

Tourism in the district of Wolsztyn

District Wolsztyn is located in the western part of a province called Greater Poland, in the borderland of Lake District Poznańskie i Lubuskie.

Wolsztyn is situated 70 km from Poznań, and 60 km from Zielona Góra. The western border is close, therefore the closeness considerably facilitates the contact with the whole Europe. The motorway A2 starts circa 30 km from Wolsztyn. Slightly closer, in Babimost, there is an airport from which you can get to all major cities in Poland. The most vital element of the communication network is the trunk road – number 32 - from Poznań to Zielona Góra, which connects the trunk road number 5 Poznań – Wrocław with the trunk road number 3 Szczecin - Zielona Góra.

The town Wolsztyn – both the district town and the main centre of the district, the registered office of urban – rural district, the town is the local development centre which characterizes industry and service development.

The former urban planning layout, the location on the isthmus of two lakes (Wolsztyńskie i Berzyńskie), attractive nature and landscape qualities determine the solid base of tourism and recreation on the district premises. Numerous district resorts, bathing beaches, forests plenty of mushrooms and reserves make this place marvelous for resting, sightseeing trips and sports camps.

The district Wolsztyn located at the western border of our province is a perfect picture of Greater Poland which welcomes both domestic and foreign tourists with a slogan “Wolsztyn at its full steam...”

The surroundings take pride in varied flora, engaging animal world and numerous natural monuments. The uniqueness of the area is a moor called “Chorzemińskie Swamp,” which is a nature reserve.

Both attractive nature and landscape qualities in combination with valuable architectural monuments have been the base of tourism and recreation development within the municipality for many years.

Those willing to admire the qualities of our landscape have at their disposal:

- tourist accommodation with over 1500 beds, including 300 places in hotels, moreover 300 places at camping sites,
- several dozen of catering establishments offering over 1000 seats.

Our tourist offer also includes:

- bathing beaches at lakes: Wolsztyńskie, Berzyńskie, Rudno and Krutla in Obra,
- hiking and bike paths, worth mentioning is “The Crane Route,”
- indoor swimming pool which consists of three separate pools, the biggest one is 25-metre-long, there is also sauna and fitness,
- Sports Facilities belonging to Sports and Recreation Centre: a football stadium with a running track, complex tartan surface of jumps and throwing area, a tennis court, a sauna, a gym and a hotel,
- “Fala Park” – sports and recreation center, one can find here: bowling, a climbing wall, a tennis court on the roof, squash, mini-golf, a gym, massage, fitness and a playground for children,
- Sailing Club Centre at Berzyńskie Lake in Niałek Wielki,

- The base for Longbow Fraternity in Krutla – next to Obra – with a modern shooting range and a set of stands for the activity.

Places worth visiting

„The Steam Engine Depot” in Wolsztyn – it has been opened for over 100 years where one can see an old steam locomotive which sets off on a tour. There are about 20 steam locomotives in various series. We pride in “The Beautiful Helena” – a polish steam locomotive Pm36-2 which was honoured with a gold medal at the International Fair in Paris. Every year in May Wolsztyn becomes the home of many thousands of Steam Engine Lovers who arrive in Wolsztyn to see the spectacular event which is called “The Parade of Steam Engines”

“Marcin Rożek Museum” – a famous sculptor who used to live and create in the thirties of XX century. The house where you can admire the works of the artist was built according to his invention. The house includes sculptural and painting workshops, also a garden which is decorated with the works of the artist. In 1968 the local authorities of Wolsztyn opened the museum of its name on the basis of private work collection which belonged to Marcin Rożek’s sister – Jadwiga. In the interior, which is typical of the thirties, one can find a permanent exposition which is devoted to Marcin Rożek’s life and work. Two rooms are allotted for temporary exhibitions.

“Robert Koch Museum” – is located on the ground floor of a building where Robert Koch used to live. Not only are the mementos of the great scientist exhibited here, which are the remains of his life in Wolsztyn, but also those ones from other countries where he conducted his research. Stylish furniture and display cases together with the photos and the copies of his documents clearly depict the spirit of that period of time under what conditions Robert Koch used to work.

Open-air Ethnographic Museum of Folk Construction of Western Greater Poland – located at the west shore of Wolsztyńskie Lake. That area encompasses 3,5 ha where buildings and exhibit items derive from the borderline of two areas, that is Greater Poland and Lubuskie Region. There are a dozen of rural architecture buildings, among others; a tavern, a homestead, a well, also a wonderful working windmill called “Koźlak” from Wroniawy whose the oldest element come from 1603. The collection of the museum also includes equipment, tools and other objects which were used by inhabitants to lead everyday life in a homestead. The open air museum is a place of numerous folk events.

The church dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary immaculately conceived - the late baroque, it was built in the years 1767-1779, partially rebuilt in 1925. The interior of the church is a place where one can admire sail vault covered with rococo polychrome where the biblical themes are depicted, also both baroque and rococo altars are worth seeing which date back to the period of building the church. The late baroque belfry is situated on the south-east side of the church which dates from the second half of XVIII century. Within the alcove a sandstone sculpture dating from 1934 which depicts “The Crucifixion” is placed, it is the work of Edward Przymuszała’s chisel, who was Marcin Rożek’s pupil.

The park covers the area of 17 ha, located at Wolsztyńskie Lake. Many monumental trees grow here, that is a Japanese maidenhair tree, a Canadian poplar, oaks and beech trees. Visitors' attention attracts a neoclassical palace, which was built by the Mycielski family. The palace was burnt in 1945, then rebuilt in 1960-1962 intended for a tourist house.

Cistercian Church and Monastery – there is a monastery complex dating from the XVIII century just a few kilometers from Wolsztyn. In 1926 the monastery was given into the hands of Oblate Missionaries of the Blessed Virgin Mary who intended it for Seminary College. The monastery has been serving as a Seminary up to this day. Visitors can see a baroque church dating from 1722, a crypt where Cistercian monks were buried, Seminary College, Missionary Museum which shows interesting exhibit items from missionary countries, the Treasury, and nearby visitors find a small wooden church of St. Valentine from 1719.

Tourist accommodation in Wolsztyn district

Accommodation	Contact	The number of accommodation places	Catering	Parking
Hotels and motels				
Hotel „KAUKASKA” (A. Choroszy, B. Cichy) ***	ul. Poniatowskiego 19 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. +48 68 347 12 83/84 Tel. +48 68 347 28 52 www.kaukaska.pl hotel@kaukaska.pl	50 places	Full board	40 parking places
Hotel „ORION”	ul. Spokojna 23 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel./fax +48 68 347 26 27 Michał Laskowski: Mobile: 508 397 031 motelorion@interia.pl www.motel-orion.pl	40 places	Full board	30 parking places
„HOTEL SPORTOWY” *	Stadion OSiR ul. Bohaterów Bielnika 30 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel./fax +48 68 384 33 20 www.osir.wolsztyn.pl osir@wolsztyn.pl	46 places	Meals if requested: breakfast, supper + dinner (if there is a bigger group)	10 parking places
Hotel „LEŚNA”	ul. Jeziorna 9 Karpicko 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel./fax +48 68 384 24 25 www.hotel-lesna.wolsztyn.biz hotel-lesna@hot.pl	63 places	Full board if requested	Big enough for guests
Motel „MONTANA”	ul. Wczasowa 73 Karpicko 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. +48 68 347 15 02 Fax +48 68 384 38 51 www.motelmontana.pl motel@motelmontana.pl	70 places	Full board	80 parking places, a guarded one
Holiday resorts				
Resort „JELONEK” (Krzysztof Haremza)	ul. Wczasowa 77 Karpicko 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. +48 68 384 33 49 Mobile: +48 603 364 367 Tel/fax do Śremu: +48 61 283 06 42 www.jelonek.eu w80dni@pro.onet.pl	49 holiday cottages (189 places; heating option available) Season: 25.IV – 30.X	Full board	Big enough for guests

Resort "LOTOS"	ul. Wczasowa 73 Karpicko 64-200 Wolsztyn tel.+48 68 347 15 02 www.motelmontana.pl motel@motelmontana.pl	24 holiday cottages, triple or four-person (100 places, heating option available) Season: IV. - X.	Full board	Big enough for guests
Resort „U Karola”	Karpicko k/Wolsztyna Tel. +48 68 346 81 19 Mobile: +48 504 003 048 www.ukarola.wolsztyn.biz ukarola@wolsztyn.biz	120 places (30 cottages with heating option) Season: IV. - X.	Full board (at bigger groups)	Big enough for guests
Recreation and training resort „Karpicko”	Ul. Wczasowa 78 Karpicko Tel. +48 68 347 15 02 www.karpicko.com.pl motel@motelmontana.pl	42 places – 3 buildings – 19 rooms Available all year round	-	Big enough for guests
Recreation resort "Wielkopolska Ltd”	Rudno 12 64-224 Świętno tel.+48 68 384 13 25 605 253 140 www.rudno.webpark.pl osrodek Wielkopolska@gmail.com	168 places in double, triple and four-person rooms – available all year round	Full board	Big enough for guests
Holiday cottages „Amigo” Wilcze	Wilcze 6 64-224 Świętno Mobile: +48 609 480 902 www.amigo-wczasasy.pl (from 1st May to 1st October)	50 places, 12 cottages with heating option	-	Fenced and lighted parking
Others				
Mini boarding house „U Niny”	Ul. Parkowa 1 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel./fax +48 68 384 23 68 Mobile: 691 350 918 http://turystyka-uniny.pl	8 places	-	-
Boarding house „SIODŁO”	ul. Powstańców Wlkp. 9B Wilcze 64-224 Świętno Tel./fax +48 68 347 75 15 Tel. dom. +48 68 384 13 80 Mobile: +48 606 43 83 42 www.siodlo.com.pl <i>e-mail: info@siodlo.com.pl</i>	70 – 90 places	Full board	Guarded parking 30-40 places

Boarding house „Zielona Prowansja”	Ul. Wodna 1 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel +48 347 15 54 tel. +48 508 015 624 tel. +48 508 015 614 – The manager - Piotr Cichy Tel. 509 398 074 manager@zielonaprowansja.pl www.zielonaprowansja.pl	34 places	Full board	Garage – 3 cars
The Rest House in the Parish – Obra	ul. Powstańców Wlkp. 2 64-211 Obra Tel. +48 68 384 12 97 obra@archpoznan.org.pl obraparafia.pl	80 places	Full board	Big enough for guests
Rooms at Gimnasium number 1 in Wolsztynie	Gimnazjum nr 1 w Wolsztynie ul. Wschowska 15 64-200 Wolsztyn 660 765 462 sekretariat-gimn-nr1@o2.pl www.pokojegim1.yoyo.pl	33 places, Triple, four- and- six- person rooms	Meals available (at bigger groups)	Possibility of parking a car
At „Morskim Okiem”	Nowy Młyn Chorzemin 93a 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. +48 68 346 80 46 Mobile: +48 510 867 756 acblue@hotmail.com.pl info@nowymlyn.com.pl	(16 places) 8 double rooms	Breakfast if requested	Big enough for guests
Horowska Gabriela	Ul. Jeziorna 14 Karpicko 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. +48 501 522 614	Max. 6 people (a double suite or optionally triple or four-person room plus a double room)	Available if requested	Big enough for guests
CAMPsites				
„CAMPING POD SOSNAMI” (Edward Kasa)	Wilcze 7g 64-224 Świętno Tel. +48 68 384 13 03	11 caravans	Available during season (VII. – VIII.)	20 places, unguarded
A tent site at recreation resort „Wielkopolska” (for organized groups)	Rudno 12 64-224 Świętno Tel. +48 68 384 13 25 605 253 140 orwielkopolska@wp.pl	80 people	-	-
Camping number 50 "Ustronie" in Karpicko	ul. Jeziorna 1 Karpicko 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 668 603 935 www.camping.wolsztyn.pl camping@wolsztyn.pl	200 people	Nearby a restaurant in “Leśna” Hotel”	Big enough for guests
NOCLEGI POZA GMINĄ WOLSZTYN				

Hotel Tanzanit *** 25 km from Wolsztyna	67-415 Kolsko Jesionka 57 Tel. +48 68 352 40 00 +48 661 70 70 70 hotel@tanzanit.pl www.hoteltanzanit.pl	About 60 places	Full board	Big enough for guests
„Wrzosowisko” (at Kuźnickie Lake – about 15km from Wolsztyn) From IV-X	Boruja 107 64-212 Siedlec Mobile: +48 795 540 916 www.pensjonaty-boruja.pl	11 places (4 rooms) without heating	Fast food stall at the place	Guarded

Catering places in Wolsztyn district

Restauracje

Restaurant house „EUROPA” (D. T. Karwatka)	ul. R. Kocha 44, 64-200 Wolsztyn tel. 068 384 25 47 Tel/fax 068 347 2510 kocha44@vp.pl http://www.dom-restauracyjny-europa.eu	Monday - Sunday: 10.00-24.00	50 places
„KAUKASKA”	ul. Poniatowskiego 19 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 068 347 12 84 www.kaukaska.pl hotel@kaukaska.pl	Monday - Sunday 10.00-23.00	180 places
Green Provence	Ul. Wodna 1 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 068 347 15 44 tel. 508 015 624 www.zielonaprowansja.pl	Monday - Thursday: 12.00–22.00 Friday - Saturday: 12.00-23.00 Sunday: 12.00–22.00	100 places (in summer 120)
„ESTAKADA”	ul. Żeromskiego 16 64-200 Wolsztyn tel./fax 068 347 00 55	Monday - Sunday: 12.00– 23.00	75 places
„LEŚNA”	ul. Jeziorna 9, Karpicko 64-200 Wolsztyn tel. 068 384 24 25 hotel-lesna@hotmail.pl www.lesna.wolsztyn.bis.pl	Monday - Sunday: 8.00-20.00 (flexible hours)	120-170 Max. 220
„ORION”	ul. Spokojna 23 64-200 Wolsztyn tel./fax 068 347 26 27 motelorion@interia.pl www.motel-orion.pl	Monday - Sunday: 08.00- 23.00	Max. 120
„MONTANA”	ul. Wczasowa 73 Karpicko 64-200 Wolsztyn tel. 068 347 15 02 motel@motelmontana.pl www.motelmontana.pl	Monday - Sunday: 07.00-23.00	150 places

Restaurant LOCOMOTIVA	Ul. 5 Stycznia 33 64-200 Wolsztyn (entrance at the lake) Tel. 512 737 670 kontakt@restauracjalocomotiva.pl http://restauracjalocomotiva.pl	Sunday - Thursday od 12.00-23.00 Friday - Saturday 12.00-24.00	
Cengiz Baba Turkish restaurant	Ul. 5 Stycznia 64 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 68 347 39 66	Monday - Thursday 11:00 - 21:00 Friday - Saturday: 11:00 - 22:00 Sunday: 12:00 - 21:00	

Bars, pubs, clubs:

„POWOZOWNIA”	ul. Rynek 2a 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 068 347 26 87 www.powozownia.com.pl kontakt@powozownia.com.pl	Monday – Thursday: 12.00–24.00 Friday - Saturday: 12.00-2.00 Sunday: 12.00–24.00	45 places
Pizzeria „PICO BELLO” (Jarosław Gessner)	ul. Poznańska 33 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 068 347 25 30	Monday - Thursday: 11.00 – 23.00 Friday – Sunday: 11.00 – 24.00	170 places (a room + a garden)
Pizzeria „PICO BELLO on the way” Jarosław Gessner	Berzyna 83 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 068 347 25 30	Monday - Thursday: 09.00 – 23.00 Friday - Sunday: 09.00 – 24.00	100 places + in summer – a garden
„Oranz Pizza”	ul. Garbarska 10a 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 068 347 17 08 http://oranz.republika.pl/oranz@op.pl	Tuesday - Sunday: 17.00-24.00	40 places
„SHOGUN”	ul. Kusocińskiego 13 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 068 347 21 37	Monday - Saunday: 11.30 – 23.00	70 places
Pizzeria „Mafia”	Ul. 5 Stycznia 37 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 068 347 22 55 Mobile: 661 117 607	Monday - Saturday: 11.00 – 23.00 Sunday: 12.00 – 22.00	About 50 places + a garden in summer
Bar-Coffee house „HOTEL PAŁAC WOLSZTYN”	ul. Drzymały 4 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 068 346 93 58 Tel. 068 346 93 59	Monday - Saturday: 8.00- 23.00	35 places
„MINI BAR” (Janusz Czarnecki)	ul. 5 Stycznia 35 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 068 384 29 05	Monday - Friday: 10.00-17.00	10 places
„MINI BAR” Fish and chip shop (Choroszy)	ul. Drzymały 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 068 384 54 12	Monday - Friday: 9.00 – 17.00 Saturday: 9.00 – 14.00	24 places + 18 seats outside

Kawiarnie/cafe:

Cafe „Cafe de Paris”	ul. Rynek 2 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 503 142 169	Monday - Saturday: 09.00-19.00 In summer opened until the last client leaves	33 inside + 28 seats in summer
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„Patio” Cafe Lunch Confectioner’s shop (J.G. Gwóźdź)	ul. 5 Stycznia 50 64-200 Wolsztyn Kom. 068 347 24 24	Monday – Sunday: 09.00 – 18.00	25 places
Cafe Seccesion	ul. Lipowa 25 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 068 347 22 19 www.cafeseccesion.pl	Monday – Sunday: 09.00 – 18.00	40 places
Confectioner’s shop(J.G. Gwóźdź)	ul. Słowackiego 18 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 068 347 08 15 www.cukierniakarpicko.pl	Monday - Saturday: 9.00-18.00 Sunday: 09.00 – 15.00	11 places
PIZZERIA VIVALDI (Grażyna i Waldemar Warych)	ul. Rynek 11/2 64-200 Wolsztyn Tel. 068 347 25 61 Kom. 603 884 347	Monday - Sunday: 10.00-22.00 In summer season: 9.00-22.00	15 +65 seats in summer