



Warsaw — Saska Kępa

An artist's district

1/W/15

Saska Kępa is a Warsaw' district located on the right side of the Vistula River. In the past it was an island with many names: Duck Island, Solec Island and Dutch Island. It used to be a popular entertainment and recreation spot. The buildings you can see today were erected between the First and Second World Wars and many of them are designed in the so-called modernist style. Many district inhabitants were representatives of the so-called 'free professions' as well as military soldiers and artists.



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Length of the route: 7,7 km
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Map legend:

- building
- monument, statue
- characteristic tree
- plaque
- other object

In the Saska Kępa district there are various spots and objects called control points (PK). They are marked with circles on the map. Each control point has a question related to it. Please find the answers to these questions and give them to your game organizer. Good luck!

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Tourist Orienteering Game (1/W/15)

PK 1	„Functional house”, built in 1928, was designed by Czesław Przybylski in so called functional style. What is the name of the restaurant located in that building?
PK 2	This plaque commemorates Andrzej Zawada and the group of climbers that reached Mount Everest (together with Krzysztof Wielicki and Leszek Cichy). When was the first official winter ascent of Mount Everest?
PK 3	This villa belonged to Grzegorz Fitelbert (violinist, orchestra conductor) and Halina Szmolcówna (dancer). What date is written above the entrance?
PK 4	This house is considered to be the oldest in Saska Kępa district. What material is it made of?
PK 5	Previous seat of the Board of the Polish Artists Association. Which famous artist visited this house in 1948?
PK 6	Our Lady of Perpetual Help parish church. How many columns are in the facade above the entrance from the Noble street?
PK 7	This is a plaque commemorating Witold Lutosławski (Polish contemporary composer). When this plaque was made?
PK 8	Plaques on Francuska Str. No 4 and 1 as well as the sign on the pavement shows where the barricade was raised in September 1939. How many traces of bullets are marked with metal circles on the fence of this building?
PK 9	This building is a seat of Orthodox Seminary in Warsaw. Who is commemorated by the plaque on the right (northern) side of the building?
PK 10	This is a relief „Crop” by Jerzy Jarnuszkiewicz. What is the object, held by the boy, depicted in the lower part of the sculpture?
PK 11	This plaque commemorates Jacek Sempoliński (painter, son of Leonard Sempoliński). After II World War Katowicka Street was chosen by the Office of the Reconstruction of Polish Capital to be the “model street”. What is written on concrete plaques with compasses placed on buildings no 7A, 8 and 8A?
PK 12	This villa was designed by Bohdan Lachert and Józef Szanajca in the functional style (modernism) according to the rules set by Le Corbusier. What foundation is located in this building?
PK 13	This plaque commemorates Teresa Roszkowska, painter and stage designer. Which date is written on this building?
PK 14	Former Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany. What is the brand of the car that is visible on the memory board on the fence of this building?
PK 15	In this house lived and worked Agnieszka Osiecka – Polish poet and song writer. What is the shape of the plaque on the house?
PK 16	This plaque commemorates painter Jan Cybis. What color is the painter’s name on this plaque?
PK 17	This plaque commemorates Leonard Sempoliński (photographer, son of Jacek Sempoliński). What is the object held by a person visible on this plaque?
PK 18	This is a monument to Agnieszka Osiecka located on Francuska Street, main street of Saska Kępa. How many sheets of paper “are lying” on the table at which she is seated?

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