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EcoBazaar 2.0: Miedzno Exchanges for Nature



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When: 18 June 2026, 9:00 – 17:00

Where: Volunteer Fire Brigade in Miedźno, ul. Filipowicza 5, Miedźno

Hosts: **Ewelina Stobiecka**, Mayor of the Miedźno Municipality, **Urszula Tokarska**, eco-manager of the Miedźno Municipality

The initiative is an official EU Green Week Partner Event.

Can items that are no longer needed in one home become valuable resources for someone else? EcoBazaar 2.0: Miedźno Exchanges for Nature proves that the answer is definitely yes. This unique event combines the idea of reusing items with building a strong local community and promoting a nature-positive economy.

The initiative forms part of activities aligned with the theme of this year's EU Green Week – "Investing in a nature-positive economy", highlighting that investing in nature often begins with everyday decisions made by residents. One of the simplest and most effective of these actions is extending the life of objects by giving them a second use.

Before the main event, collection points will be organised in local schools and at the Municipal Office in Miedźno, where residents will be able to donate items they would like to pass on for reuse. Participants will be encouraged to bring clothes in good condition, books, toys, small household items and plant seedlings. Instead of ending up forgotten in drawers or becoming waste, these items will gain a second life in the hands of new owners.

The culmination of the initiative will be an open community event, where residents will exchange items, discover second-hand treasures and give everyday objects a new story. The eco-bazaar is not only an environmentally responsible solution but also an opportunity for residents to meet, cooperate and support efforts to reduce waste and save natural resources.

For younger participants, creative workshops organised in cooperation with the Municipal Cultural Centre will take place under the motto "Create Something from Nothing." During these activities children will learn that objects which may seem unnecessary can become materials for imaginative creations. The workshops will demonstrate in practice the concept of upcycling – creatively transforming used materials into new and useful items.

EcoBazaar 2.0 in Miedźno shows that investing in nature does not always require large financial investments. Sometimes it simply means sharing what we no longer need, limiting excessive consumption and building a local economy based on resource sharing and responsible use of materials. Even small local initiatives like this contribute to creating a more sustainable future.

The event is organised as part of the project "Silesia. Blue Sky Restored".



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