

# „Golden Sands Camp“

Camp for Bulgarian traditional folklore

08.July. – 18.July. 2019

Vinitsa, Varna, Bulgaria

Idyllic, music-filled days and nights by the Black Sea.

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08.July, Monday Arrival

18.00 - 19.30 Dinner

20.00 - 22.00 Welcome party

09.July, Tuesday - 20.July, Saturday

07.00 - 07.45 Breakfast

08.00 - 12.00 Individual Lessons, schedule TBD

(4 or 5 working rooms for gaida-kaval, tambura, violin-gadulka, singing, tapan)

12.00 - 13.00 Lunch

13.00 - 15.00 Free time (rest or beach or practice)

15.00 - 16.00 Individual Lessons

16.00 - 17.00 Group Lessons, Choir

17.00 - 18.00 Group Lessons, Orchestra

18.00 - 19.00 Dinner

20.00 - 22.00 Party at the BAR!

18.July, Thursday 07.00 - 11.00 Brunch, Goodbyes and Departures

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## Interesting landmarks nearby “Golden Sands CAMP”

Info Varna: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dPP6j5Day9g>

Aquahouse Thermal & Beach 3km. :

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9nc\\_BB0iQqg](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9nc_BB0iQqg)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8tPi0iYZ2JM>

ALADZHA ROCK MONASTERY 5km:

<http://www.archaeo.museumvarna.com/en/other/2>

Varna Museum of Archaeology 5km:

<http://www.archaeo.museumvarna.com/en/category>

Varna Stone forest 10km : <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SURX5E0p6pY>

Golf - Black see rama 30km: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0JcCXtWlcaw>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oSXIRaQAB-w>

Golden Sands Aria 10km : <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-3DjOsTP9CY>

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## Dragni Dragnev

Since 2001 Dragni has been a teacher of Jura and Kaba bagpipe in the National Secondary School of Humanitarian Sciences and Arts, "Konstantin Preslavski", Varna, Bulgaria. He graduated from the secondary school of music "Orpheus", in the Bulgarian village of Shiroka Laka, in 1994. Afterwards, he continued his education at the academy for Musical and Dance Arts, performing as a soloist in the representational orchestra of the Academy (1994 – 1998).

Dragni Dragnev continues to participate in numerous musical projects, seminars, recordings and tours throughout Europe.

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## Petya Dragneva

Since 2001 Petya has been a teacher of folk singing and conductor of the children's folk choir in the National Secondary School for Humanitarian Sciences and Arts "Konstantin Preslavski", city of Varna. She graduated from the Secondary Musical School in the town of Pleven, Bulgaria with a major in folk singing and tambura. Afterwards, she continued her education in the Academy for Musical and Dance Arts – city of Plovdiv, with the major: "Teacher and performer – folk singing, tambura, and conducting a folk choir and orchestra".

From 1997 to 2000, she was a member of the renown Bulgarian choral group, "Bulgarian Voices Angelite", with which she performed in numerous concerts domestically and throughout Europe.

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Atanas Manov was born in 1971 in the town of Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria. He graduated from the "Philip Kutev" Secondary Music School in Kotel. Afterwards, he continued his education of Music Pedagogy at the University of Varna, Bulgaria. Currently, he is a tambura instrumentalist in the Pirin State Ensemble. He is also a concert musician and plays weddings throughout the region of Pirin. He continues to make numerous recordings, concerts, and tours throughout Bulgaria and Europe.

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Ivan Stoyanov was born on the 31st of May 1984 in the town of Sliven, Bulgaria. He graduated from the secondary school of Music 'Philip Kutev' in 2003 where he studied for five years specializing in Gadulka and Folk singing. Afterward, he studied in the Academy of Music, Dance and Fine Arts in Plovdiv for another five years. He devoted over four years to wedding music with the 'Plovdiv' orchestra, with which he released an album. Currently, he plays in the "Ensemble Trakia" and participates in various musical projects as a violinist. Since 2009 he has worked as orchestra conductor and deputy director of the "Ensemble for Folk Songs and Dances Sliven". His work includes projects with Vanya Valkova, the Dinevi sisters, Todor Kozhuharov and Donka Kozhuharova, Nelina, Zhechka Slaninkova, Slavka Kalcheva, Pepi Hristozova, and many other Folklore ensembles and artists.

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