



**2nd INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL
"PURE COUNTRY"
AUGUST 6 - 7, 2011
WOLSZTYN, POLAND**



„PURE COUNTRY” - the second time around

Wolsztyn, August 6-7, 2011

After the surprising success of the last year's pioneer event which the "Pure Country" festival has proven to be, its founding father, Waldemar Ligma and his production team is currently working on its second edition. The feedback which "Pure Country" got from all over Poland, Europe and even from the country music circles in the USA, obliges the producers to live up to that last year's initial kick-off. And - judging by this year's program just recently published, and by quite an impressive list of artists booked - it should be even better!

It is important at this point to explain the meaning of the title, "Pure Country". It refers to the purity of the natural environment Wolsztyn is famous for, having the international status of the "ecologic town" and being an attractive tourist base in the middle of Greater Poland, with the rich hotel/recreation infrastructure. "Pure Country" also defines the wide spectrum of pure country music's sub-genres which the festival will present in its consecutive editions.

This year's musical attractions will include, among the others, the stars from the world capital of country music, Nashville, USA, which will appear in their **ONLY, EXCLUSIVE** concert in Poland. Those stars are:

BILLY YATES, singer, songwriter, producer, "Grammy Award" winner, creator of the annual "The Countriest of the Country" concert which opens the world's biggest country music festival, the CMA Fest and enjoys a true cult status. Billy's motto, expressed in one of his hit songs, goes: "I'm too country and proud of it!"

GEORGETTE JONES, called "The Princess of Country Music", due to the fact of being the daughter of the legendary King and Queen of country music, George Jones and Tammy Wynette. She inherited after her Mother a beautiful voice and with a truly royal class she carries on the musical tradition of her famous parents.



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BILLY YATES and **GEORGETTE JONES** will be backed by the many-time winners of the Dutch Country Music Association Award for "The Best Country Band", Holland's own **SAVANNAH**, which will also play a separate concert in their own right. With all three of the above acts on pedal steel guitar will play their guest artist, a sought-after session musician and personally, Georgette's husband - **JAMIE LENNON**.

Among the representatives of the European country music scene there will be our German neighbors, **REBEL BUNCH** with their original material of progressive, contemporary country music, self-penned by their charismatic lead singer, Danah.

There will also be a strong representation of Poland. Among them - "2010 Artist of the Year", **MICHAEL LONSTAR** with his Band, in a show packed with Guests and surprises, promoting the release of his new, self-penned album of duets, titled simply "**Michael Lonstar &...**".

Plus, the most stylish Polish country band, the **HONKY TONK BROTHERS**, many-time awarded singer, poet, writer of anthem hit songs, **CEZARY MAKIEWICZ**, solid acoustic bluegrass band, **CZAS NA GRASS**, dynamic, danceable **ALABAMA BAND** (not to be confused with their famous, recently disbanded American namesake!) and a little young artist with big talent and equally big heart for country music, justly heralded "Polish Country Music Hope", **DOTTY** in her new look and new repertoire, with one extra surprise up her sleeve.

On the dance side, there will appear Poland's best country dance troupe, winners of the "2009 Artist of the Year Award", **RODEO DANCE**, the dancers of the social dance club, the **WILD DANCING BOOTS** from the partnership town of Lübben (Germany) and Poland's own **DANCING RIDERS**, with their new colorful Western/music theme show.



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The visitors will find a wide range of other attractions: a variety of local cuisine spots, concession stands with Country & Western apparel and accessories, music booths and the annual **GUITAR LOTTERY** provided by Polish official distributor of Takamine and Ovation Guitars - **ZIBI company**, plus many surprises which you'll find while being there.

Additionally, starting from **Friday, August 5th**, the City Park will host the kick-off side events. In their number: the international motor bike rally organized by the "96MC" club, while on the main stage - concerts of the supporting acts (the band **TRACE** among many others), plus presentation of country and rock'n'roll dances and dance workshops for all interested. The official conclusion of the Friday workshops will take place during the Sunday concert on main stage. Festival's producers will provide attractive awards for the best amateur dancers.

And in between the evening concerts and other artistic festival attractions, Wolsztyn invites you to its numerous tourist and recreation activities: the beach, bathing, aquatic sports in the Wolsztyn Lake, bicycle routes, forest trails and above all, a true "time travel" to a unique, worldwide famous old steam engine station and museum.

All the above-mentioned attractions are **FREE**, because "Pure Country" is an admission-free enterprise.

For a detailed information go to "PURE COUNTRY" festival's website: www.country.wolsztyn.pl and if you want to experience clean air and a weekend of pure country music, just come over to Wolsztyn in August!



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AUGUST 6th, 2011 - SATURDAY - start: 4:30 p.m.

TRACE

OFFICIAL OPENING CEREMONY OF II INTERNATIONAL "PURE COUNTRY" FESTIVAL

REBEL BUNCH (GER)

MICHAEL LONSTAR & GUESTS

New CD "MICHAEL LONSTAR &..." premiere concert with guest artists & surprises

SAVANNAH (NL)

BILLY YATES (USA) w/SAVANNAH

HONKY TONK BROTHERS (PL)

GUJAR LOTTERY BY ZIBI

FIREWORK NIGHT SHOW

Dancers:

RODEO DANCE (PL)

WILD DANCING BOOTS (GER)



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AUGUST 7th, 2011 - SUNDAY

HOLY MASS COUNTRY STYLE - ST. JOSEPH CHURCH - 11:00 a.m.

FESTIVAL'S CONCERTS - START: 4:00 p.m.

TIME FOR GRASS (PL)

DOTTY (DOROTA KRAWCZYK)

DANCING RIDERS (PL)

Dance show: „Crazy Western”

ALABAMA BAND (PL)

During the concert: Friday's line dance workshops final show & awards for the best dancers

GEORGETTE JONES (USA)

CEZARY MAKIEWICZ & KOLTERS' (PL)

GUJAR LOTTERY BY ZIBI

FESTIVAL'S ANTHEM: "WHAT'S THIS COUNTRY THING" - MICHAEL LONSTAR & VARIOUS ARTISTS

CLOSING CEREMONY OF "PURE COUNTRY" 2011 FESTIVAL

Dancers:

RODEO DANCE (PL)



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"PURE COUNTRY" 2011 - ARTISTS



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