

# NEWSLETTER POLAND

*Monday 3, October*



We went to school at 9.00 am and they welcomed us with ballets made by children and young people. The little ones did a dance and a song with four red and white stripes that eventually formed the Polish flag.

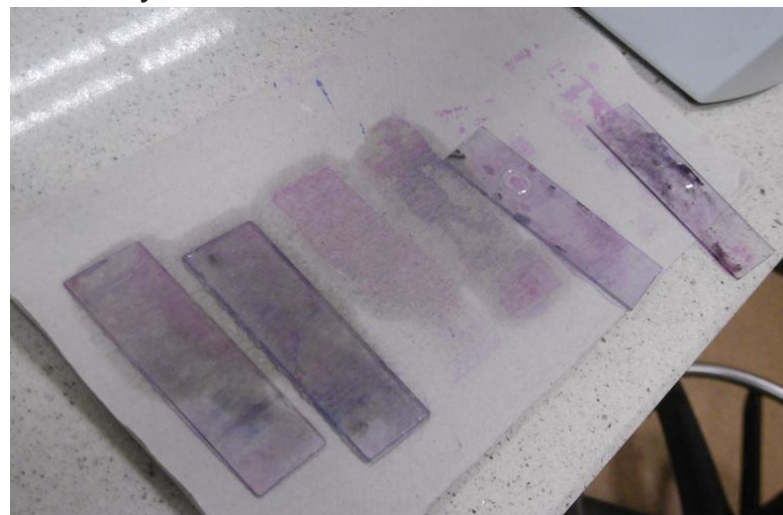
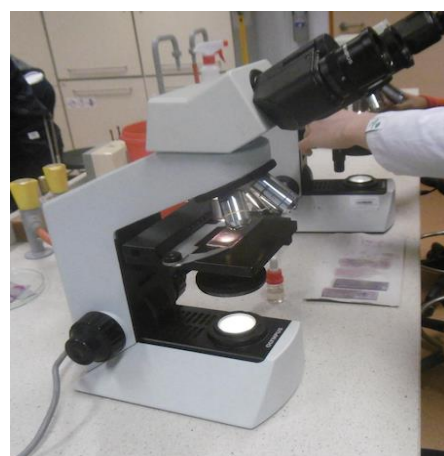
A girl of our age played a melody on the violin.

In the end, two older ones, a boy and a girl, did a rhythmic dance.

After the ballets we are the Polish lesson in which we learned some words of this language, for example:

Hello: **Dzień dobry** - Enjoy your meal: **Smacznego**

At 12 we had lunch in the school canteen, in the afternoon we went to university and we attended a presentation on substances that are bad for us and then in the school laboratory we observed bacteria on food under a microscope.



*Tuesday 4, October*

We visited the Nicolaus Copernicus Science Center at 10:50 am, a museum that included robotic mechanisms and innovations.

Examples of inventions we have seen: a technologically advanced (futuristic) metallic car with a television on the doors inside, veils that floated and intertwined thanks to the force of gravity.

After lunch we had a guided tour of the ancient city of Warsaw wandering among squares and churches.

And also that afternoon we witnessed the changing of the guard.



### Wednesday 5, October

We presented the materials prepared in our school.

Then they divided us into two groups and alternately we did, on the computer, a work on food and in another class a poster on bacteria and food. At 4.00 pm we left the school and headed to Lipka, an agricultural and apiary center. After seeing how bees work, we ventured into a laboratory with wax: a candle.

To make the candle we needed a mold, two rubber bands and a wick.

After having assembled and filled our work with wax, while it solidified, we witnessed the lighting of a bonfire to which we were invited.

The meal was accompanied by background music and a sunset behind, surrounded by nature.



### Thursday 6, October



In the morning, after the assembly at the aviator's hotel, we visited the ethnographic museum of Toruń.

It is an ancient village, where there are many buildings, for example a mill, houses and stables, obviously all built in wood.

After visiting the museum, we visited the gingerbread house, where after smelling the products, we made a personalized cinnamon biscuit.

Later, while we waited for the cake to be cooked, we took a look at a small shop where there were some handmade souvenirs.

At around 2:00 pm we went to have lunch in Oberza.

In the afternoon we visited the beautiful city of Toruń which has a magnificent old town with fortifications of red brick Gothic buildings; the city is located opposite the Vistula River.

After a tour of the town we discovered all its shops.



On the last day we visited a reproduction of Auschwitz, they took us to a huge shopping center where we bought the souvenirs of this adventure running from one shop to another.

In the evening we all had dinner together in a large room of the hotel, after which they gave us the diploma and we had fun with the typical songs of each country and group dances.

It was an evening full of smiles, hugs and fun like all the other days spent in Poland!

