

# PIERZAK

## 5th of September 2021

The Lublin Open Air Village Museum invites visitors to take part in **the Pierzak** event on Sunday afternoon, the **5th of September 2021, between 2:00 pm and 3:00 pm**. This event is a reference to the old communal work once performed by village housewives. It will be a performance in the spirit of amateur folk theatre.

*On a late autumn afternoon in one of the Chełm Land villages, a group of women are tearing feathers. Every year this was done quietly, but on this day, unexpectedly, the following people appear in the room on the trot: a beggar with some stories from the world, a couple of Jewish itinerant traders and a beau with his cat and they all are about to blow feathers all over the room.*

The performance entitled "*Pierzaki kumowskie*" will be performed by *the Kumowianki* group from Kumów, volunteers, friends of the Lublin Open Air Village Museum and students of Zespół Szkół nr 12 in Lublin.

**Event location: the Roztocze sector right next to the homestead from Teodorówka.**

\* **The Pierzak** - was a long-standing Polish tradition. In winter, girls and married women got together to pluck goose feathers for pillows and comforters.

Źródło: <https://skansen.lublin.pl/?p=19904>