

# Comenius Camp in Rybnik

31/03/2014 - 04/04/2014

*On the turn of March and April we had this wonderful experience to host students from five different schools in Europe in our Ursuline School in Rybnik. We had been looking forward to the Camp for some months. All the preparation made us feel excited and we couldn't wait until our guests' coming.*

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*And finally that special day had come*





# Coming of GERMAN group



# Coming of CZECH group

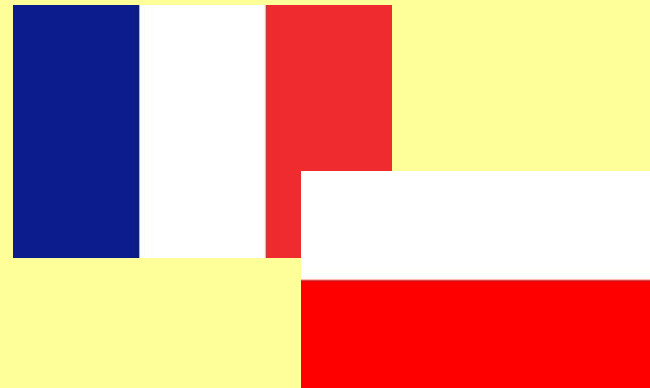




# Coming of SWISS group



# Coming of FRENCH group





# Coming of ITALIAN group





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# 7:50- *School assembly*

The second day began with our traditional school assembly at 7:50 a.m. First we prayed for having a good day at school and then we greeted out guests with open arms. Thanks to that meeting they had a chance to experience the special atmosphere we have







# *Lesson*

After that all guests, divided into national groups, attended an English lesson or watched a Powerpoint show about Ursuline School. This way, they spent 45 mins, and then changed the places.





# Walk around the city

Altogether, in mixed groups, we went for a short walk around Rybnik. The route started next to the Julius Hospital, near our school. Then we went to the Main Square and after that we saw the Town Hall. Another point of this trip was the God's Mother of Sorrow Church. Last but not one target was the St. Anthony's Basilica. At the very end, we saw the Theater in Rybnik.





# Auschwitz

The last point of that tiring day was Auschwitz Birkenau Camp in Oświęcim. Sightseeing that place was a very moving experience. We got to know how cruel were the Nazis during the World War II, and how much the Human Rights were violated then.



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# Cracow & Wieliczka

*During the Project, our guests had a chance to visit one of the most beautiful city in Poland, which is the previous capital city of our country. They saw the Wawel Cathedral and the Main Square. What they liked most were the Colegium Maius, which is a museum of Jagiellonian University, and the Mariacki Church. After that, they went to Wieliczka, where visited Salt Mine. It was found really impressive.*



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# Workshops

Because of the topic of this Project, we were talking about human rights. Our workshops were begun with a lecture by our civic education teacher. Then, divided into smaller groups we started working on this topic in different ways.



# Artistic group

Everybody in this group had great fun! The experience was awesome. The members gained memories for the rest of their lives!



First, everyone has rights to voice, to idea and freedom. And our sculpture shows a man who is enslaved.





# 'Ideal school' workshops

In our workshops we were discussing about schools in different countries, their rules, positive and negative sides. Each pair representing the country was sitting at the desk and trying to make a list of good and bad sides of their schools. After doing this task we were trying to describe the best school for us.... *The ideal school ☺*

...Then it was time for presenting results of our work...



*'Ideal school'*  
*workshops*

Obviously our conclusion was that Ursuline school is the best... ☺





# PowerPoint projects

Comenius Camp in Rybník, day 4.

- „The child soldiers” – Switzerland
- „Organisation that defend human rights” – Italy
- „How can we help” – France
- „Be a lamp, or a lifeboat” – Germany
- „Refugees” – Czech Republic



# Presentation of the results

When the time was up, every group was about to presents what they had prepared.

## Sculpture:

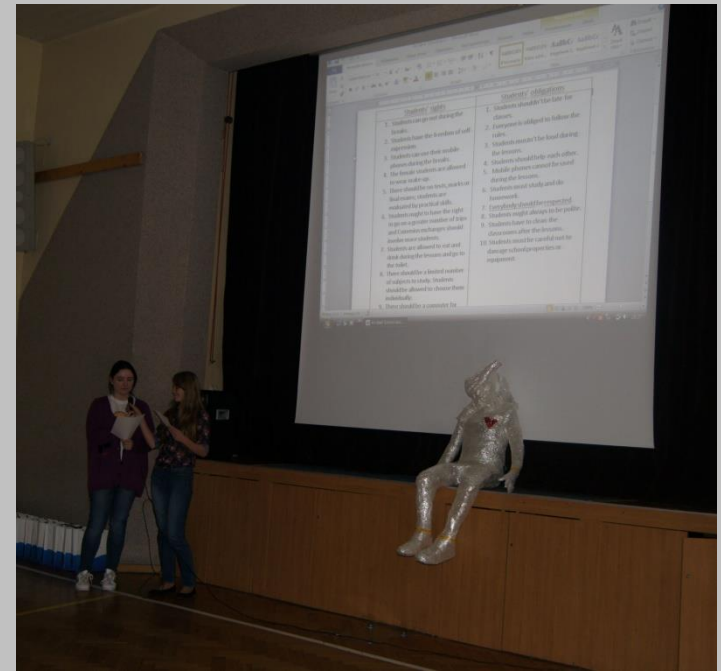




# 'Ideal school'



## Comenius Camp in Rybnik, day 4.



# PowerPoints



# Party

There is a tradition to organize a party at school at the end of the exchange. We also did it! It was fantastic. We were sitting at the table eating delicious meals and then we were dancing a bit.





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*Time to say goodbye...*

*The saddest moment of every meeting had come... We had to say goodbye. But we didn't. We said 'See you!!!' with a strong belief that we would meet again soon.*



*Those few days made all of us feel like a big multicultural family 😊*