



THE FLORIAN CEYNOWA CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY IN RUMIA

Consists of the main library and three branches situated in different parts of the city.

Each branch provides books for various age groups, computer stations with internet access, rooms for reading newspapers, and special spaces for adults, children, and youth.



The Culture Station is the headquarters of the City Public Library in Rumia and is the first facility of its kind in Poland to be opened at an active railway station. It has initiated a new trend of revitalizing stations for cultural purposes.

In addition to library activities, the Culture Station hosts various cultural events, e.g. author meetings where different guests from the world of art, science, and culture are invited to. Conferences, concerts, festivals, exhibitions, and workshops—whether theatrical, artistic, or photographic—offer various activities for children and seniors.



Janowo Library – located in the largest district of Rumia. It invites readers not only to access the book collection and computer stations, but also to visit Book Discussion Club and the gallery containing art exhibitions full of paintings, photographs, and sculptures. Local artists often present their works in this space.

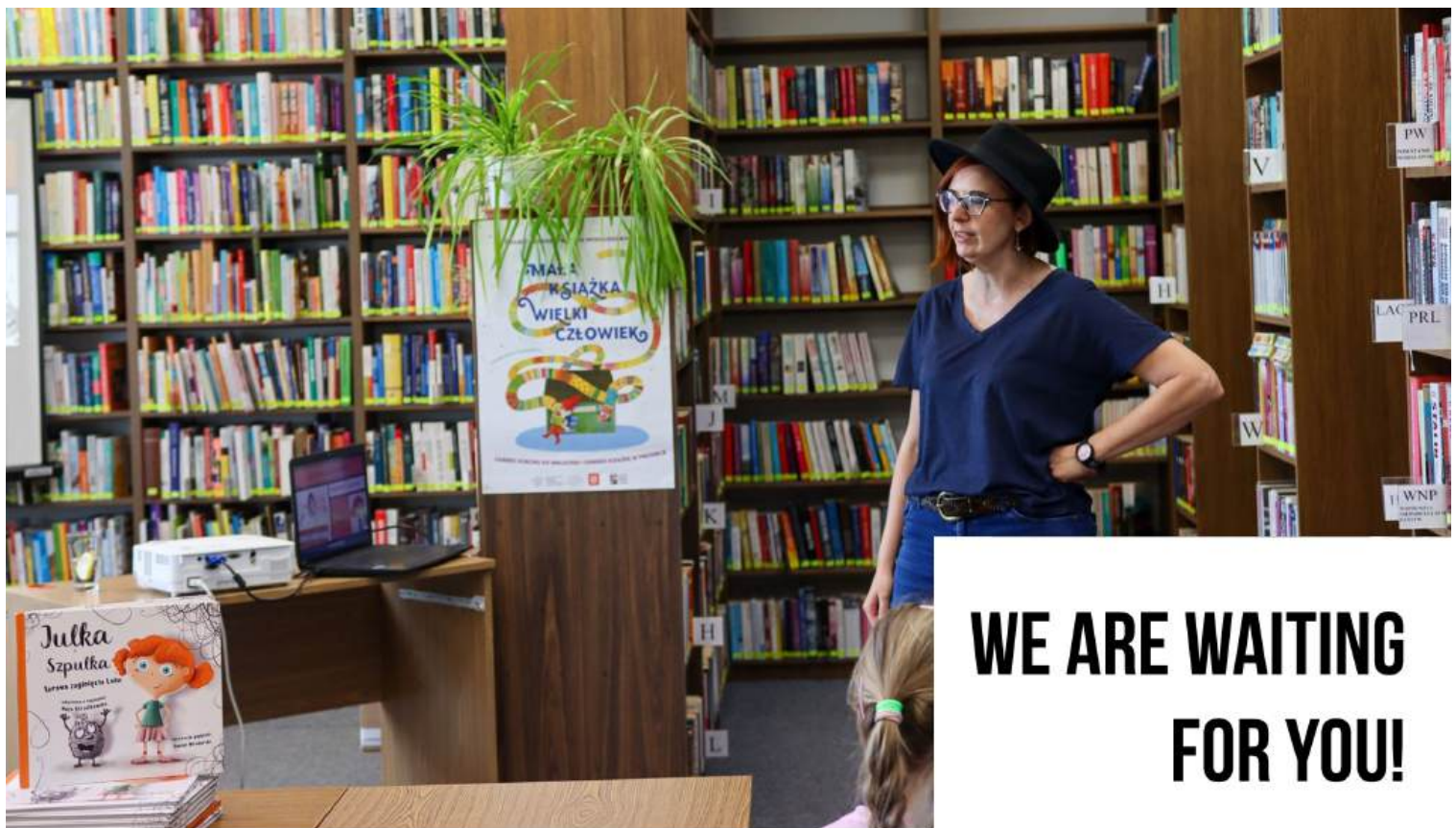
This is the library where most of your volunteering will take place, and Wednesdays are usually busy days! During winter, the library organizes concerts and workshops, while in summer, there will be activities in the park with children.



Kashubian Library – situated in the historical center of Rumia, this branch has a long history and, after several relocations, has found its permanent home in a renovated building of the 19th century. Readers are welcomed to explore its book collection and attend its various events. Thanks to a book drop box located in front of the building, our readers have the opportunity to lend and borrow items even out of the regular opening hours.



Zagórze Library – located near the primary school, in addition to its ordinary activities, offers its space for exhibitions, concerts, and creative workshops. Zagórze is a welcoming place for children and young people, who come here to take a rest after school.



**WE ARE WAITING
FOR YOU!**

We are inviting a volunteer to join mainly – the Janowo Library, with possibility to help in Cultural Station branch. Volunteer should take a training related to GDPR, familiarizing themselves with library operations. Additionally, they learn about the work of the collection and cataloging departments, as well as the promotion department of the library. The main task of the volunteer is to assist to the book lending section and perform various library tasks.

The volunteer follows a predetermined schedule and carries out their work on the same principles as the librarians:

Familiarizing with the arrangement of the books at Janowo Library;

Learning the principles of book description. Describing and stamping new books;

Registering new books into the library system;

Maintaining an aesthetic and alphabetical arrangement of books on the shelves;

Checking out and receiving returned books from the visitors of the library.

Volunteer can participate in cultural events offered by Janowo Library, assist with photo/video documentation. If the volunteer have ideas for cultural events or workshops, they can implement their projects with the assistance of the promotion department. In addition, volunteer help adapting the library space for authors' meetings, concerts, and exhibitions.



What benefits will a volunteer gain?

Familiarization with Polish literature, art, and culture;

Understanding the publishing industry in Poland;

Gaining confidence in interacting with people, who do not speak volunteer's native language;

Learning the complexity of a librarian's work;

Participating in cultural events offered by the library;

Creating a personal project.

Who are we looking for? We are seeking an individual who is:

Open to learning;

Interested in literature, culture, and art;

Sociable, can deal with obstacles relating to the language barriers;

Innovative, creative, and punctual;

Comfortable in silent and calm environment, as well as in unexpected situations when quick reaction is needed.



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