



Masked traditional festival is held on Meteni.

With Meteni the spring begins - the new working year, when mask walks end.

In the nature you can feel the approaching of spring - nature awakes and in the mask parade the topic of fertility actualizes.

With a well prepared Metenu feast, Salacgriva elderly (traditional masks) are ready to welcome guests from far and near, ensuring a good harvest, fertility and blessings for the next year.



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International MASK TRADITION FESTIVAL

in Salacgriva, 9 – 10 February, 2013

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February 9, Saturday

11:00 - 11:30 Showing of the Mask groups
in the City squares

11:30 - 13:00 The Masked groups visiting
the Private Houses in rural area

13:00 - 13:00 The Mask parade in the City

13:30 - 14:30 Opening of the Festival
and presentation of each group

17:00 - 18:00 Workshop of Mask making

In the workshop you will be able to make yourself
a mask and participate in the individual mask show.

18:00 - 20:00 The Mask groups gathering
in the Culture House of Salacgriva

21:00 - 22:00 Parade of the individual Masks

22:00 Event with awarding
the interesting Masks and dances

Where all interested people can learn Latvian and our guest
Bulgarian, Greek, Polish and Hungarian dance steps

February 10, Saturday

11:00 - 13:00 Seminar about masking traditions

13:00 - 14:00 A closing Ritual with bonfire



See you in Salacgriva! Read more about the Festival: www.salacgriva.lv



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