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Welcome back to Lake Gopło, in the heart of Poland, for the 2025 European Rowing Under 19 Championships.

We are delighted to be back in Kruszwica, the historic town in central Poland, renowned for its salt trade and wealth in the Middle Ages. The local people are rightly proud of Lake Gopło's beautiful natural setting and history, with the Mouse Tower overlooking the superb course.

I hope many of you visiting will take the time to explore the surrounding countryside and towns and enjoy the warm Polish hospitality.

The Kruszwica Gopło Rowing Club has already hosted four excellent European Rowing Championship events since 2011, including most recently the European Rowing Under 19 Championships in 2024. With the strength and depth of youth rowing across Europe, and the Polish love of our sport, the competition to take home the European Champion titles will be fierce with competitive and compelling races.

Many thanks to Mayor Bogdanowicz, Stefan Janeczek, chair of the Organising Committee, and the fantastic local volunteers for your generosity and support, and to Adam Korol, President of Polish Rowing Association, for your continued support and leadership.

Annamarie Phelps
President, European Rowing

Adam Korol President Polish Rowing Association

Dear Rowing Friends!

After last year's 2024 European Rowing Junior Championships, we are pleased to invite you to Kruszwica for the next edition of this event, 2025 European Rowing Junior Championships.

Rowing Club Gopło Kruszwica had organized many international regattas including European University Rowing Championships in 2009 ,Olympic Hopes Regatta in 2022, first European Rowing Juniors Championships in 2011, European Rowing U-23 Championships in 2017 and in 2021.

Kruszwica is a truly beautiful city – a legendary capital of Poland – situated in the heart of Poland, on the shores of the Gopło lake. Kruszwica is not only the legendary capital of Poland, but it is also – or even first of all – the contemporary capital of Polish Junior Rowing Sports. Here in Kruszwica, in such a wonderful nature surroundings, takes place most of the rowing regattas for youth, junior and U23 age categories.

Thanks to significant support of the regional and local government, the technical standard of the venue is improving every year. The group of volunteers working in the Organizing Committee collect experience by yearly taking new challenges.

I truly believe that these Championships will bring for the spectators and the participants positive atmosphere and good weather giving all the competitors equal chances in the competition.

I wish you a friendly, familiar atmosphere during your stay in our country.

Adam Korol
President Polish Rowing Association





Piotr Całbecki Marshal of the Kujawsko-Pomorskie Region

The Kujawsko-Pomorskie Region and the town of Kruszwica are the hosts of 2025 European Rowing Under 19 Championships. This is a superb opportunity to present our region Cuiavia and Pomerania to youth from many European countries. Sport is a perfect ground for international understanding and a chance to establish friendships. I believe the youth who will arrive at Kruszwica shall be joined by far more than rowing competition on the Gopło lake.

Kujawsko-Pomorskie Region supports sport. 2025 European Rowing U-19 Championships is not the only major event in our region. Another just as prestigious is the World Athletics Indoor Championships Kujawy Pomorze 2026, which we are currently preparing.

We are proud of our aquatic sports which are the brand of the region. Our athletes of rowing, canoeing and windsurfing have won several medals during European, and world championships, as well as at Olympic Games.

I welcome you in Poland, in Cuiavia and Pomerania, the region that supports youth, activity and creativity. I hope you will bring unforgettable memories from here and will visit us back in the near future.

Piotr Całbecki

Marshal of the Kujawsko-Pomorskie Region

Dear players, coaches and guests,

I am very happy to welcome you to Kruszwica - a city rich in rowing traditions, in which European Rowing Under 19 Championships will be taking place in May 2025. It's our pleasure to host all very talented athletes from around Europe and experience together all the emotions associated with the unique revitalization.

Jezioro Gopło, with the natural rowing track and our great sports infrastructure combine together to make the best conditions for competitions at the highest level. For years Kruszwica was an arena for prestige competitions and all the successes of our rowing team "Gopło" confirm that this is a place where sports passion is joined with history and tradition.

Best wishes to all competing. A good sports competition in the spirit of fair play and lots of unforgettable moments over picturesque Gopło. I hope that these Championships will deliver you not only satisfying achievements but also great memories from your stay in Kruszwica.

Bogdan

Mikołaj Bogdanowicz
The Mayor of Kruszwica





Kruszwica

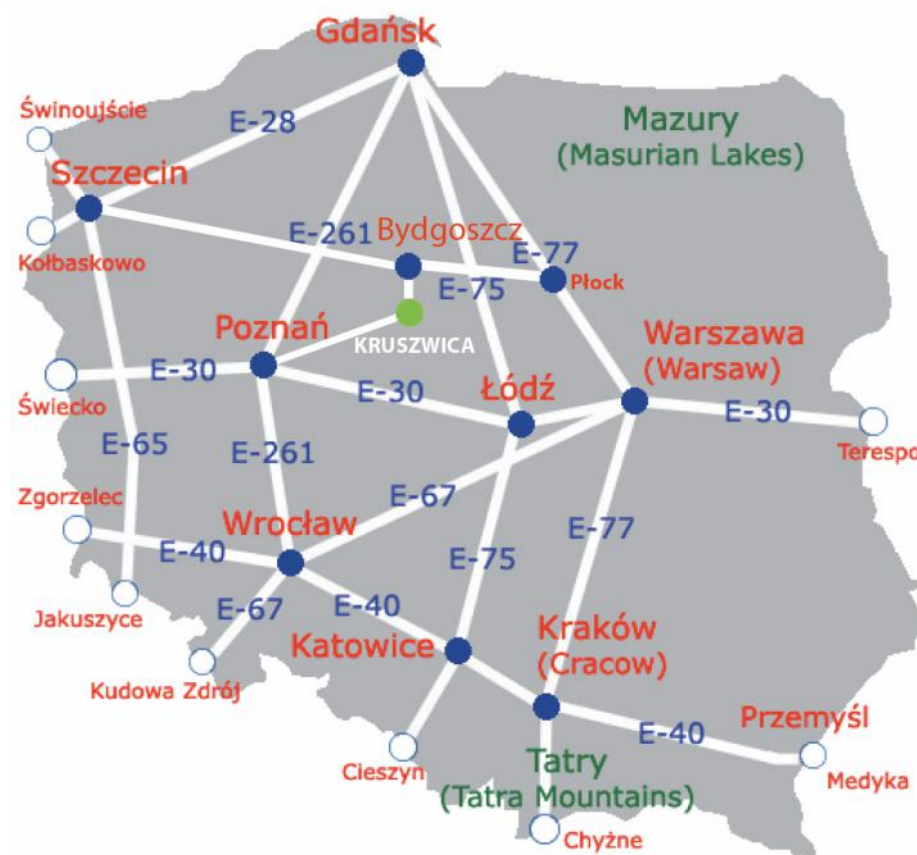
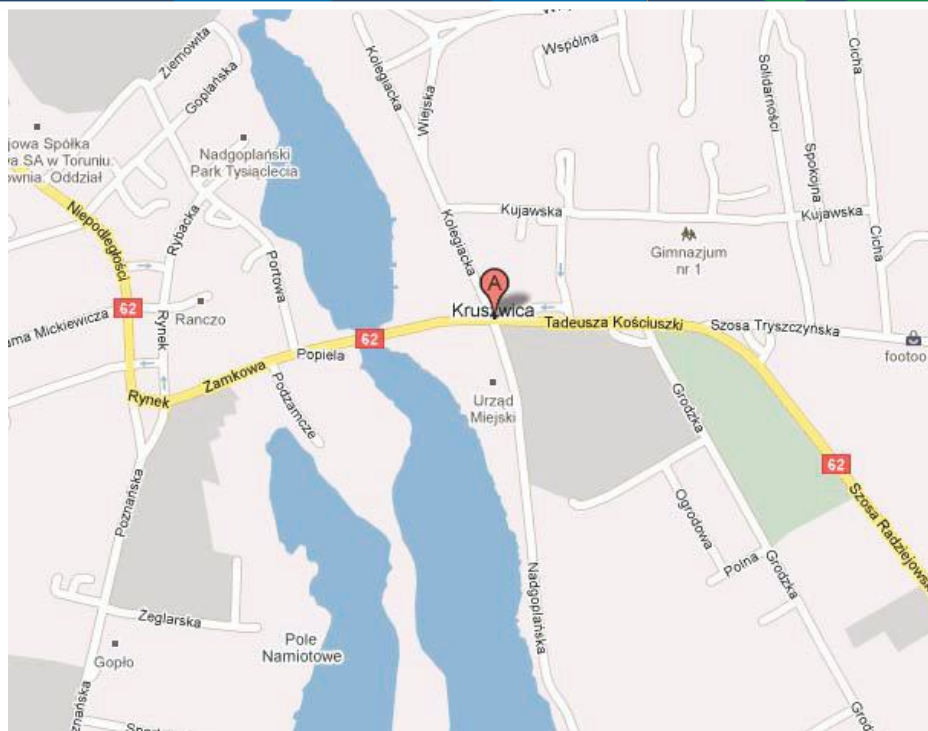
Kruszwica (52° 40'38" N, 18° 19'45" E) is a town in central Poland, situated at Lake Gopło in the Kuyavian-Pomeranian Voivodeship (since 1999), previously in the Bydgoszcz Voivodeship (1975-1998). Its population reaches 9,412 people (2004) living in the area of over 9,800 hectares. The town charter was granted to the settlement in 1422 by king Władysław Jagiello. Kruszwica, the legendary capital of Piast

Monarchy, with its administrative district has 26.219 hectares; the majority of the land is devoted to agriculture but 6,600 hectares is a reserve of Gopło Millennium Park. The name Kruszwica comes from a lump of salt which was called "kruszwa" in the Old Polish language. In the Middle Ages, salt was obtained from the underground and salt water of the neighbouring area. The emblem of the town is a picture of a green pear tree, a



traditional Polish symbol of wealth. Kruszwica is beautifully situated at Lake Goplo and its location is great encouragement to visit this magnificent district of Kujawy. One of the most famous monuments of Kruszwica is The Mouse Tower. Made of bricks, this octagonal tower is 32 meters high and it is situated on Rzepowski peninsula at Lake Goplo. The most interesting thing is the architecture because the tower inside has the round shape.

This is the part of a castle which was built by Kazimierz Wielki in 1350. At first, it was a small fort built in order to protect Kruszwica from the Knights of the Cross. After the breakdown of the Teutonic Order, it became a seat of Kruszwica's castellany. It was devastated by Swedes in 1657 after having been occupied by them for two years. The tower was bought back by Adam who gave the Swedes a ransom of pigs and cattle. Since 1895 it has been a tourist attraction and a vantage point.



Travel to Kruszwica

By Air:

The nearest airport are: Paderewski Airport in Bydgoszcz - about 60 km from Kruszwica, Lawoca Airport in Poznan - about 110 km from Kruszwica and Chopin Warsaw Airport in Warsaw - about 250 km from Kruszwica or Gdańsk Airports about 230 km from Kruszwica.

Transport from all airports is provided by the organizer. Transfer from and to the airport 40 euro per person

By Road:

In order to get from Warsaw to Kruszwica, you have to take route 62, from Poznan you have to take route 5/E261 and then route 15 and from Wrocław you have to take route 25.

Contact to the transport: BeataKruszwica@wp.pl



Regatta course

A natural rowing course situated in a Landscape Park, protected by the program Natura 2000 is a wonderful place to rest and to play water sports.

The post-glacial lake is a sheltered spot. The rowing club is situated just by the lake shore, near the regatta course, so it is very easy, comfortable and safe to keep the boats and to go down the water. The area of the club is fenced in and monitored 24 hours a day.

Near the regatta course, there is a historical tower, 32 meters high,

which provides a great opportunity to admire wonderful views of the lake as well as the regatta course.

The activists of our “Goplo Kruszwica” Rowing Club have great experience in organising rowing competitions, including European Rowing Championship events with 700 competitors.

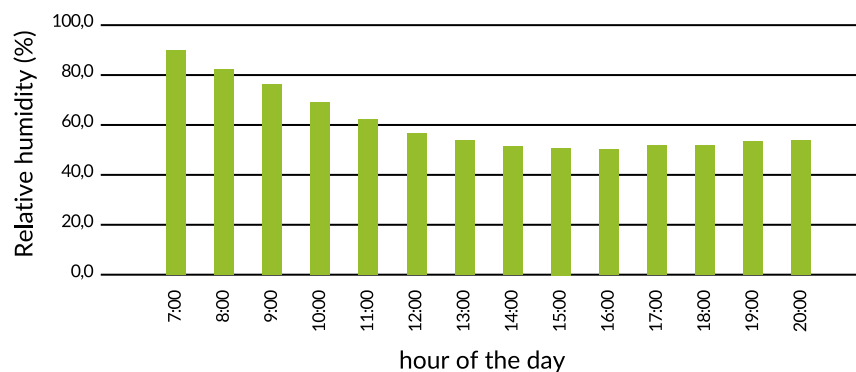
We have experienced rescue and medical services. Near the regatta course, there is a restaurant which serves tasty meals.

There is also a guarded car park for about 300 cars and buses.

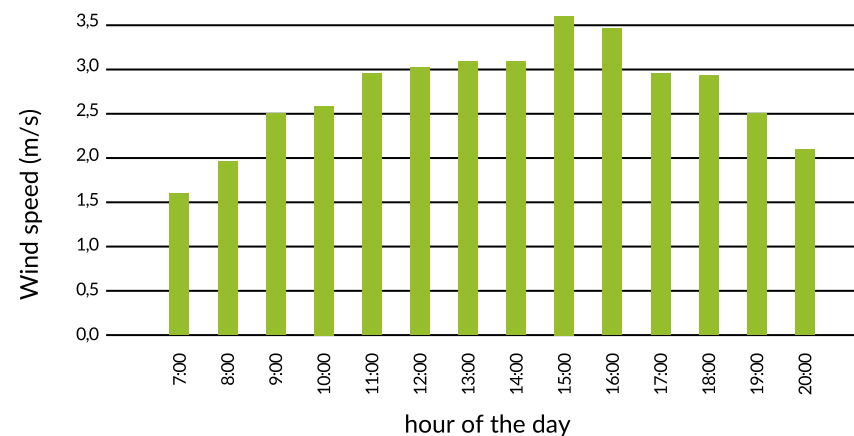
Sunrise and sunset times

Day	Sunrise (hrs)	Sunset (hrs)	Length of day (hrs:mins)
21/05	5:57	19:35	13:37:40
22/05	5:59	19:33	13:33:41
23/05	6:01	19:30	13:29:40
24/05	6:02	19:28	13:25:40
25/05	6:04	19:26	13:21:38

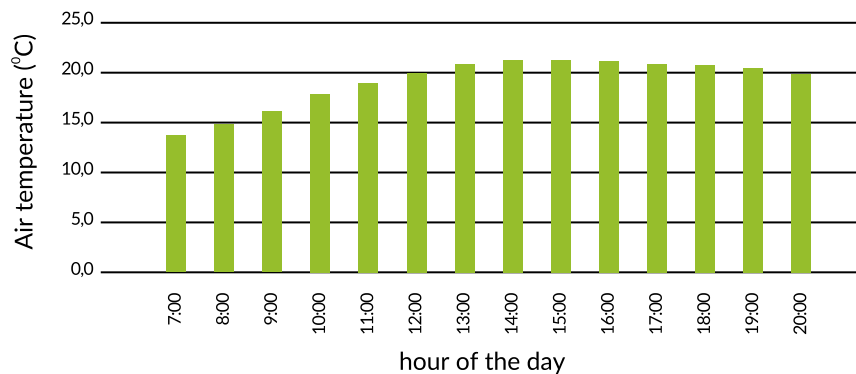
Relative humidity



Wind speed



Air temperature (°C)



Frequency (%) of wind directions

Wind directions	N	NE	E	SE	S	SW	W	NW
Frequency of wind directions [%]	14%	12%	5%	15%	8%	14%	21%	11%



Championship schedule

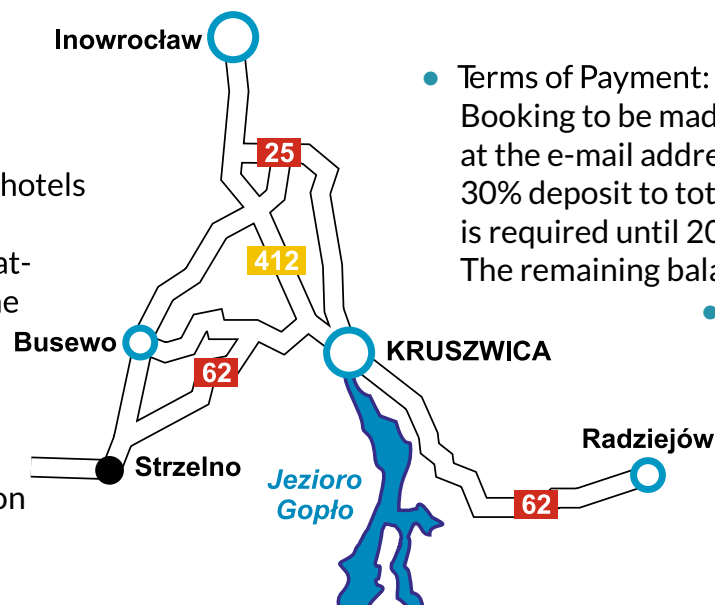
Day	Event
22.05.2025 10:00 hrs	Official venue opening
23.05.2025	Team Managers Meeting and Draw
23.05.2025	Opening Ceremony
24.05.2025	Heats and Repechages
25.05.2025	Semi-Finals, Finals, Closing Ceremony



Accommodation

All participants of the 2025 European Rowing Under 19 Championships will be accommodated in hotels in the city of Inowrocław and Kruszwica. The hotels in Inowrocław are located 17 km away from the regatta venue. Breakfasts and dinners will be served at the hotels, while lunches will be provided on the regatta course. Transport from the hotels to Kruszwica will be provided as well. Transport from the hotel to the regatta course for free.

- Transfer from and to the airport 40 euro per person



- Terms of Payment:
Booking to be made until 20.04.2025. Booking accommodation at the e-mail address Beata.Kruszwica@wp.pl
30% deposit to total amount of accommodation is required until 20.04.2025
The remaining balance is to be paid until 10.05.2025
- Cancellation/Refund policy:
From 21.04.2025 to 10.05.2025:
No cancellation fee. Refund of 100 % of the paid deposit
From 11.05.2025: Refund of 90 % of the total costs of accommodation

Category	Name of hotel	Type of room (no. of beds)	No. of this type of room	Distance to venue (in km)	Driving time to venue (in minutes)	Price per person in Euros in 2025 FULL BOARD
****	Hotel Focus	Single	20	15	20	160 euro
		Double	20			150 euro
****	Green Hotel	Single	9	15	20	150 euro
		Double	11			140 euro
****	Aprataments Platiumum	Single	14	15	20	140 euro
****	Golden Hotel and SPA	Single	9	15	20	140 euro
		Double	10			130 euro
		Triple	1			120 euro
***	Hotel Bast	Single	18	15	20	140 euro
		Double	16			130 euro
		Triple	5			120 euro
***	Hotel Park	Single	7	15	20	120 euro
		Double	9			110 euro
		Triple	2			100 euro
***	Hotel Crystal	Single	10	20	25	130 euro
		Double	17			120 euro
		Triple	4			110 euro
***	Zajazd u Piasta Kołodzieja	Single	5	0,3	1	140 euro
		Double	13			130 euro
		Triple	7			120 euro
***	Aprataments N5	Single	18	15	20	140 euro
		Double	16			130 euro
***	Jaśminowy Gaj	Single	1	11	12	120 euro
		Double	8			110 euro
		Triple	8			100 euro
**	Centrum Sportowo Konferencyjne	Double	12	30	30	110 euro
**	Pałacyk Lisewo	Double	25	27	25	110 euro
**	Hotel Magdalenka	Single	3	1	3	120 euro
		Double	3			110 euro
		Triple	10			100 euro
**	Zajazd pod Kogutkiem	Single	3	11	151	120 euro
		Double	4			110 euro
		Triple	2			100 euro
**	Zajazd Radziejów	Single	1	18	20	110 euro
		Double	2			100 euro
		Triple	10			90 euro
*	OSIR	Double	13	15	20	90 euro
*	Gęsia saga	Double	5	2,7	5	95 euro
		Triple	3			95 euro
*	Złotowo Campekomarina	Double	7	15	20	95 euro
		Triple	5			95 euro
*	Domki nad Gopłem	Double	5	2	5	95 euro
		Triple	3			95 euro



The Organising Committee for the 2025 European Rowing Under 19 Championship

Mikołaj Bogdanowicz

- Mayor of Kruszwica

Stefan Janeczek

- The President of The Organising Committee:
- The President of Kujawsko – Pomorskie Regional Rowing Association.
- The President of „Gopło” Kruszwica Rowing Club.

Robert Zaborski

- The Vice President of The Organising Committee.
- The General Secretary of Polish Rowing Association.

Mirosław Ziółkowski

Inspector. Municipal Office in Kruszwica.



The members of the organising committee:

Zofia Ziółkowska

The Secretary of "Gopło" Kruszwica Rowing Club

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District Police Headquarters in Inowrocław*

Adam Puchała

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Beata Marecik

*The Member of Organising Committee
The Secretary of "Gopło" Kruszwica Rowing Club*



Event Information

ELIGIBILITY

All European Rowing Member Federations (including Israel) shall be eligible to compete in the European Rowing Under 19 Championships. An athlete must present a valid passport or National ID from the country for which they wish to compete. Kindly note, rules applicable for Under 19 rowers if they wish to compete for their country of residence are specified in the rule book: European Rowing Rules of Racing

EVENTS OFFERED

The final list of events offered at the 2025 European Rowing Under 19 Championships will be confirmed following the European Rowing Extraordinary General Assembly in March 2025.



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