**Polish Hospitality - from the Mansion to the Palace
*A visit in Dworek Staropolski and the Kurozwęki Palace***

**A visit in two historic places is a unique opportunity to be acquainted with interesting tourist offer based on historical heritage of the świętokrzyskie voivodeship. The guests will taste regional delicacy including food and liqueurs.**

**Program**

**9 April 2016**

14:30Departure from the **Congress & Exhibition Centre**

14:30 – 15:45 Transfer to **Niziny-Młyńczyska**

15:45 – 16:45 Sightseeing **Dworek Staropolski** educational farm

The old-Polish mansion in Młyńczyska is a place behind time and space, where one can rest from the speed of modern life and rediscover the pleasures of nature. Run by the Guz family, it combines tradition and modernity. The name of this rural farm was taken from the 150-year-old watermill, one of its biggest attractions. Currently, it houses an exhibition of local herbs and a small museum of rural machines, universally used before the Second World War. But it is the house, stylized as a 19th century house of the landed gentry, which is the heart of the farm. Those hungry for new experiences can spend the night in an original cottage from the beginning of the 20th century, equipped according to the fashion of that time. One may have tasted many kinds of bread, you have to taste the bread from Młyńczyska, not to mention another of its top specialities, pine liquer “Sosinka” , made of … pine sprouts.

16:45 - 17:00 Transfer to Kurozwęki

17:00 - 18:00 Sightseeing the **Kurozwęki Palace**

In the second half of the 14th century in Kurozwęki they erected a castle referred to in a document dating back to 1400 as “castrum Curoswank”. At the turn of next centuries the castle was rebuilt several times and given representative character finally to be converted at the end of the 18th century from an originally dwelling building with a defensive character into a Baroque and Classicistic residence. Presently you cannot miss the castle edifice located in the complex of parks and palaces with its richly decorated five-axle facade and galleried courtyard. It is worth visiting the interior of the Palace in Kurozwęki with its dungeons and stay for a night in its stylish chambers, hothouse or annex. A unique attraction is a herd of over 80 American buffaloes in, which can be admired from the interior of “safari buffalo” carriage. Active leisure lovers may go horse-riding, cycling, play paint-ball or try a rope slide. There are also knight fights, artillery and ancient dancing show organised upon request.

18:00 - 20:00 Dinner in the  **„Kurozwęki Palace**

20:00 Transfer to Kielce