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**Project**

**"EUROPEAN SINGING YOUTH" 2014-2016-2018-2020**

**13th EUROPEAN FESTIVAL OF YOUTH CHOIRS**

**"GIUSEPPE ZELIOLI" LECCO June 30 to July 5, 2020**

**Tuesday June 30**

**Arrival of the Choir in Lecco and relative provinces** (afternoon around 6.00/7.00 p.m.) Welcome and accommodation in families, hotels, and religious institute.

Dinner and overnight.

For the auditions and the Basilica concerts, the choirs are divided in **Turn A and Turn B**

**Wednesday July 1:**

Part of the day free: possible packed lunch or lunch

**4.00 p.m. Lecco - San Nicolò Rehearsal of the guest choir in the Basilica**

**6.15 p.m. Lecco – Palazzo Bovara**

Meeting at the Townhall of all directors and responsible of the Choirs with the Mayor of Lecco and the Lombard Provincial and Regional Authorities

**8.30 p.m. Lecco - Piazza Garibaldi**

Meeting of all Choirs (in ceremonial attire or traditional costume) for the opening concert ceremony.

Parade to Piazza Cermenati.

Arrival of the traditional boats “gondole lariane” with the flags of the countries of origin of all the Choirs - In collaboration with “Gruppo Manzoni Lucie”

Flag-raising performance and **European Anthem** - parade to the Basilica of San Nicolò

**9.30 p.m. Basilica of San Nicolò**

Greetings

***Concert of the National Boys Choir of Canada***

**Thursday July 2**

Morning Free: possible packed lunch or lunch

**10.00 a.m. Lecco - Rehearsal of the Ukrainian Choir Dzvinohok**

**2.30 p.m. Lecco – Cripta Santuario Nostra Signora della Vittoria - Piazza Manzoni**

***Choir Turn B*** - Audition by the Artistic Committee

**2.30/3.15p.m. Choir Turn A** - Opportunity of acoustic rehearsals in the **Basilica**

**3.45 p.m. Basilica San Nicolò: first collective rehearsal of collective pieces (all Choirs)**

**9.00 p.m. Basilica of San Nicolò - Concert Choirs *Turn A*** in the presence of public and Artistic Committee ***La Valletta Brianza*** and ***Mädchenchor am Kölner Dom***

Special Concert of the choir ***Ukrainian Boys Choir Dzvinohok***

**9.00 p.m. Various concerts of some Choirs in different locations in Lombardy**

**Friday July 3**

Morning free: possible packed lunch or lunch

**10.00 a.m. Basilica San Nicolò - second collective rehearsal of collective pieces (all Choirs)**



- 2.30 p.m.** Lecco - Cripta Santuario Nostra Signora della Vittoria, Piazza Manzoni  
***Choir Turn A*** - Audition by the Artistic Committee
- 4.45 p.m.** Lecco - Rehearsal of the Bonifantes Boys Choir  
***Choir Turn B*** - Opportunity of acoustic rehearsals in the **Basilica**
- 9.00 p.m.** Basilica San Nicolò: Concert Choirs **Turn B** in the presence of public and Artistic Committee, *Varsavia, Mytishchi, Bochnia*  
Special Concert of the choir ***Bonifantes Boys Choir***
- 9.00 p.m.** Various concerts of some Choirs in different locations in Lombardy

#### **Saturday July 4**

- 9.45 a.m.** Lecco – Basilica of San Nicolò  
Third collective rehearsal of collective pieces (all Choirs)
- 11.30 a.m.** Meeting of the directors with Artistic Committee
- 6.00/6.30p.m.** Musical Accompaniment to pre-festive Masses in the Parishes of the host cities.
- 8.30 p.m.** Meeting of all Choirs at Lungo Lario IV Novembre for the Folk evening
- 9.00 p.m.** Parade of the Choirs along the following path:  
Lungolaro IV Novembre, Piazza Stoppani, Lungolaro Cadorna, Piazza Cermenati, Lungolago Cesare Battisti, Largo Europa, via Sauro, Piazza Garibaldi.
- 9.45 p.m.** Piazza Garibaldi - European Folk Concert
- 11.00 p.m.** Return to respective accommodation

#### **Sunday July 5**

- 9.45 a.m.** Meeting of all Choirs in the Churchyard of Basilica of San Nicolò
- 11.00 a.m.** Conclusive Holy Mass of the Festival - Chaired from His Excellency Cardinal Angelo Scola Archbishop emeritus of Milan.  
Concelebrates: the Provost of Lecco Mons. Franco Cecchin and Mons. Robert Tyrala Honorary President FICP
- Brasses:* Opera In...Canto of Milan
- Organist:* Alessandro Chiantoni
- Schola Schola Gregoriana/ambrosiana: Pueri Cantores of. Bochnia**
- Director** Maestro cav. Pierangelo Pelucchi
- Closing ceremony of the Festival at the presence of the Authorities, with delivery of the certificates to the participating choirs
- Afternoon and evening 5.00 - 9.00 p.m. concerts in various lombard localities

### **This is the final program except for any unforeseen situations**

**Note:** For the choirs WARSAW BOYS CHOIR - TRADITSIYA - PUERI CANTORES SANCTI NICOLAI  
> Rehearsal not possible because of a marriage. Possible rehearsal from 7.30pm to 20.45pm. Concert will start at 9.15. Guest Choir will rehearse from 4.30pm till 5.45pm. Thank you

Attenzione: La S. Messa di Chiusura del Festival e la cerimonia finale verranno interamente trasmesse in streaming sul canale You Tube di HarmoniaGentium.com così pure dai canali Telenova e Chiesa TV