

JSTM in Finland 6.-13.7.2012

Friday 6.7. ARRIVAL

- Arrival in Helsinki airport at 14.40, then towards north.
- ca. 6 P.M. meet Antti at Pirkkala ABC Station. After driving ca. 170 km from Helsinki Airport, follow the E12 signs towards Vaasa, drive 8 km, then take the turn to Pirkkala Airport, and the ABC Station is there.
NOTE: The group should perhaps eat something at the ABC. Because of the festival program in Ikaalinen the next meal will be with the host families at ca. 10 P.M..
- Concert (Riku Niemi Orchestra), Ikaalinen Hall at 8 P.M. (JSTM in the audience)



- After the concert meeting with the host families.

Saturday 7.7. THE FESTIVAL

- Optional morning swim at Kasino beach, Ikaalinen
- Opening workshop: Welcome to Finland, lunch; Parish centre, Ikaalinen
- Rehearsal (JSTM); Parish centre, Ikaalinen
- Performance (45 min.) in the Festival Park (JSTM) at 5 P.M. starting with a march from the Parish centre
- Free time in Ikaalinen / Festival area

Sunday 8.7. NATIONAL TREASURES, part 1

- "Folk Song Service" in Ikaalinen Church
- The Concluding Concert of Sata-Häme Soi Festival
JSTM and INO will play together 2 pieces; Festival Park in Ikaalinen
- Lunch
- Workshop: ANCIENT FINNISH MUSIC INSTRUMENTS
presented by Doctor of Music **Rauno Nieminen**
- Evening by the lake (boats, swimming, sauna, sausage, fish etc.)



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Monday 9.7. NATIONAL TREASURES, part 2

- Workshop: Wind Band culture in Finland
- Lunch
- Trip to Tampere:

Sights:

Vapriikki Museum Centre

The national romantic Tampere Cathedral



Free time for shopping / dining in Tampere

Tuesday 10.7. NATIONAL TREASURES, part 3

- Optional morning swim at Kasino beach, Ikaalinen
- Orchestral workshop: The music of JEAN SIBELIUS
conductor: Major **Raine Ampuja** (the chief of the Guards Band in Helsinki,
the chief of the Finnish Wind Orchestra Association)
Oma Tupa, Ikaalinen
- Lunch
- The Sibelius workshop continues
- Football: youngsters vs. adults
- Evening together at Oma Tupa



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Wednesday 11.7. THE CONCERT

- *The essential FINNISH MARCHES*, presented by the Satakunta Military Band, conducted by Major **Riku Huhtasalo**; Niinisalo Military Base, Kankaanpää
- Coffee / snack in the “Soldiers’ Home” in Niinisalo
- Free time at Yyteri beach by the sea



- Rehearsal, dinner and ***Evening Concert*** (INO + JSTM) at Siikainen Hall

Thursday 12.7. NATIONAL TREASURES, part 4

- *Introduction to PESÄPALLO*, the national game of Finland by **Antti Nissilä**, a former player of Tarmo Ikaalinen ;) Ikaalinen Pesäpallo Stadium
- Lunch (+ some lunch music by members of JSTM)
Workshop: Enduring Wind Band, Jyllin Kodit, Ikaalinen
- ***Pesäpallo Super League Match***; Kankaanpää Pesäpallo Stadium (or free time in Ikaalinen)



- Free evening program in Ikaalinen

Friday 13.7. DEPARTURE



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