

Losie Kermesh 2011 (70 years, 1941-2011)

- Date:** Sunday, August 28, 2011 Noon to 6:00 p.m.
- Location:** Campground 70, one mile north of Bentleyville, Pa.
(between Washington & Belle Vernon, Pa.)
Turn off Exit 32-B on I-70 and follow the "Kermesh" signs
Joe & Diana Perun, proprietors, (724) 239-2737
- Admission:** Bring a covered dish and any genealogical information that you wish to share. Genealogists will be present with records from the entire area.

The Losie Kermesh (picnic/celebration) is for Lemko descendants representing villages from the northern slope of the Carpathian Mountains in present-day southeastern Poland and formerly (until 1918) the province of Galicia, Austro-Hungarian Empire:

Bielanka	Blechnarka	Brunary	Czarna	Dolina
Hanczowa	Jazkowa	Klimkowka	Kunkowa	Leszczyny
Losie	Nowica	Petna	Pryslop	Ropki
Snietnica	Stawisza	Uscie Ruskie	Wawrzka	Wysowa

The kermesh is an informal get-together to share genealogical information and photos and enjoy the day with all your Lemko cousins, old and new.

Past representation by surnames:

Barna	Choma	Dolinsky	Dudyk	Fekula	Gal
Gyza	Huratiak	Karel	Karpiak	Krill	
Krutilla	Malecki	Mitus	Monita	Nowak	
Pawlack	Perun	Popovich	Rogots	Shlanta	
Szmonchak	Telech	Trembach	Wachnowski	Woytovech	
Wozniak	Yewusiak	Youshock	Zuro	Zuraw	

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In Memoriam: Audrey Deitz (1941-2010), who was faithful to our ancestors. "I have studied the history of my people and cry every time I read and think of all the terrible things that they, the peace-loving people, had to tolerate and live through ... On Jan. 1, 1998, I made an oath to dedicate the rest of my life in finding all of my people"

Award from the Lemko Union in Poland, 2007, for preserving Lemko culture in America

