



INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR ARCADIA
FOR THE PROMOTION AND UTILIZATION
OF THE ARCADIAN WORLD LEGACY

SCHEDULE

INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM
FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE
ARCADIA INTERNATIONAL NETWORK
AND THE CREATION OF THE
CENTRE FOR THE PROMOTION OF THE
ARCADIAN WORLD LEGACY

29-31 AUGUST 2008
ANCIENT MANTINEA
ARCADIA-GREECE

SYMPOSIUM SCHEDULE

FRIDAY 29-8-2008

18:00 LAST ARRIVALS AND ALLOCATION OF ROOMS IN THE HOTELS ¹

Kalteziotes Mansion, Kapsia

19:30 LAST ARRIVAL OF DIGNITARIES-OPENING CEREMONY

- Welcome address by Mr. Nikos Kalteziotis, President of the International Society for Arcadia
- Greetings by officials and dignitaries
- Key note speech by Prof. John P. Anton, Hon. President of the International Society for Arcadia
- Presentation by Dr. Pedro Olalla, Director of the International Society for Arcadia

21:00 DINNER

SATURDAY 30-8-2007

08:00-09:00 BREAKFAST AT HOTELS

09:15 DEPARTURE FOR ANCIENT MANTINEA

Tourist Kiosk in Archaeological Site of Ancient Mantinea

10:00 MORNING SESSION:

TOPIC: ARCADIA INTERNATIONAL NETWORK

(Analysis of the Project, Declaration, Presentations by candidate members. ²

Presentation of statutes, action plan and funding.

Presentation of the *Arcadia Renaissance* Art Edition Project. General Discussion)

Co-ordinator: Dr. Pedro Olalla

14:00 LUNCH & FREE TIME

16:30 AFTERNOON SESSION

TOPIC: CENTRE FOR THE PROMOTION OF THE ARCADIAN WORLD LEGACY

(Analysis of the Project, Presentations by working groups on the projects of Cultural Cartography of Arcadia, Museological approach for the Centre, Planning the Arcadia Park, the Arcadian Tour and the Arcadian Walks.

General Discussion on ways of implementation and funding).

Co-ordinator: Angelos Dendrinis

18:30 PLENARY SESSION

¹ KALTEZIOTES MANSION (www.kaltezioti.gr), KALLISTO (www.dryades-arcadia.gr), ISAREIKO SPITI (www.isareikospiti.gr)

² Should you not be able to attend in person or by delegate, we shall be happy to make the presentation you will send us on your behalf

20:15 END OF THE SYMPOSIUM – DEPARTURE FOR LEVIDI

20:40 *Arcadian Museum of Art and History, Levidi*
ARRIVAL AND GUIDED TOUR OF THE MUSEUM

21:30 RECEPTION

23:30 DEPARTURE FOR HOTELS

SUNDAY 31-8-2007

08:00-09:00 BREAKFAST AT HOTELS – “ARCADIAN TOUR” ³

Intended Schedule

9:30 Departure from hotels (Kapsia & Levidi). We will cross the fir woods and the pastures of legendary Mount Maenalon.

10:45-11:45 Visit to the award winning Water-power Museum in Dimitsana. Continue of the trip through the village of Stemnitsa, with the picturesque architecture and silversmiths tradition.

12:15-13:00 A stop for a coffee at ARCADIANI tourist and cultural complex in the village of Psari, with a breathtaking view of Mt Lycaeon.

13:30-14:15 Visit to the Ancient Sanctuary of Despoena and Demeter linked to Lycosura, a small ancient Arcadian polis, said to be the oldest city on earth.

14:45-16:30 Lunch at ISAREIKO SPITI in the village of Isari, with a beautiful view over Megalopolis valley.

17:30 Arrival to hotels for an optional break: you can take part in the walk to Ancient Orchomenos, or you can rest for two hours and a half at the hotel and join the group later for the visit to the Caves of Kapsia.

18:30-19:45 *(optional)* Pleasant and easy walk through meadows and paths of Arcadian beauty to the ruins of Ancient Orchomenos, visiting the agora, the sanctuary of Artemis and the marble theatre of Dionysus in its scenic setting.

20:15-21:00 Visit to the impressive Caves of Kapsia, with the unique formations of stalactites and stalagmites.
End of the tour. Return to hotels. Overnight stay and/or departures.

Notice:

The Organizing Committee reserves the right to change the schedule adjusting to circumstances, without prior notification

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