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Jewish Workshop

25 November 2008 in the municipal town hall building workshops were held for teachers, cultural workers and representatives of the Center municipal office on the problems of stereotyping and to promote attitudes of tolerance and openness to the Jewish people, conducted by experts from the Jagiellonian University. The workshops were part of a cooperation agreement concluded between the Foundation for the Preservation of Jewish Heritage and the City of Sieniawa 1 July this year, participants took part in the acts of the classes, that do not run out of rich objects, a number of interesting photographs and texts referring to the many aspects of life of Jews. Subjects were also issues, among others of Jews as a people, their beliefs and rituals associated with them, and their daily lives.



Another point of agreement with FODŹ was to meet with residents of the municipality Sieniawa the Jewish community. It was held in November this year, about 26 hours. 17.00 at the local cinema hall "Falcon". The meeting proved to be an unexpected success because of the organizational crowd arrivals of people who spontaneously turned they were a voice in the discussion. Lord Mayor Adam Wos, who at the beginning of the meeting said a few words about the agreement with the Foundation, addressed the issue of intercultural dialogue and encouraged to discuss substantive, can be satisfied with the conduct of the debate. Much credit also including representatives of Jewish communities, which were:

- Ms Miriam Gonczarska - journalist, advisor to the Association of Program of Jewish Religious Communities, a Lauder Foundation and the Foundation for the Preservation of Jewish Heritage, from the beginning of the 90-actively involved in the reconstruction of Jewish life in Poland
- Mr. Peter Płaziński - by education philosopher and literary critic, since 2000 editor-in-chief of the socio-cultural monthly "Midrasz" - issued a letter in Warsaw poskich Jews. Once a journalist of "Gazeta Wyborcza", now works with various magazines and publishing houses, translators, writes and edits.

At the meeting addressed very different aspects of Jewish life and their relationship with Poles in the past and today. It was a lot of history, do not run out of memories came the guests, remembering a time before the, multinational Sieniawa and references to contemporary times in which we live data.

As an observer of this event I can boldly say that the Lord Mayor and his administration can be proud of the smooth the implementation of ideas ecumenism and dialogue between cultures, a meeting at the cinema "Falcon" has shown that residents Sieniawa to tolerant and open people. You can only hope that such projects were in our municipality as much as possible.

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