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Bees ask for help - a campaign to protect the living environment of bees and other pollinators financed within the framework of the Financial Mechanism 2009-2014 EEA and Norwegian Financial Mechanism 2009-2014.





The entrance to the apiary



The participants of educational activities can see the construction of the hive



View of the apiary

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In the village Godzięcin thanks to the involvement of the family Kamaszuk was established apiarian educational path. Its creators depend on that to propagate the action to protect the wild pollinators. Every year there are fewer of these animals essential for nature and man. Modern agriculture, infrastructure development, change ways development of gardens, and even a warming of buildings contribute to the loss of nesting sites of many beneficial insects. So let's make efforts to counteract these adverse changes as well as to encourage others to take similar action.

Another equally important task of the path is to present the work of the beekeeper. For this purpose it's the best to look at the apiary. Only in beekeeping clothing and with the assistance of the host you can see the inside of an open beehive, check the status of frames, find bee-mother and drones and also meet a lot of interesting facts from the life of bees.

During exploring the path stay at the cottages for bumblebees and for a moment observe their work. Nearby you will find many nests of solitary bees that as lokum use bunches of cut stems of reeds that every year preparing apiary owners.

Walking the path it's impossible to look away from numerous nectariferous plants which are on the whole route. There grows a guelder-rose, snowdrops, spring snowflakes, liverleaf, European honeysuckles and in the garden pond are Yellow Water-lilies. We will see there also commonly occurring in our region trees and shrubs useful for insects as providers of pollen - birch, hazel, horse chestnut, nectar - linden, locusts, providing honeydew and components for propolis - oaks, maples, larches, pines. Near the track there is also a small heath and small fields of rape, buckwheat, purple tansy and other plants.

Interested persons can independently sow seeds or plant a plant what will be their contribution to protection of nature. At the time of being on the path you can also visit the beekeeping workshop where you can see both the former and current beekeeping equipment. In the beekeeping workshop we can see the many secrets of the work of the beekeeper.

In addition to the educational and nature protection function this path is used as a meeting place.

The subject of beekeeping has become an element that integrates the local community. Currently, many residents of Godzięcin not only identifies with beekeeping but also takes similar action - builds houses for solitary bees and plants melliferous plants.

More information on the website:

http://www.godziecin.brzegdolny.pl/?page_id=98



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