Dear Folklore Friends in the CIOFF Norway!

The organizer of the **Folklore Festival in the town of Velka Bystrice, Czech Republic** would like invite the folklore group from Norway in the period **4 to 9 September, 2019**.

Could you help us and hand our offer over to your groups, please?

Conditions of festivals are mentioned below.

To: National Section CIOFF Norway

Dear Sir,

we would like to invite the group from Norway to the 29th Folklore Festival "Lidový rok" which takes place in Velká Bystřice from 6th to 8th of September 2019.

The Folklore Festival Lidový rok is an international cultural event, performing reproductive folklore groups and their musicians. The festival is under the patronage of the city Velká Bystřice, Folklore Association of the Haná Region and the folklore group Haná Velká Bystřice. It is not CIOFF festival.

Your participation (proposal):

2018-09-04: Arrival to the Czech Republic, transfer from an airport, accommodation in Olomouc

2018-09-05: the program will be clarified

2018-09-06: the program will be clarified, performance (evening)

2018-09-07: performance in Olomouc (morning) festival performance in Velká Bystřice (evening) about 20 mnts.

2018-09-08: morning Catholic Mass (participation is welcome) afternoon festival performance in Velká Bystřice about 20 mnts.

2018-09-09: departure

Conditions:

- The number of participants is limited to 30 persons.
- Performances will take from 10 to 60 minutes.
- We prefer performances with live music
- Costs of bus transfer, accommodation and feeding are covered by the organizer.
- Accommodation: student hostel

- Feeding: 3 times per day – breakfast (european) at the hotel, lunch & dinner in the school cafeteria in Velká Bystřice or in places of performance. (Note: 1 lunch may be replaced with a dining package).

- Guiding of the group will be organized. The participants will be able to communicate with their guides in English. The medical service (first aid) will be provided. The general health security is regulated by the International Conventions between Czech Republic and the States of the participants. All groups are requested to consider this particular condition! All participants are asked to regulate their health and accident insurance before leaving their country!

- Press and TV will be present at the festival.
- All groups resign their copy rights by attending the festival.
- Performances are not paid.

We look forward to Your group very much.

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Director of the Festival

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https://www.velkabystrice.cz/cs/turista/lidovy-rok/