

## Bansko Event Calendar Summer 2012

	Date	Event	Additional information
	7th April - 4th November 2012	Golf Tournaments	Series of <b>golf tournaments</b> . Keen golfers could practice and improve their skills on one of the <b>biggest and most impressive golf academies</b> in Central and Eastern Europe.
<b>АБВ</b> ГДЕ ЖЗИЙКА	24th May 2012	Education and Culture Day Day of the Slavic Heritage	Traditional <b>celebrations</b> and <b>concerts</b>
	26-27 May 2012	International Festival for Authentic Folklore "Between Three Mountains"	Music and dance groups present authentic Bulgarian folklore
	10th June 2012	Pirin Run 2012	Mountain running and biking race.  Participation is unlimited, all professionals and mountain lovers are welcome.
	June 2012	Celebrating Bansko Traditions	Yearly Baskonian traditions Festival showcased in the <b>picturesque setting</b> of the Bansko village. Ethnographic and culinary <b>exhibitions</b> , exhibitions of fine and applied arts, thematic evenings, dedicated to the humour of Bansko, <b>songs</b> , customs.





	1st - 7th July 2012	Summer Theatre Festival	The annual summer <b>Theatre festival</b> offers an excellent opportunity for all guests and residents of the <b>resort</b> to enjoy the most interesting <b>plays</b> during the year with the best <b>Bulgarian actors</b> .
	28th - 29th July 2012	"Road to Nowhere"	Annual <b>mountain bike rally</b> . Participation is <b>unlimited</b> .
	4th-5th August 2012	Pirin Sings 2012	XIII Folk Festival "Pirin Sings 2012" will take place in the Predel area and will mark the 50 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of the first edition in 1962.
	4th - 11th August 2012	XV International Jazz Festival Bansko	One of the most significant musical events in Bulgaria. Traditionally, the program features styles and groups representing almost all jazz trends. The evening concerts are free and draw huge crowds to the open-air stage on the town square. After-parties, luncheon barbeques and jazz cafés are also organized.
Opera	31st August - 1st September 2012	Bansko Opera Fest 2012	Experience the Opera Festival in Bansko. Observe open-air "The Barber of Seville" and some of the greatest opera arias.





A SEMISHMETO DE AMARIA	6th September 2011	Unification Day of Bulgaria	Traditional <b>celebrations</b>
	22nd September 2011	Independenc e Day of Bulgaria	Traditional <b>celebrations</b>
	5th October 2012	Liberation of Bansko	Traditional <b>celebrations</b>
	November 2012	International Art Festival "Morning Star"	Within three days more than one thousand girls and boys will compete in <b>categories</b> – modern, character dances and national <b>dances</b> , hip-hop, break dance, street dance, art, <b>folklore</b> , pop music, poetry, theatre etc.
MOUNTAIN F I L M F E S T	November 2012	Bansko Film Fest	Famous <b>alpinists</b> , travelers, explorers, <b>adventurers</b> and film authors in the program of Bansko Film fest.

