

# **PROGRAM OF THE FESTIVAL WHICH APPLIES FOR ALL 3 TERMS BOTH IN THE SPRING AND IN THE FALL PERIOD OF THE FESTIVAL**

## **SPRING**

**From 14th - 18th of April**

**From 19th - 23rd of April**

**From 24th - 28th of April**

## **FALL**

**From 26th - 30th of September**

**From 01st - 05th of October**

**From 06th - 10th of October**

Esteemed, the program of the festival will look like this:

It is desired that you plan your time and arrive in Diano Marina between 12 and 14 o'clock so you have time to rest a bit and after the rest walk to the stage which is distanced from your hotel only 700-800 meters and do a little rehearsal on the stage. The first dinner will be at 19:30. After the dinner there will be a meeting with the representatives of all the ensembles and with members of the organizational committee.

On the second day, after the breakfast at 9:00 all of the groups go for a one-day trip to Ezze - perfume factory, Nice, Monaco and Monte Carlo. Return to the hotel, dinner, rest.

On the third day, after breakfast, all of ensembles have an hour - hour and a half on their disposal for changing into costumes and at 10:00 all ensembles, dressed in their costumes go to Sanremo for their first performance. That performance will be conducted in the center of Sanremo on promenade and in front of famous Ariston. Following that is group photographs of all ensembles on the stairs in front of famous casino, after that the trip to Cannes. In Cannes your performance will be conducted on world-renowned Promenade de la Croisette just in front of iconic red carpet. There all of ensembles will have a performance in the duration of one hour. Ensembles will be distanced around 30 meters one from another and simultaneously in the duration of one hour will have a performance in front of a huge number of visitors. After the performance in Cannes is return trip to the hotel, dinner - socializing - fun with other ensembles and after that, rest.

On the fourth day, after breakfast, all of ensembles will have free time until 14 o'clock. In the meantime, two representatives from each of ensembles in their costumes and with the flag of their country and the board with the name of the group will go for the reception at 11:00 with the mayor in the commune of Diano Marina. There will be a lot of press and TV crews at the reception. It would be desired on that occasion to gift a souvenir related to your ensemble and country. It is not mandatory but if you have, it would be nice to gift that souvenir - little gift to the mayor, the same as it will be done by all of the ensembles which participate on the festival.

After reception, all of the ensembles are returning to their hotel after which come preparations of all ensembles for the defile which will be held in the center of Diano Marina. Defile will start at 15 o'clock and in duration of around one hour. After defile we go to the main stage where at 16 o'clock the main program will start.

The performance of all of the 15 ensembles is followed by award ceremony and acknowledgments, after which is return to the hotel - dinner - socializing - fun - rest.

On the fifth day, after breakfast, all the groups leave for their homes to their respective countries.

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If you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask and we will momentarily respond.

**PLEASE NOTE**

Ensembles which don't have live music are required to bring their own loudspeaker system so they can during the performance in Sanremo, Cannes and on defile play their own music for the performance.