

The Polish Center Events Calendar

Dec 4 – Jan 31

BajenaX3 is an exhibition of paintings by Anna, Joanna and Leszek Bajena. This exhibit is open during The Polish Center's regular hours (Monday – Friday 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.) and during public events at The Polish Center. The exhibit is free and open to the public.

February 9

Tad & Roman – 7:00 p.m. A musical concert of Polish classical and popular favorites. This event is open to the public. An informal reception with refreshments will occur after the performance. Tickets are \$10, student tickets are \$5 and children under 12 years may attend for free.

February 21

Pączki Day Place your order now. Pick-up at The Polish Center is from 7:00-11:30 a.m. Order by the dozen – prune, raspberry or mixed box \$10.50 per dozen. Delivery charge is \$5 per address to Milwaukee County. Visa/MasterCard accepted. Orders taken by fax, mail or phone. **ORDER BY FEBRUARY 13th. Come in and have a pączek and coffee for \$3.00 between 7:00-11:30 a.m.**

March 18

An Afternoon of Polish Classical Music – 3:00 p.m. Presented by the MacDowell Club of Milwaukee. Admission is free, donations will be accepted at the door. All proceeds will benefit the MacDowell Club of Milwaukee to provide scholarships to students of music.

March 25

Polish Night with the Milwaukee Admirals Help support Polish Fest by watching the Milwaukee Admirals take on the Rockford Ice Hogs at The Bradley Center. Tickets are available at The Polish Center for \$16. Call The Polish Center at 414-529-2140 for more information.

March 31

Pisanki Easter Egg Class Learn to make pisanki (decorated Easter eggs) using traditional wax-resist methods. This two hour class will be held from 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. Cost includes all materials; \$15 for PHA members, \$17 for non-members, \$10 for children ages 10-12. Pre-registration is required, call The Polish Center for more details 414-529-2140.

April 8

Easter Brunch Join us for an all you can eat buffet *prepared by Jack Norman Catering*. Seatings at 10:00 a.m., Noon, and 2:00 p.m. Adults \$24.95; Children 6-12 \$10.00; Children 5 and under complimentary. Cash bar will be open. Reservations required. Advance payment recommended.

Polish Language Classes

All classes are taught by Michael Mikoś, Professor of Polish Language and Literature at UWM. Classes are held at The Polish Center of Wisconsin. Pre-registration required. Call 414-529-2140 to register.

Polish II Tuesdays, 6:00-8:00 p.m. January 24 – March 27; Fee: \$140

Polish IV Thursdays, 6:00-8:00 p.m. January 26 – March 29; Fee \$140

Fiber Arts with a Polish Twist

6:00 – 8:00 p.m.; Fee (per class) \$20 for adults (\$2 discount for PHA members), \$15 for children ages 10-12; Discounted price when you sign up for all three classes (\$55 for adults, \$49 for PHA members, \$40 for children)

March 5 **Beginning Basketry:** Participants will learn the Twining technique of basket weaving and will create two small baskets; one from common household material and another from traditional basketry reeds.

March 12 & 19 **Elementary Tapestry Weaving:** Participants will create a basic re-useable homemade loom, which they will use to make their own unique tapestry. They will learn traditional weaving techniques and stitches and discuss ways to create images and patterns. Those who sign up for this class will attend two consecutive sessions so they may complete their projects from start to finish.