

In a Nutshell

21 AUGUST THURSDAY			
	Andreea Anghel <i>A Short History of Alarms II</i> , art installation	Goyki Park	ART BY THE BOOK
9 am – 12 pm	Bird Radio: Aleksander Hudzik, Kinga Sabak, <i>Mint Magazine</i>	Goyki 3 Art Inkubator	FESTIVAL RADIO ONLINE
11 am – 8 pm	Book Fair	Sopot Friends Square	
11 am – 12.30 pm	<i>The World Turned Upside Down: What If Things Were Different?</i> family workshop host: Marta Jankowska	Goyki Park	SOPOT BY THE BOOK FOR KIDS
11 am – 2.00 pm	<i>Bringing Characters to Life: How to Create Multi-Dimensional Literary Personalities</i> host: Agnieszka Kruk	Goyki 3 Art Inkubator	WORKSHOPS BY THE BOOK registration opens on 1 August ↗
1 pm	Workshop with Miniteka: <i>The Goat with the Bell</i> hosts: Joanna Kujawska-Frejlich, Agata Walińska	Goyki Park	SOPOT BY THE BOOK FOR KIDS
1 pm	<i>Between Languages: Multilingual Interpretations of the World</i> Jerzy Koch, Jakub Kornhauser, Agnieszka Walulik host: Dagny Kurdwanowska	National Gallery of Art in Sopot	DISCUSSIONS ↗
1.30 pm	Jakub Ćwiek <i>Topiel</i> host: Łukasz Wojtusik	Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Savior in Sopot	RETURNS ↗
3 pm	Anda Rottenberg <i>Schylek. Dziennik 2019–2022</i> host: Michał Nogaś	Goyki Park	NOGAŚ IN THE PARK ↗
3 pm	Tatiana Țibuleac <i>Grădina de sticlă</i> , Polish trans. Kazimierz Jurczak host: Magdalena Kicińska	National Gallery of Art in Sopot	DRUM BUN! ↗ ↘
3.30 pm	Aleksandra Zbroja <i>Muszę ci coś powiedzieć</i> host: Małgorzata Muraszko	Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Savior in Sopot	US ↗
4 pm	Jul Łyskawa <i>Prawdziwa historia Jeffreya Watersa i jego ojców</i> host: Paulina Małochleb	Smak Słowa Bookshop	DEBUTS ↗
5 pm	<i>Slavic Identity in Literature and Culture: Between Tradition and Modernity</i> Aleksandra Seliga, Wiktoria Korzeniewska host: Karolina Kozłowska (Karateusz)	Goyki Park	YOUNG ADULT BY THE BOOK ↗
5 pm	Cătălin Mihuleac <i>America de peste pogrom</i> , Polish trans. Kazimierz Jurczak host: Aleksander Hudzik	National Gallery of Art in Sopot	DRUM BUN! ↗ ↘
5.30 pm	Weronika Kostyrko-Ziemińska <i>Róża Luksemburg. Domem moim jest cały świat</i> host: Bernadetta Darska	Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Savior in Sopot	h/HISTORY ↗
6.30 pm	Jan Mazur <i>Simple Lines, Complex Issues</i> host: Agnieszka Czoska	Goyki Park	ABOUT COMICS ↗
7 pm	<i>Romania... A Tree at the Crossroads</i> Adrian Cioroianu, Radosława Janowska-Lascar, Bogumił Luft host: Joanna Cichocka-Gula	National Gallery of Art in Sopot	DRUM BUN!/ DISCUSSIONS ↗ ↘
8 pm	<i>Reconstruction</i> directed by Lucian Pintilie speaker: Paweł Biliński	Goyki 3 Art Inkubator	FILM BY THE BOOK
8.30 pm	Quiz by the Book host: Małgorzata Muraszko	3siostry café	MISCELLANEA registration opens on 1 August ↗

22 AUGUST FRIDAY

	Andreea Anghel <i>A Short History of Alarms II</i> , art installation	Goyki Park	ART BY THE BOOK
9 am – 12 pm	Bird Radio: Anna Dudzińska , Channel III of the Polish Radio, Magdalena Kicińska , <i>Pismo. Magazyn Opinii</i>	Goyki 3 Art Inkubator	FESTIVAL RADIO ONLINE
11 am – 8 pm	Book Fair	Sopot Friends Square	
11 am – 12.30 pm	<i>Little Fears, Big Discoveries</i> family workshop host: Marta Jankowska	Goyki Park	SOPOT BY THE BOOK FOR KIDS
1 pm	Workshop with Miniteka: <i>Fet Frumos and the Twelve Princesses</i> hosts: Joanna Kujawska-Frejlich , Agata Walińska	Goyki Park	SOPOT BY THE BOOK FOR KIDS
1.30 pm	Inga Iwasiów <i>Bambino</i> host: Marta Perchuć-Burzyńska	Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Savior in Sopot	RETURNS 
2 pm	Lavinia Braniște <i>Interior zero</i> , Polish trans. Olga Bartosiewicz-Nikolaev host: Georgina Gryboś	National Gallery of Art in Sopot	DRUM BUN! 
3 pm	Eliza Kącka <i>Wczoraj byłaś zła na zielono</i> host: Michał Nogaś	Goyki Park	NOGAŚ IN THE PARK 
3.30 pm	Maciej Pisuk <i>Staniemy się tacy jak on. Głosy z przeklętej ulicy</i> host: Anna Dudzińska	Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Savior in Sopot	US 
4 pm	Raluca Nagy <i>Teo de la 16 la 18</i> , Polish trans. Olga Bartosiewicz-Nikolaev host: Paulina Małochleb	National Gallery of Art in Sopot	DRUM BUN! 
4 pm	Patryk Zalaszewski <i>Luneta z rybiej głowy</i> host: Marta Pilarska	Smak Słowa Bookshop	DEBUTS 
5 pm	Justyna Suchecka <i>Education, Youth and the Power of Storytelling</i> host: Karolina Kozłowska (Karateusz)	Sopoteka	YOUNG ADULT BY THE BOOK 
5 pm	Maria Karpińska <i>Ucichło</i> host: Aleksander Hudzik	Goyki Park	AIR GOYKI 3 
5.30 pm	Artur Domosławski <i>Revolucja nie ma końca. Podróże w krainie buntu i nadziei</i> host: Dagny Kurdwanowska	Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Savior in Sopot	h/HISTORY 
6 pm	<i>Like One Nationalist to Another</i> Kazimierz Jurczak , Ovidiu Nahoi , Jarosław Tomasiewicz host: Monika Płatek	National Gallery of Art in Sopot	DRUM BUN!/ DISCUSSION 
6 pm	Magdalena Ujma <i>Miniatures from the History of Art</i> host: Anna Świtajska	Smak Słowa Bookshop	MISCELLANEA 
7 pm	Staged Reading of <i>Stop the Tempo</i> by Gianina Cărbunariu (Polish trans. Radosława Janowska-Lascar) directed by Piotr Jankowski	Goyki Park	DRUM BUN!/ THEATRE BY THE BOOK
7 pm	<i>Secret Trysts</i> hosts: Daria Lewicka , Jola Ronowska	Dwie Zmiany café	MISCELLANEA registration opens on 1 August 
8 pm	<i>The Death of Mr. Lăzărescu</i> directed by Cristi Puiu speaker: Paweł Biliński	Goyki 3 Art Inkubator	FILM BY THE BOOK

The Organizer reserves the right at any time to make alterations in the programme of the Event.

23 AUGUST SATURDAY

	Andreea Anghel <i>A Short History of Alarms II</i> , art installation	Goyki Park	ART BY THE BOOK
9 am – 12 pm	Bird Radio: Marta Perchuć-Burzyńska , TOKFM Radio Łukasz Wojtusik , <i>Alfabet Wojtusika</i>	Goyki 3 Art Inkubator	FESTIVAL RADIO ONLINE
11 am – 8 pm	Book Fair	Sopot Friends Square	
11 am – 5 pm	Translators on duty Polish Literary Translators Association	Goyki Park	MISCELLANEA
11 am – 12.30 pm	<i>On the Beauty of Imperfection</i> workshop for children host: Marta Jankowska	Goyki Park	SOPOT BY THE BOOK FOR KIDS
11 am – 12.30 pm	<i>Parents' Book Club: Childhood Fear, Adult Fear</i> meeting for adults <i>Why the Child is Cooking in the Polenta</i> by Aglaja Veteranyi , Polish trans. Alicja Rosenau host: Joanna Trzaska	Goyki Park	SOPOT BY THE BOOK FOR KIDS
11 am – 4.30 pm	<i>The Extraordinary Sources of Brother Makarius</i>	starting point: Sopot Museum	LITERARY URBAN GAME registration opens on 1 August ↗
12 pm – 2 pm	<i>Make a Notebook! Printing and Binding Workshop</i> hosts: Karina Lewandowska , Przemysław Konopacki	Goyki 3 Art Inkubator	WORKSHOPS BY THE BOOK registration opens on 1 August ↗
1 pm	Workshop with Miniteka: <i>The Purse with Coppers Two</i> hosts: Joanna Kujawska-Frejlich , Agata Walińska	Goyki Park	SOPOT BY THE BOOK FOR KIDS
1 pm	<i>The Genealogy of Polish Feminism: Brach-Czaina</i> Joanna B. Bednarek , Agnieszka Graff , Sławomira Walczewska host: Paulina Małochleb	National Gallery of Art in Sopot	DISCUSSIONS Eg
1.30 pm	Daniel Odija <i>Pusty przelot</i> host: Przemysław Rydzewski	Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Savior in Sopot	RETURNS Eg
3 pm	Elżbieta Łapczyńska <i>Mowa chleba</i> host: Michał Nogaś	Goyki Park	NOGAŚ IN THE PARK Eg
3 pm	Ana and Eduard Dragu <i>Măini cuminți</i> , Polish trans. Dominik Małecki host: Marta Perchuć-Burzyńska	National Gallery of Art in Sopot	DRUM BUN! Eg
3.30 pm	Dorota Borodaj <i>Szkodniki</i> host: Ana Matusievič	Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Savior in Sopot	US Eg
4 pm	Weronika Stencel <i>Obituaranci</i> host: Joanna Borowik	Smak Słowa Bookshop	DEBUTS Eg
5 pm	<i>Love by the Book: Storylines That Captivate Readers</i> Izabela Górśka (Książkowa Baba), Nela Mańkowska (Culturomaniaczka) host: Karolina Kozłowska (Karateusz)	Goyki Park	YOUNG ADULT BY THE BOOK Eg
5 pm	Cristian Teodorescu <i>București, marea speranță</i> , Polish trans. Radosława Janowska-Lascar host: Agata Passent	National Gallery of Art in Sopot	DRUM BUN! Eg
5.30 pm	Joanna Wilengowska <i>Król Warmii i Saturna</i> host: Weronika Morawiec	Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Savior in Sopot	h/HISTORY Eg
6 pm	Staged reading of <i>Disappearances</i> by Elise Wilk (Polish trans. Joanna Kornaś-Warwas) directed by Mira Mańka	Scena Kameralna at Wybrzeże Theatre	THEATRE BY THE BOOK
6.30 pm	<i>Joking with Dragons: On Humour in Fantasy Literature</i> Marta Kisiel , Łukasz Kucharczyk host: Marcin Zwierchowski	Goyki Park	ABOUT SF/FANTASY Eg
7 pm	Bogdan-Alexandru Stănescu <i>Abraxas</i> , Polish trans. Kazimierz Jurczak host: Michał Nogaś	National Gallery of Art in Sopot	DRUM BUN! Eg
7 pm	Festival Book Club moderators: Daria Lewicka , Jola Ronowska	Dwie Zmiany café	MISCELLANEA
8 pm	<i>Crulic: The Path to Beyond</i> directed by Anca Damian speaker: Paweł Biliński	Goyki 3 Art Inkubator	FILM BY THE BOOK

24 AUGUST SUNDAY

	Andreea Anghel <i>A Short History of Alarms II</i> , art installation	Goyki Park	ART BY THE BOOK
9 am – 12 pm	Bird Radio: Maciej Makselon, Agata Passent , <i>Polityka</i> weekly/ Channel I of the Polish Radio	Goyki 3 Art Inkubator	FESTIVAL RADIO ONLINE
11 am – 6 pm	Book Fair	Sopot Friends Square	
11 am – 12.30 pm	<i>Sleepy Dream-Spirations</i> workshop for children host: Marta Jankowska	Goyki Park	SOPOT BY THE BOOK FOR KIDS
11 am – 12.30 pm	Parents' Book Club: <i>Why and How It's Worth Talking About Emotions</i> workshop for adults <i>Why the Child is Cooking in the Polenta</i> by Aglaja Veteranyi , Polish trans. Alicja Rosenau host: Joanna Trzaska	Goyki Park	SOPOT BY THE BOOK FOR KIDS
11 am – 2 pm	<i>Turning Prose into Script</i> workshop on adapting literature for the screen host: Agnieszka Kruk	Goyki 3 Art Inkubator	WORKSHOPS BY THE BOOK registration opens on 1 August
12 pm – 3 pm	Translators on duty Polish Literary Translators Association	Goyki Park	MISCELLANEA
12 pm	Agnieszka Jelonek <i>Koniec świata, umyj okna</i> host: Hanna Łozowska	Scena Kameralna at Wybrzeże Theatre	RETURNS 
1 pm	Workshop with Miniteka: <i>At Dracula's Castle</i> hosts: Joanna Kujawska-Frejlich, Agata Walińska	Goyki Park	SOPOT BY THE BOOK FOR KIDS
1.30 pm	Lucian Dan Teodorovici <i>Celelalte povești de dragoste</i> , Polish trans. Radosława Janowska-Lascar host: Łukasz Wojtusik	National Gallery of Art in Sopot	DRUM BUN! 
2 pm	Maciej Siembieda <i>Sobowtór</i> host: Marzena Bakowska	Smak Słowa Bookshop	ABOUT CRIME FICTION 
2 pm	Andrzej Dybczak <i>Las duchów</i> host: Dorota Karaś	Scena Kameralna at Wybrzeże Theatre	h/HISTORY 
3 pm	Paweł Sołtys <i>Sierpień</i> host: Michał Nogaś	Goyki Park	NOGAŚ IN THE PARK 
3.30 pm	Oleg Serebrian <i>Woldemar</i> , Polish trans. Radosława Janowska-Lascar host: Dagny Kurdwanowska	National Gallery of Art in Sopot	DRUM BUN! 
4 pm	Radosław Kobierski <i>Na wulkanie</i> host: Marta Pilarska	Scena Kameralna at Wybrzeże Theatre	US 
4 pm	Zofia Lorek <i>Stany przejściowe</i> host: Przemysław Rydzewski	Smak Słowa Bookshop	DEBUTS 
5 pm	<i>The Book Podcast Phenomenon – How Audio Is Changing the Way We Talk About Literature</i> Nikola Mańdok (Doktor Book) host: Karolina Kozłowska (Karateusz)	Goyki Park	YOUNG ADULT BY THE BOOK 
5.30 pm	Joanna Kornaś-Warwas, Doris Mironescu <i>Max Blecher: Collected Works</i> (Polish trans. Joanna Kornaś-Warwas) host: Georgina Gryboś	National Gallery of Art in Sopot	DRUM BUN! 
6 pm	<i>The Unbroken or the Realists? The Polish Anti-communist Underground without Pathos</i> Śławomir Poleszak, Rafał Wnuk host: Marcin Zaremba	Scena Kameralna at Wybrzeże Theatre	MARIAN TURSKI HISTORICAL AWARD FROM POLITYKA WEEKLY 
6 pm	<i>O Que Podem as Palavras/What Words Can Do</i> , directed by Luísa Sequeira, Luísa Marinho speaker: Anna Działak-Szubińska	Goyki 3 Art Inkubator	SOPOT BY THE BOOK 2026 PORTUGUESE LANGUAGE EDITION
6.30 pm	Katarzyna Boni <i>Którędy do wyjścia?</i> host: Magdalena Kicińska	Goyki Park	MISCELLANEA PREMIERE 
8 pm	<i>I Do Not Care If We Go Down in History as Barbarians</i> directed by Radu Jude speaker: Paweł Biliński	Goyki 3 Art Inkubator	FILM BY THE BOOK