



Experience report AIAT Traditional Driving competition at Książ Castle (Polen) July 2021, by Heike Drumm

If this wasn't a great event!

Something very special, in a very classy location!

At a time when most of the events are being cancelled, the organizers around the Renaissance castle Książ from the 12th century, went to great length, to provide all-around care, for the 15 historical teams with the carriages.

A wonderful weekend began with a successful national evening and culinary delicacies from the participating countries.

The presentation to the teams took place on Saturday, in beautiful weather at three exposed areas of the castle, with three international judges, showing their expertise.

The castle itself is a magnet for visitors so that countless spectators cheered, applauds and cheered the participants.

Saturday ended with a gala dinner in one of the beautiful state rooms and an excellent menu, with good conversation and conviviality.

The 10 km journey, through the castle forest on Sunday, with skill tasks to be mastered, and a short stop at the town hall of the nearby town of Walbrzych, was also attended by many spectators.

The final cone driving took place in the fully occupied large arena of the castle Książ.

Here too, the organizer provided generous honour prizes and high-quality individual souvenir gifts, which were awarded to all participants.

We felt more than welcome and would like to thank everyone involved and the organizers in this horse-loving country for being able to take part in such an event.

All in all a very successful event, with a "coming return guarantee"!

