



KJ's official newsletter

DANAS

Dear Members of Kraljica Jelena,

I would like to wish you and your families and loved ones a wonderful start to 2012 and may good health follow each and every one of us in this new year.

As you will read through this Danas, you will find that there are many exciting things planned for Kraljica Jelena in the second part of the season. These events are bound to bring our community together as they always have in the past and also build relationships that are mutually beneficial of all Kraljica Jelena members. Let us continue to work together to preserve our Croatian heritage, let us control our destiny, let us all choose to the route of joint efforts towards the further development and great achievements of this wonderful organization.

There is no time like the present to offer your help and time to promote the ongoing legacy of our folklore ensemble. Great things can only be accomplished if we continuously work together, if we all do just a little bit, so we all can benefit from our working hands and hearts.

SRETNA NOVA GODINA SVIMA!

Sincerely,
Sandra Cipric

A Warm Thank you...

It was through your efforts and dedication that the group was able to fundraise over **\$1000** through the Christmas Bake sales! It was greatly appreciated and a pleasure to see the community come together. With these kinds of efforts our group is guaranteed to flourish for the generations to come.

ALSO...

On Sunday, December 11 our junior group did a fantastic job singing their two songs for the church's Sv. Nikola children's lunch. They sang Kico's "Zvoncici" and Fantomi's "Sretan Bozic svakome". Their presents from Sveti Nikola were well deserved! Many thanks to the parents who helped their sons and daughters learn the words on such short notice!

U nedjelju, 11. prosinca naši juniori su fantastično odpjevali dvije pjesme za djecju priredbu Nikolinja u crkvi. Pjevali su Kicinu pjesmu "Zvoncici" i pjesmu "Sretan Božić svakome" grupe Fantomi. Stvarno su zaslužili darove što su dobili od svetoga Nikole! Velika hvala svim roditeljima koji su pomogli djeci da nauče riječi u ovako kratkom roku!

Washington

It was on so and so date that the young adults and a few parents went to Washington for a performance. The trip in all was a huge success. We had very positive feedback from many people on the performance that we did. Thank you to all who were able to attend and we look forward to the next trip.



Important Information....

****Mark your calendar for the following upcoming events****

Maškaradna Zabava

Saturday February 25, 2012

The Maškaradna will be held at the Church Hall and will be a ton of fun! There will be lots of great prizes for the best costumes...so come dressed up! Also, we are accepting donations from members for some of the prizes that will be given out.

Volunteers are also needed for this event. Please contact anyone in the odbor if you are available to help out for this event.

Pola Godisna Sjednica

Pola Godisna sjednica will be held Sunday February 12, 2012.

Kraljica Jelena Annual Concert

Sunday May 13, 2012

The Concert will be here before we know it. Please ensure that you or your child/children make every practice and every workshop with Zeljko.



PLEASE NOTE:

GENERALNA PROBA for the concert will be on **Saturday May 12, 2012** at the Hrvatski Dom.

Times are to be determined.

Other Information...

Zehrs Tapes

Kraljica Jelena collects Zehrs receipts and would greatly appreciate it if any members who shop or have shopped at Zehrs hand in their receipts.

Fundraising

Kraljica Jelena still has a few more events before the end of the year and your generous donation of time is greatly appreciated. Let's all do our part to make this year a year to remember!

Upcoming Trips

Ottawa (all groups have the chance to go to this performance)

- Need confirmation of participation no later than Jan 15.
- Non-refundable deposit of \$50 per person (also due no later than Jan 16).

Detroit Junior CFU (Juniors, Intermediates)

- Need confirmation of participation no later than Jan 23.
- Non-refundable deposit of \$10 per family (also due no later than Jan 23).

2010-2011 Concert DVD

The Queen Helena 2010-2011 Concert DVD is available for purchase for \$15.

To order your copy, please email us at kjfolkore@hotmail.com.



NEW PRACTICE TIMES

As of January 8th, 2012 practice times are changing. Please see the below revised schedule for practice times

Mondays

Junior Dance & Tambura: 6:00-8:30pm

Intermediate Dance & Tambura: 6:00-8:30pm

Sundays

Combo (Tambura): 5:30-6:30pm

Young Adults Dance: 5:00-6:00pm

Seniors & Young Adults Dance: 6:00-6:30pm

Singing (Seniors, YAs, Parents): 6:30-7:00pm

Parents Dance: 7:00-8:00pm

Adult Tambura: 7:00-8:00pm

BINGO

Everyone is expected to remember their designated Bingo date. In the event that you are unable to make your scheduled night, a week's notice is expected to be given to the fundraising lead (Sandra Koller) **or** you are expected to find yourself a reliable replacement for that night.

Bingo is held Tuesday nights from 7:45-11:45pm. Please mark these dates in your calendars!

Please review the schedule and post it up at home!



Date	Lead #1	Lead #2	Runner #1	Runner #2
September 6, 2011	B. Belanic	M. Petronic	L.Ivanovic	
September 20, 2011	M. Petronic	S. Koller	B. Belanic	
October 4, 2011	S. Koller	A. Milardovic	I.Lerotic	
October 18, 2011	N. Tiffin	B. Belanic	S.Hojan	
November 1, 2011	M. Karlovich	S. Veres	L.Maletic	
November 15, 2011	M. Petronic	B.Belanic	S.Hojan	M.Strgar
November 29, 2011	N. Tiffin	I. Lerotic	L.Maletic	S.Juranovic (Petronic)
December 13, 2011	M. Karlovich	S.Cipric	V.Volovic	
December 27, 2011	S. Koller	A.Milardovic	S.Veres	
January 10, 2012	N. Tiffin	N.Briski	D.Stajduhar	C.Matas
January 24, 2012	M. Karlovich	B.Belanic	V.Volovic	M.Kovacevic
February 7, 2012	S.Koller	A. Spisic	V.Veres	L.Ivanovic
February 21, 2012	M. Petronic	S.Cipric	A.Kovacevic	
March 6, 2012	N. Tiffin	N.Briski	D.Stajduhar	C.Matas
March 20, 2012	S.Koller	A.Spisic	V.Veres	M.Kovacevic
April 3, 2012	S.Koller		M.Egredija	
April 17, 2012	M. Karlovich		K.Radisic	
May 1, 2012	M. Petronic	V. Cipric Resendes	A.Cipric	
May 15, 2012	S.Koller	V. Cipric Resendes	A.Cipric	
May 29, 2012	M. Karlovich	S.Juranovic (Petronic)	K.Radisic	
June 12, 2012	B.Belanic	H. Hunski	G.Skorvaga	
June 26, 2012	M.Petronic	M.Strgar	A.Kovacevic	
July 10, 2012	B.Belanic	H.Hunski	G.Skorvaga	
July 24, 2012	B.Belanic	C.Skorvaga		
August 7, 2012	M.Petronic	C.Skorvaga		
August 21, 2012	B.Belanic			
September 4, 2012	N. Tiffin		M.Egredija	
September 18, 2012	S.Koller			