The International Jazz Festival Litvínov 2011

Let me invite you to **"The International Jazz Festival Litvínov 2011**", which will be on from 9. (Thursday) to 12. (Sunday) of June 2011. In the years 2009 – 2011 these events take place in Litvínov within the frame of project Ziel3 – Cíl3. We cooperate with the Saxon association "Musikrat" from Dresden and we have a support of European Union for organizing this cultural tradition, whose beginnings we can find already in the year 1999.

This year we will again have overall three morning blocks (from Friday to Sunday) of improvisation workshops according to instrumental groups. The foreign lectors will teach too. The evening concerts will be retained, Thursday – the opening one, Friday – the main concert, Saturday – recording of DVD and three Jam Sessions. All the three main evening concerts will be interlaid with professional guest's performances.

Since 2005 the foreign stars take part in the concerts. On Friday and Saturday afternoon the selection of compositions for DVD recording will run over in face of the professional jury. The DVD will be the final product of the whole IJF Litvínov 2011. At the same time the festival will be the nomination (for two chosen ensembles) for workshops in Dresden in Saxony, which will take place in November 2011.

The nonstop concerts in the square in the city-centre and by Citadela will be retained too. The concerts will take place also in surrounding towns. So each orchestra will perform at least three times solo.

The selection for the DVD recording will be run from 4-6 compositions, the limit is 20 minutes of playing.

This leaflet includes the preliminary application for "The International Jazz Festival Litvínov 2011", which is necessary to send back together with :

- 1) demo CD(or MP3) + photo of the ensemble for creating the catalogue
- 2) brief information about previous activity of the ensemble

till 15. March 2011 at this address:

Základní umělecká škola Podkrušnohorská 1720 436 01 LITVÍNOV CZ or on e-mail: <u>i.sochor@zuslitvinov.cz</u> – in Czech <u>angelkova@zuslitvinov.cz</u> – in German jazz@epost.cz – in English

Till the 20.March the selection of festival participants will be done by an international jury and then you will receive next materials needed for participation in the festival.

The promoters of the festival will provide you an accomodation for the time of the festival (hotels, boarding houses, chalets) and boarding. Further the professional sound and light for all the stages will be ensured.

We have also prepared T-shirts with the festival logo, catalogues and posters for you.

(participation in the festival for the whole time is necessary!!! – arrange free time for beautiful music)

We will require 100 euro fee from the participants of the festival (without chance of returning) for an ensemble and next refund expenditure for the transportation to Litvínov (Czech republic).

In the name of organizers

Jaroslav Sochor	CZ
Torsten Tannenberg	D
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Thursday 9. 6. 2011

- > arrival of participants + accomodation
- > Opening concert, participants + professional ensembles Citadela
- evening Jam Session

Friday 10. 6. 2011

- > 1. workshops ZUŠ, Citadela
- Selection for DVD in face of a jury (afternoon) Citadela
- > 1. Nonstop concert in the city-centre (all day)
- > Main concert, participants + professional ensembles Citadela
- evening Jam Session

Saturday 11. 6. 2011

- > 2. workshops ZUŠ, Citadela
- Selection for DVD in face of a jury (afternoon) Citadela
- > 2. Nonstop concert in front of Citadela
- DVD recording Live Concert Citadela + document from the course of the whole festival
- evening Jam Session

Sunday 12. 6. 2011

- 3. workshops ZUŠ, Citadela
 Leaving of participants after lunch