| Zwardoń (Zwardoń Ski) | Baby Lift | 130 | 1 | 200 | + | + | |
| Rajcza | Na Complu | 300 | 1 | 300 | + | + | tel. 514850680 |
| Węgierska Górka (Hungarian Mountain) | Za Groniem | 500 | 2 | 500 130 | + | + | www.zagroniem.pl |

SELECTED TOURIST ATTRACTIONS



DEFENSE FORTIFICATIONS “WĘGIERSKA GÓRKA”

The most famous tourist attraction of Węgierska Górka (Hungarian Mountain) is the war shelters from World War II, which have gone down in history as the “Westerplatte of the South”. Four can be seen from the five built shelters. In the “Wędrowiec” shelter there is the Chamber of Tradition of the Polish Arms, which is open to the public. The fortifications also include shelters: “Waligóra”, “Wąwóz”, “Włoczęga” and “Wyrwidąb”.

www.wegierska-gorka.opg.pl/westerplatte-poludnia

AFTER SKIING

Winter tours of the Beskids are a great way to spend your free time. Many hiking and cycling routes can be used for cross-country skiing and mountain hiking. The advantage of most routes are mountain hostels, where you can warm up, relax and drink hot tea. When walking around the Żywiec Park you must see the Old and New Castle and the Miniature Park.

After the winter madness, it is worth taking part in the Beskid Carnival (January), during which you can see the key elements of what makes the Żywiec region during the Christmas period, e.g. festive customs of the region, ornamentation, traditional Christmas cuisine or caroling.

Also worth seeing is one of the most spectacular folklore events – Review of Carolling and Ritual Groups “Żywieckie Gody” (or “Żywiec Feast”). This is one of the largest and oldest caroll group competitions in the Beskids. The most effective element of the Festivities are traditional proces- sions in which ritual groups from Żywiec and the surround- ing villages participate. The procession is accompanied by live folk music. Carolers encourage fun and the devils are up to much mischief. One of the attractions of carolling is “whip snapping”, which according to beliefs was supposed to deter evil spirits.

Cultural and Tourist Information Centre in Żywiec

34-300 Żywiec
Zamkowa 2

tel. +48 33 861 21 24 (ext. 36)

zywiec@silesia.travel
informacja.turystyczna@muzeum-zywiec.pl



The District of Bielsko

In winter, enthusiasts of white madness flock to the Beskid towns located in the District of Bielsko, with Szczyrk at the forefront.

Perfectly prepared ski and snowboard routes will not disappoint both amateurs and demanding tourists. Szczyrk itself offers over 40 km of ski runs of various levels of difficulty.

Sports fans can enjoy skiing competitions organised here such as ski jumping, alpine skiing combined or cross-country skiing. If you want to spend time actively, you can use the nearby ice rink.

Regardless of whether you are looking for high-performance downhill routes for skiers, or you want to get your first experience in cross-country skiing, or perhaps if you fancy a winter walk along the mountain trail – you will find it all in the District of Bielsko.

www.powiat.bielsko.pl



Szczyrk in winter



View of Skrzyczne

SELECTED TOURIST ATTRACTIONS

MUSEUMS AND REGIONAL CHAMBERS

Sightseeing is worth starting in Bystra next to the Municipal Cultural Centre “Promyk” (“Glimmer”), where lies the villa where Julian Fałat, one of the greatest Polish watercolourists, lived. The villa houses a museum dedicated to his life and work. In addition to the villa in Bystra, there is also the Regional Chamber “Old Stolarnia” (“Old Joinery”) and the Regional Art Gallery. In Jasienica, it is worth visiting the Regional Chamber “Chata Międzyrzecze” (or “Międzyrzecze Hut”), while in Rudzica, the Gallery of painter Florian Kohut “Pod Strachem Polnym” (“Under the Scarecrow”). Being in the vicinity of Kozy, you must visit the historic Czeczów Palace and the The Adolf Zuber Historical Chamber located there.

Fałatówka-Bystra, ul. Fałata 34, tel. +48 33 810 53 25,
GOK „Promyk” – Bystra, ul. Fałata 2G, tel. +48 33 817 07 73,
Chata Międzyrzecze, Międzyrzecze Górne 511, tel. +48 33 812 66 40,
“Pod Strachem Polnym” Gallery – Rudzica,
ul. Grabówka 108, tel. +48 33 815 23 10,
Czecz Palace in Kozy – Kozy, ul. Krakowska 5, tel. +48 33 818 03 11
Distances from the centre of Bielsko-Biała: Fałatówka-Bystra – (9 km), GOK “Promyk” – Bystra – (8 km), Chata Międzyrzecze – (9 km), “Pod Strachem Polnym” Gallery – (18 km), Czecz Palace in Kozy – (12 km)



Bystra, Julian Fałat Museum



Downhill skiing in the District of Bielsko

WINTER ATTRACTIONS IN SZCZYRK

Szczyrk’s ski infrastructure has been completely modernised in recent years. Currently Szczyrk is one of the most modern ski resorts in Poland. The city attracts tourists primarily by numerous ski runs, an extensive accommodation and catering base, as well as many attractions for children. The three largest ski resorts in Szczyrk (BSA, COS, SMR) allow you to buy a joint Skipass, so you can easily move between the lifts. The Poviats offer in this respect is supplemented by a 210-m long T-bar lift operating at “Chata na Groniu” in Meszna.

Distance from the centre of Bielsko-Biała: Szczyrk – 15 km, Meszna – 10 km



Bolesław the Brave Square



Bielsko-Biała

Bielsko-Biała is a city located at the foot of the Silesian and Little Beskids. The picturesque location makes it without doubt one of the most beautiful Polish towns. Visitors will be delighted by the numerous monuments modeled on Viennese architecture. That is why the city is called “Little Vienna”.

Most of the mountainous areas within Bielsko-Biała are located within two landscape parks: the Little Beskids Landscape Park and the Silesian Beskids Landscape Park. Wanderers will find what they are looking for among the mountains surrounding Bielsko-Biała: buzz or loneliness, the beauty of the Beskid nature and amazing views.

The city of Bielsko-Biała is a cultural, sport and entertainment centre of the Beskids. Numerous music and cultural festivals, exhibitions and sporting events take place here.

www.miastowgorach.pl



Market Square

SELECTED TOURIST ATTRACTIONS



Cable car to Szyndzielnia

CABLE LIFT ON SZYNDZIELNIA

Szyndzielnia is the most popular mountain near Bielsko-Biała. It takes two and a half hours to get to the top. A gondola lift will make the journey much shorter. On the way tourists can admire the beautiful panorama of Bielsko-Biała from large windows of yellow gondolas. An 18-metre-high observation tower stands by the upper station. The PTTK refuge on Szyndzielnia is only a few minutes' walk away.

Szyndzielnia is a great place to relax. Wagons adapted to transport of disabled people, prams, bicycles, skis and other equipment, transport tourists to a height of 958.85 m a.s.l. The upper cable station – thanks to the multitude of routes – is an excellent starting point to many interesting places in the Silesian Beskids.

Bielsko-Biała, Aleja Armii Krajowej 366, tel. +48 33 814 44 81, www.kolej-szyndzielnia.pl



Dębowiec Slope

DĘBOWIEC SKI RESORT

The charm of the Beskids can be enjoyed by both hiking and skiing enthusiasts, as well as people with young children. With the latter in mind, there is a recreation and ski centre created on the slopes of Dębowiec (686 m a.s.l.), which is available to tourists throughout the year. Its biggest attraction is the 4-person couch lift. There is also a children's lift here in winter. It is illuminated, regularly snowed and groomed. At the top station of the cable lift there is a toboggan run and a children's playground, as well as Dębowiec Inn famous for exceptional dumplings.

Bielsko-Biała, ul. Karbowa 55, tel. +48 604 913 765, www.kolej-szyndzielnia.pl, www.kolej-debowiec.pl

The great advantage of both facilities is that they are easily accessible not only for motorised tourists. You can reach the foot of Szyndzielnia and Dębowiec from the PKP and PKS stations by public transport (bus routes no. 7 and 8). Detailed timetable www.rozklady.bielsko.pl



HIKING

Although most of the winter is associated with skiing or snowboarding, it is also a great time for hiking. Most of the routes around Bielsko are also available in winter. An ideal solution for less skilled tourists is a trip to Szyndzielnia, Kozia Mountain, Dębowiec. Selected descriptions of recommended routes are available, among others, at www.visitbielsko.pl

MOUNTAIN BIKE TRACK ENDURO TRAILS

Bielsko-Biała is also a mountain biking centre in the region. On the slopes of Kozia Mountain there are Enduro Trails mountain bike paths (closed in winter for safety reasons). The “Enduro Trails – Bielsko-Biała” complex consists of a network of one-way cycle routes, the so-called “Singletracks”. They are narrow, winding paths with varying degrees of difficulty which have appealed to many mountain bikers.

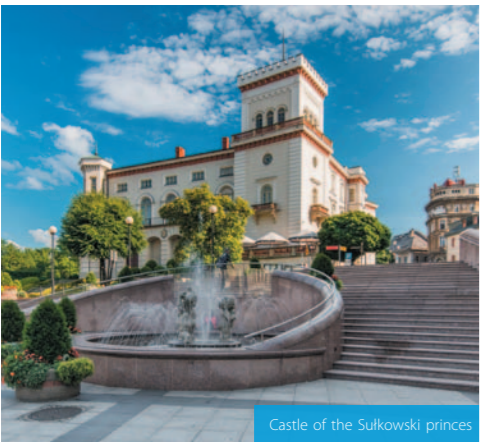
Bielsko-Biała, ul. Modra (na Błoniach), tel. 698 205 786, www.endurotrails.pl



LITTLE VIENNA

Bielsko-Biała, also called “Little Vienna”, is ideal for city walks due to its beautiful 19th-century architecture (Art Nouveau and eclectic) and cafe atmosphere . A quiet evening stroll through the historic streets of the city is the perfect culmination of an eventful day. Tourists are attracted by restored historic buildings of tenements on the market square, the castle of the Sułkowski princes, the theatre or the town hall. Historic buildings feature interesting architectural details (e.g. frogs in tailcoats at the “Under the Frogs” Tenement House).

Strolling around the town, visitors can come across famous fairy tale characters: statues of Reksio, Bolko and Lolek, Pampalini, Mysterious Don Pedro, the Wawel Dragon and Bartholomew Bartollini – all heroes of cartoons made at the local Studio Filmów Rysunkowych.



CASTLE OF THE SUŁKOWSKI PRINCES

Located in the centre of Bielsko-Biała, the castle is the oldest monument of the city (14th century). It once served as a noble residence, now it is a historical museum. You can see historic chambers, military exhibitions and hunting-related items, as well as Polish and European exhibits of painting art.

Bielsko-Biała, ul. Wzgórze 16, tel. 33 817 13 61, www.muzeum.bielsko.pl




ENTERTAINMENT AND SHOPPING

In Bielsko-Biała you can find several large shopping malls – the largest of them is Galeria Sfera, which is located closest to the city centre. A little further from the centre are Galeria Gemini Park and Sarni Stok. Entertainment enthusiasts will be attracted by “Klimat Club” in Galeria Sfera, which includes: a bowling alley with eight lanes, billiards and a music club. Another site of entertainment is the “Zygzak” Multilevel Karting

Track – the longest indoor track in Poland. The track combines the advantages of dynamic and technical driving, and meets the requirements of advanced riders and newcomers in the field of karting.

More information at Municipal Tourist Information Center, Plac Ratuszowy 4, tel. 33 819 00 50, www.it.bielsko.pl



Bielsko-Biała

Municipal Tourist Information Centre

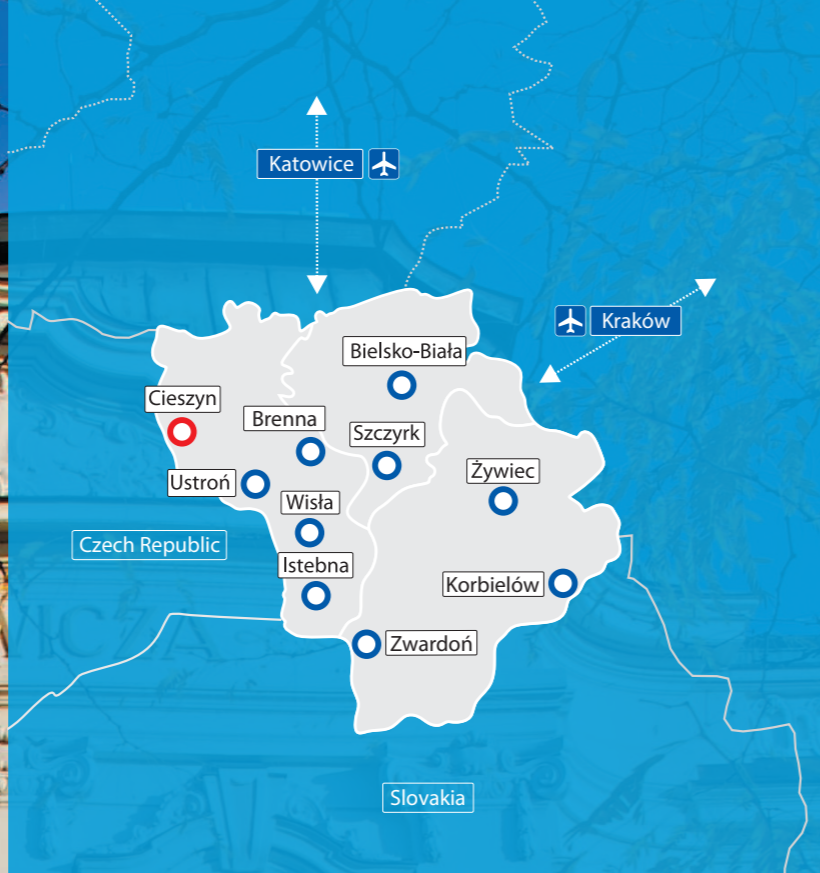
43-300 Bielsko-Biała
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www.it.bielsko.pl



Adam Mickiewicz Theatre



Cieszyn

Cieszyn is one of the oldest cities in Poland. It is located at the foot of the Beskids, on the Polish-Czech border. Currently, despite its small size, it is an important cultural, administrative and educational centre. It is also an important point on the transport map of Europe.

In Cieszyn Castle, modern design and architecture are presented at exhibitions unique on a national scale, and you can also see traditional crafts in a surprising new role. An additional advantage is the attractive location near the state border, in the vicinity of the most beautiful monuments of Cieszyn Silesia: the Romanesque Rotunda of St Nicholas from the 11th century, the 12th century Final Defense Tower and the 14th century Piast Tower, which is the highest viewpoint in Cieszyn.

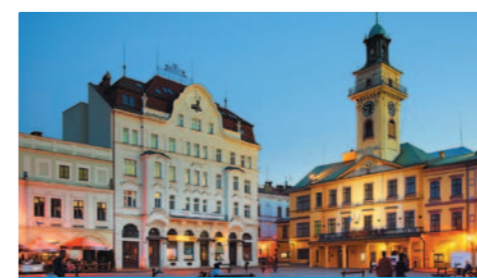
The city is the heart of Cieszyn Silesia and is the seat of the Polish side of the Cieszyn Silesia Euroregion.

**www.cieszyn.pl
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Winter panorama of the Beskids

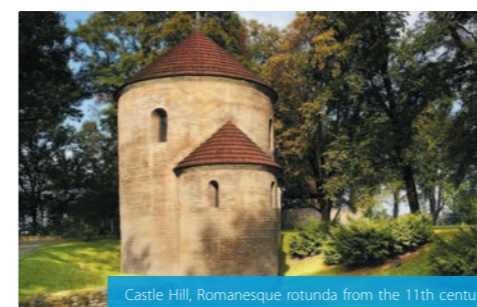
SELECTED TOURIST ATTRACTIONS



Market Square. Town hall and tenement house under Brunatny Jeleń



Museum of Cieszyn Silesia. The former Larisch palace from 1789.



Castle Hill, Romanesque rotunda from the 11th century

OLD TOWN

The buildings of the main square of the city impress with decorated vestibules, barrel vaults and stone gates. On the historic market there is a fountain with an 18th-century statue of St. Florian, the patron of firefighters.

MUSEUM OF CIESZYN SILESIA

This is the oldest public museum in Poland and one of the oldest in Europe. The Museum houses departments of: archeology (materials from excavations of the city of Cieszyn and the surrounding area), ethnography (everyday tools, embroidery, lace), photography (archival photographs), history (manuscripts), art (sculpture, painting) and techniques (oil lamps, irons). It has over 70 thousand exhibits in its collections!

Cieszyn ul. T. Regeera 6 (Cieszyn centre), tel. +48 33 551 29 32-33, www.muzeumcieszyn.pl

CIESZYN CASTLE AND CASTLE HILL

Castle Hill is a unique place in Cieszyn, from which there extends a view of the entire city. Tourists can visit the 14th-century Piast Tower, the 11th-century Romanesque rotunda (known by everyone – its image appears on the PLN 20 banknote), or Cieszyn Castle known for supporting innovative entrepreneurship through the use of modern design.

Cieszyn, ul. Zamkowa 3 a, b, c, tel. +48 33 851 08 21, www.zamekcieszyn.pl

Distance from the centre of Cieszyn: 0.5 km
 Detailed information is available from the Cieszyn Information Centre.



Cieszyn Information Centre

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www.olza.pl



Cieszyn Castle Tourist Information

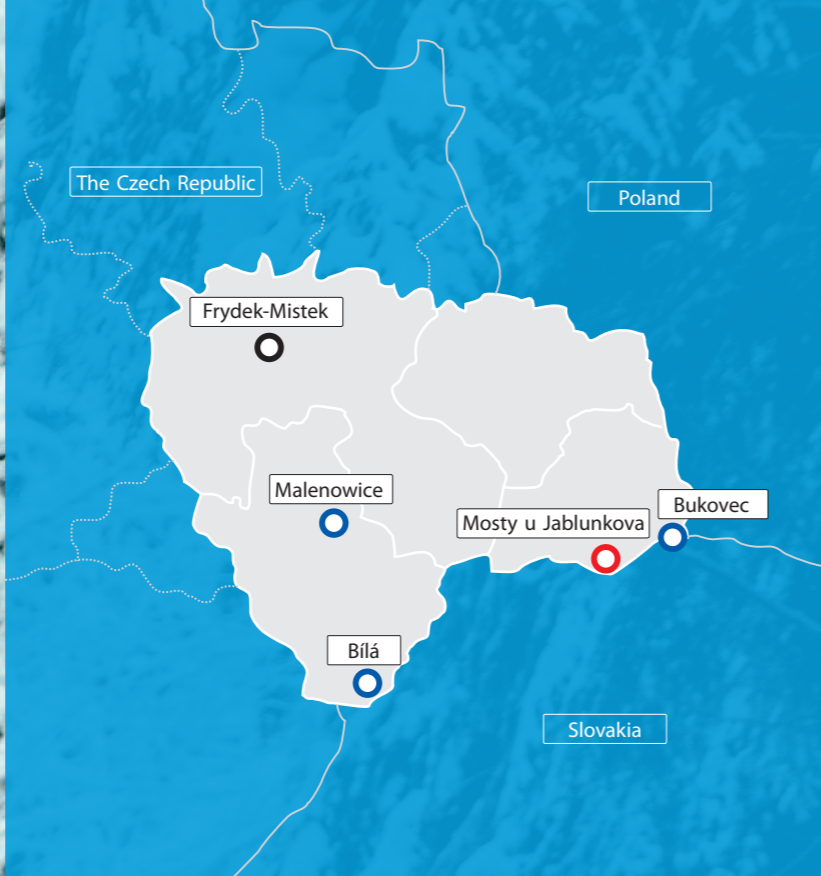
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www.zamekcieszyn.pl



Ski touring



Ski resort SKI MOSTY Mosty near Jablunkowa

Boundless energy

Ski Mosty near Jablunkova is a ski resort in the Czech part of the Beskids, located closest to the Polish border. The resort straddles the western slopes of Fojtský Grůň (700 m asl.). The pistes come with a beautiful panorama of the eastern part of the Moravian-Silesian Beskids.



Ski Mosty



Winter skiing



Ski Mosty

Skiing takes place on shortish but unexpectedly varied pistes running along several ski lifts. These are mostly red pistes, including a fairly wide one, ideal for carving. Children and beginner skiers use a separate lift. All in all, the resort at Mosty near Jablunkova has more than 2 km of ski slopes. All ski lifts and slopes are illuminated for comfortable skiing after dark.

A bobsleigh run, one of the longest in the Czech Republic is a great attraction of the resort. It descends in great loops from halfway up the slope, guaranteeing immense amounts of fun!

A restaurant serving delicious regional food caters for diners in the lower part of the resort. A large free car park is available in the Ski Areal Mosty area.

Address:

Skiareál Mosty u Jablunkova
739 98 Mosty u Jablunkova 1111
tel. (ticket office): +420 733 182 464

e-mail: info@skimosty.cz
www.skimosty.cz

Distances:

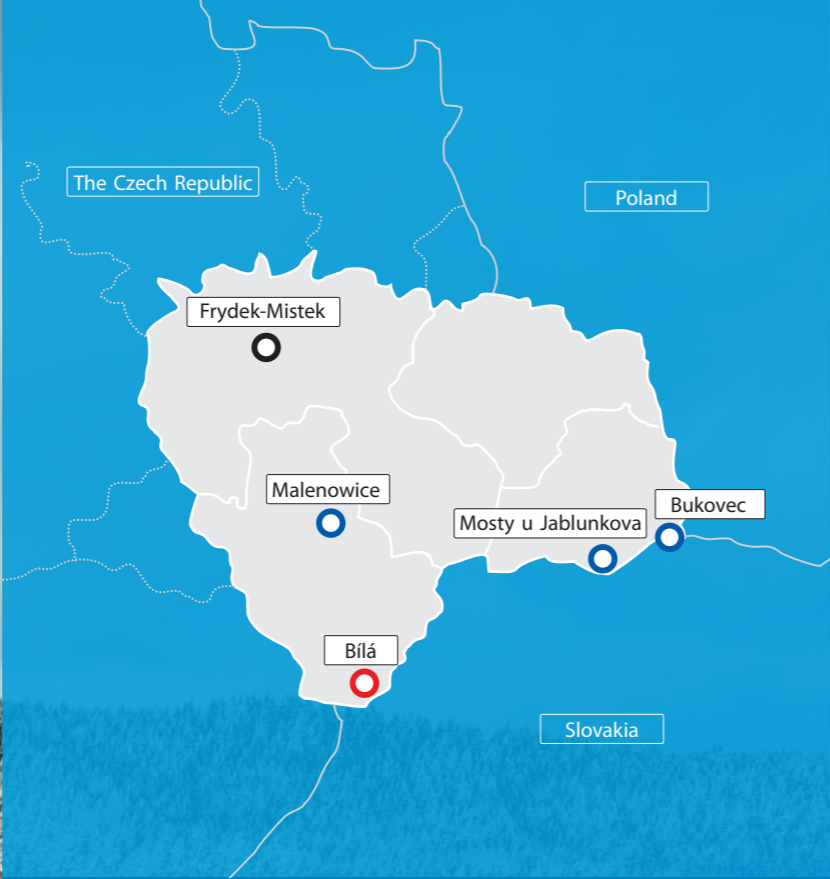
Bielsko-Biala – 77 km / 1:00 h Katowice – 132 km / 1:38 h Ostrava – 66 km/ 0:52 h Frydek-Mistek – 43 km/ 0:36 h

Other attractions in the vicinity:

1. Jablunkov ramparts – a museum of historical fortifications in Mosty u Jablunkova
2. The Devil's Mill at the foot of Gírova mountain – a rock formation known as the Devil's Mill. Legend has it that devils and witches used to meet here.
3. Saints Cyril and Methodius Church in Herčava.
4. Polis-Czech-Slovakian border meeting point in Herčava.



Ski Bílá



Ski resort SKI AREAL BÍLÁ

Skiing heaven

Surrounded by the high peaks of the Beskidy Mountains, Bílá is one of the most modern ski resorts in the Moravian-Silesian Region. A typical mountain tourist village, picturesquely situated the Bílá River valley, not far from Frýdlant nad Ostravicí. The conditions here for winter sports are amazing. Even during relatively mild winters, the season lasts up to two or three weeks longer than in neighbouring resorts.



Ski Bílá

Two areas on opposite slopes of the valley make up the ski resort. The main ski slope lies on the northern slopes of Zbojnícka Mountain (774 m asl.). A fast four-seat Doppelmayr ski lift operates on 3 ski slopes (2

more demanding and an easy one). A much smaller and easier slope ideal for beginners lies on the opposite side of the valley.



Ski Bílá

All in all skiers can use take advantage of four ski lifts (including one chair lift) and more than 5 km of ski slopes throughout the resort. Slopes are partially illuminated and supplemented with artificial snow. A common ski pass system valid for pistes in the Bílá ski resort, Kohútka ski centre and Razula ski resort in Velké Karlovice has been in place since 2013.

The most modern snow park in Moravia with an educational playground and 4 well-groomed cross-country ski trails (red – 33.2 km, blue – 19.8 km, green – 10 km, yellow – 16 km) can also be found in Bílá.



Tourist information:

Bílá 155, 739 15 Bílá tel. +420 725 222 111 info@nabile.cz https://www.nabile.cz

Address:

Areál Ski Bílá
Bíla 173 739 15 Staré Hamry tel. +420 602 632 145 (ticket offices) e-mail: areal@skibila.cz

Distances:

Bielsko-Biala – 98 km/ 1:20 h Katowice – 145 km / 1:40 h Ostrava – 51 km/ 0:40 h Frydek-Mistek – 34 km/ 0:30 h

Other attractions in the vicinity:

1. Wooden St. Frederick Church in Bílá
2. Forest game enclosure in Bílá
3. Sulphurous water spring (smelly spring) in Bílá – the hydrogen sulphide rich water is potable and alleviates stomach disorders, joint pains and skin diseases. It never freezes.



View of Lysá Hora



Ski resort SKI MALENOVICE Malenovice

Active holidays with spectacular views

Malenovice is a typical mountain village, sitting at the foot of Lysá Hora mountain, the highest peak of the Silesian-Moravian Beskids. Most of the village lies within a nature reserve, which makes it very alluring for tourists. Malenovice is an ideal place for active holidays with spectacular views.



Winter in the Beskids




Downhill skiing

a 400 m long platter lift (460 m and 250 m). The pistes come with varied features and inclines, ideal for beginners and those wishing to improve their skills.

A recently opened restaurant with a spacious panoramic terrace serving good food awaits visitors to the Malenovice Ski Area. The restaurant owner has decided to focus on serving typical piste food: the dishes are simple, filling and based on local traditions. Local specialities include Alpine dumplings with jam, poppy seeds and vanilla sauce, as well as fried cheese, a Czech classic.

Skiers can take full advantage of five ski slopes. Three are accessible by means of a 720 m long T-bar lift (1,400 m, 1,200 m and 850 m) and the other two by



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| Address: | | | |
| Ski Malenovice Malenovice 258 739 11, Malenovice | tel. +420 734 866 915, 602 747 234 | info@skimalenovice.cz | |
| Distances: | | | |
| Bielsko-Biala – 82 km/ 1:00 h Katowice – 130 km / 1:30 h Ostrawa – 36 km/ 0:30 h Frydek-Mistek – 16 km/ 0:20 h | | | |
| Other attractions in the vicinity: | | | |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Satiny Waterfalls – considered to be the most beautiful waterfall in the Beskids. In winter, when temperatures fall below zero, the waterfall turns into an icefall creating an extraordinary spectacle (when visiting this place in winter, it is especially important to have appropriate footwear and hiking gear).2. Hiking and nature trails on Lysá Hora mountain.3. A viewing terrace below the St. Ignatius Loyola Church on Borová Hill in Malenovice enchants with its beautiful views of the towering Beskids and their foothills with the Ondřejník massif amongst them. | | | |



Winter in the Beskids



Ski resort KEMPLAND Bukowiec

The perfect idea a winter family holiday

The Kempaland ski centre in Bukovec, the easternmost village of the Czech Republic, is only 1 km from the Polish border. The place is ideal to teach children and beginners to ski and snowboard.



Snowboard school

The pistes are located on the northern slope of the Kempa Mountain (571 m asl.) in the Silesian Beskids. Three easy and simple ski slopes, between 600 and 800 metres long await skiers. The summit of Kempa boasts

beautiful views of the Olše river valley, the peaks of the Beskids and the surrounding towns. A well-equipped children's ski park with a 130-metre long slope, a ski lift, a ski carousel and a magic carpet is a favourite of the youngest.



Snowboard school

There are a number of groomed cross-country ski trails in the vicinity.

Coming by car from Jablonkov, head towards Bukovec-Jasnovice, a former border crossing with Poland. A large free car park is available by the ski centre.



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| Address: | | |
| Kempaland Bukovec Bukovec 373 739 85 Bukovec | tel. +420 723 560 697 | info@kempaland.eu www.kempaland.eu |
| Distances: | | |
| Bielsko-Biala – 60 km/ 1:00 h Katowice – 130 km / 2:00 h Ostrava – 65 km/ 0:55 h Frydek-Mistek – 42 km/ 0:50 h | | |
| Other attractions in the vicinity: | | |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Jablunkov ramparts – a museum of historical fortifications in Mosty u Jablunkova2. The Devil's Mill at the foot of Girova mountain – a rock formation known as the Devil's Mill. Legend has it that devils and witches used to meet here.3. Saints Cyril and Methodius Church in Herčava.4. Polis-Czech-Slovakian border meeting point in Herčava. | | |



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