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In Rabka-Zdroj you can spend time actively (in the summer - hiking and biking trails, horseback riding, winter - skiing, ice skating, sledding), you can also learn about the history of the region and its tradition (the trail of wooden architecture, workshops: pottery, ceramics, violin-making, sculpture, painting on glass). The specificity of Rabka-Zdrój, referred to the City of Children of the World, also imposes profile of attractions: Puppet Theatre "Rabcio", Rabkoland, numerous events aimed at children and youth, but also adults, allow for an attractive development of free time.

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In the wooden church of St. Mary Magdalene religious practice discontinued in 1908, when there was built a new parish church in Rabka. The Museum was officially opened in 1936. The collection includes mainly cultural elements of Zagórzanie - ethnographic group living in Rabka and surroundings. Most of the exhibits come from the late nineteenth and early twentieth century. Collections are divided thematically into sections devoted to the economy, crafts, cloths and the arts. The Museum is the organizer of many interesting cultural events, presenting highland culture.

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The Museum leads The Academy of Painting on the Glass, in which there are the museum lessons on the material and spiritual culture of Zagórzanie. The offer of educational classes are inter alia:

- Painting on glass
- Ritual art
- Former fashion of country house
- Shepherds' habits
- Former customs of Christmas and Easter

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Emergency Room of Art, the only professional and independent art gallery in Rabka-Zdrój, established and funded by the artist Piotr Bies. The gallery presents contemporary art. More information: facebook Pogotowie Sztuki.

Emergency Room of Art is a meeting place with culture. Here, not only can see sculpture, painting and graphics, but also, eg. occasionally during premiere exhibitions listen to cameral concert, meet with artists and watch cameral theater performance. Two small rooms and open space in front of the gallery provide the necessary possibilities to present their works to each interesting artist. In addition, gallery Emergency Room of Art, located in the center of our resort, exhibits works of artists of all specialties both recognized professionals and young debutants.

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Exposure concerns highlanders living in the surrounding mountains and the Carpathian robbers. Young people can learn here as in the past were dealt with daily activities, can learn about the world of outlaws - there are waiting here for them treasures to discover. For older ones certainly more interesting is the historic highland cottage and ethnographic exhibition.

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Cottage of Artistic Adventures is a place full of fun and creativity. During the open workshops anyone can do by yourself gifts or souvenirs and among them: regional scraped and paint birds, robber's

hatchet, highland' style corals and many other souvenirs from wood. You can also create robber's hat of felt or corals felted by natural wool, ornaments, humanoids and animals and learn how to weave on a mini loom.

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In the former stable, adapted to the exhibition space, there is a Gallery of Vanishing Trades "Drzewiej". This is the place where you can see all of this, which is already fading by the memory. Here are exposed objects, made using traditional methods. Their specificity shows execution of manual labor and trades, which are now beginning to move away from memory. In addition, in the Gallery there is an exhibition of folk art - you can see sculptures, paintings, ceramics, rugs.

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Ewa Łaczek-Daleki is a versatile artist; her art surprises, moves and stimulates to reflection. Among the oil paintings, watercolors and pastels is showing mountains and landscapes of Gorce and the Tatras, also flowers, portraits and architecture and still life. In addition, you can watch ceramic sculptures and made in polychrome wood.

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Anyone interested in the traditional art of ceramic, as well as those who have not yet had the opportunity to know it, here can watch the show rolling on the potter's wheel of old vessels of clay-ceramic household items such as pots, pans, plates, bowls, double pots.

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Edward Gacek, who is the owner and artist-potter, also is the custodian of this workshop. He organizes demonstrations of traditional rolling on the potter's wheel, enables you to visit and get to know reconstructed pottery studio of the nineteenth century.

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Right next to Rabka-Zdrój, in Chabówka, is a unique place - the Violin-making Atelier. It is owned by twin brothers - Peter and Paul Kowalcze. In their studio they create various types of stringed instruments. From their hands come out such instruments as the lute, viola to gamba, theorbo, violin, viola, and many others.

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It is a unique place, not only because of the works of the artist - saints, angels, nativity scenes, shrines and other wooden sculptures in mountain style - but also because of the Mr Zygmunt. Because he is also a storyteller, who in an accessible and attractive for everyone (regardless of age) can narrate either way on creating sculptures, as well as respect and reverence for the traditions of Podhale. His shows are enriched with interesting stories, which are, among others, regional legends and tales; by the way he is doing his performances with music flowing from harmonica and accordion.

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In Chabówka There is Atelier and Gallery of painting on the glass, is a very atmospheric location. As part of the gallery you can see the images on glass, stained glass, oil painting and acrylic and various kinds of crafts. Laboratory conducts an artist Alicja Sokołowska-Łukaszka. The main attraction of the laboratory is the opportunity to participate in workshops for children and adults.

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In the villa "Pod Lilianną", which is one of the oldest in Rabka-Zdrój, there is a gallery of folk artists. Here you can see all kinds of handicrafts. They are here among other things, wooden sculptures, ceramics and pottery, glass paintings, embroidery, objects made of paper. An additional advantage of this place is that you can watch the artists during their work - arises here many of their works.

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Amphitheater in Rabka-Zdrój, also called a band shell located on the street Chopin and adjacent to the boardwalk leading to the fountain with elephants. This object is used by residents and visitors for over 40 years. In the years 2011 - 2012 were underwent a comprehensive modernization by which gained a roof over part of the audience, and has been adapted to the needs of people with disabilities. On the audience can sit 800 people. The concert shell is the center of cultural and educational events in our town. Municipality Rabka-Zdroj each year develops a comprehensive calendar of events, which together with the Municipal Cultural Center in Rabka-Zdroj, performs at the amphitheater. In the plan of events all the family can found something interesting - concerts, performances and competitions.

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The unique place in Rabka-Zdroj is the Spa Park. Its origins date back to the second half of the nineteenth century. The park is located in the spa center and covers an area of 30 hectares.

In 2010-2011 there were conducted its comprehensive revitalization. As a result, the park was compositionally divided into two parts of different nature. The western part of the so-called Sun Zone, has resting and representative functions. In this section there are also the biggest attractions of the park: graduation tower, playgrounds, tennis courts and a café.

The second (eastern) part of the park is called Shadow Zone - it has walking and reflective ambience, reminiscent of the atmosphere of an English park.

In addition to beautiful nature park offers visitors the opportunity to use sports equipment, fitness trail and outdoor gym, beach volleyball, tennis courts and playgrounds for children. In August 2014, the offer of the Spa Park was expanded to include the most modern on a scale of Malopolska trialpark and skatepark along with the track to learning to ride on wheelchairs.

In the middle of the park there is a wooden gazebo "Pod Grzybkiem" ("Under the Mushroom") - the perfect place to organize artistic events.

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Cinema Śnieżka. This is the latest completed investment in Rabka-Zdrój. Together with the Slovakian city of Stara Lubovna we applied for funding from the CBC Programme Republic of Poland - Slovak Republic, which was assuming the modernization of leisure centers in both towns, within the framework of the project "KOSTKA". As a result, we can now boast a beautiful object belonging to the Malopolska Digital Cinema Network . It is interesting that at the same time, when the film has premiere in Warsaw, Cracow, New York, can also be displayed in Rabka-Zdrój.

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Puppet Theatre "Rabcio", over the years, gained an audience not only in Rabka-Zdrój, but also beyond. It is known throughout the country, but also abroad. It owes its fame to the ingenious,

special repertoire, its many travels, and participations in numerous domestic and foreign festivals. It not without significance is the fact that the shows are aimed not only for children but also for adults.

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Family Amusement Park "Rabkoland" is offering plenty of entertainment, typical of amusement parks. Among others, it can be found here Ferris wheel from which you can see the panorama of Rabka, carousels for children and adults, covered go-kart racing track and many others. The most interesting places located in its territory, which you must visit are:

- the world's only Museum of The Order of Smile
- House of Records and Curiosities

The specialty of Rabkoland are events, which definitely can not be called ordinary:

- Championships of the balloon blowing using chewing gum
- · Championships in milking an artificial cow
- Championships of riding on toilet bowls (there is an opportunity to gain the license for a toilet bowl)

Ladies and Gentlemen, thank you for your attention and invite you to Rabka-Zdrój.