



Newsletter 1-2010 for music groups

An exciting musical season is starting in these days and we are proud to welcome a rapidly growing number of music groups, looking for a high-quality and lasting musically motivation by the international exchanges of music&friends. Today we offer you some comments from choirs from the last month:

The Cantate Barcelona is coined by broadly diversified, international choir music. Particularly the presentation of the choirs in the final concert shows the variety of the choir music and its cultures. It leaves an impressive impression and arise the interest to attach new international contacts. (Chorgemeinschaft pro musica Soest, Germany about the Cantate Barcelona 2009)

The tour to Prague was in several aspects an experience for our choir: Musically seen it has been the friendship concert and the mass service in the church "Maria in the Snow". Unforgettable for us is the cordial meeting by the priest after the service. Our outstanding guides Erika and Katharina gave us many impressions of the city. And Prague is an experience - not least because of that Advent feeling with the Christmas markets. (Philharmonic Choir Schwäbisch Gmünd, Germany, about the Prague Advent Choral Festival 2009)

You prefer visual impressions? Here they are - a video from an US College choir at YouTube. They participated at the Prague Advent Choral Festival 2009 too. [\(Video\)](#)

Here is the forecast to autumn 2010!

Musicfest Adriatica – San Marino and Riccione (Italy) (September 16-19, 2010):

Enjoy the sun and beach during the day and perform open-air in the evening at typical „Piazza“ (squares), where everybody is sitting or walking around and the nightlife starts. The area of Riccione is visited by crowds of tourists during all summer time and this is the right place to enjoy the Italian way of life! [More information](#)

Musicfest Luxembourg (September 9-12, 2010 + December 9-12, 2010):

The European city of Luxemburg in autumn: Concerts at the Place d'Armes, the main square of Luxembourg City with many restaurants and the display window of the city and a parade in Grevenmacher at the Wine and Grapes Festivity. Or in December in a large tent at the Christmas Market. [More information](#)

Workshops Jaromír Vejvoda in Prague

Do you want to discover the secrets of a perfect polka? music&friends arrange for brass bands an individual workshop in Prague with Josef Vejvoda. Learn the original interpretation of a composition of his father, Jaromir Vejvoda, f.e. Roll Out The Barrel, Optimist Polka or one of the 79 other compositions. The workshops end with a concert in the spa Pobebrady near Prague. Dates on request. [More information](#)

Individual concert tours

Beside the international highlights we organize individual concert tours in Europe. Today we recommend:

Prague and Pobebrady: The Bohemian Capital and the spa Pobebrady, seat if the first Bohemian King George. Concerts all over the year, many guided tours and the famous Czech beer – enjoy a stay with concerts with attractive conditions. [More information](#)

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Best regards from the team of music & friends™

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