

Strengthening the cult of wine and developing vintage festivals

Learning from good practices and involving volunteers

National pilot course

24-26 April, 2014

Programme organiser: Hungarian Folk High School Society (www.nepfoiskola.hu)

Location : Balatonszepezd FHS (8252 Balatonszepezd, Árpád u. 10.)

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Representatives of villages attended: Balatonakali, Mindszentkállya, Szentbékállya and villages of the Nivegy Valley

PROGRAMME OUTLINE:

24 April

- Introduction to the Culture Guide project – aims, activities, partners, plans
Mr. Janos Szigeti Toth

- Traditions of vintage festivals in the Balaton Highland Region

Mrs. Emőke Laczkovits ethnographer

- Presentation of the collection of archive photos from the Veszprém County Museum

Workshop followed the presentations

25 April

Good practices of vintage festivals in the Balaton Highland Region

- Experiences of the vintage festival in Balatonakali – with a special focus on its artistic aspect

Mrs. Imréné Koncz

Workshop to discuss the presentation

- Organisational experiences and recommendations from the vintage festivals in Mindszentkállya and Szentbékállya villages

Mr. Gyula Keszler

Group work and discussions

- Rhymes, songs, poems from vintage festivals

Mr. Béla Stark

Workshop

- Contributions of amateur artistic groups to vintage festival programmes

Mrs. Annamária Nagy

Discussion, group work

26 April

-Guide and collection of documents on vintage festivals

Janos Szigeti Tóth, Márta Mihályfi

Workshop on the topic

- Discussion on the future time schedule of the activities of the Culture Guide Hungary team.

Documents prepared for the pilot course the table of content of the two planned handbook:

1/ Guide for vintage festivals

(History and tradition of vintage festival at the region, preparatory work of vintage festival, organising the event, programming-managing, the role of volunteers and organisers)

2/ Collection of documents related to vintage events

(Customs, sayings, songs, dances, poems, stories, costumes at vintage festivals, hospitality – traditional food)