

# "BALALAIKA"

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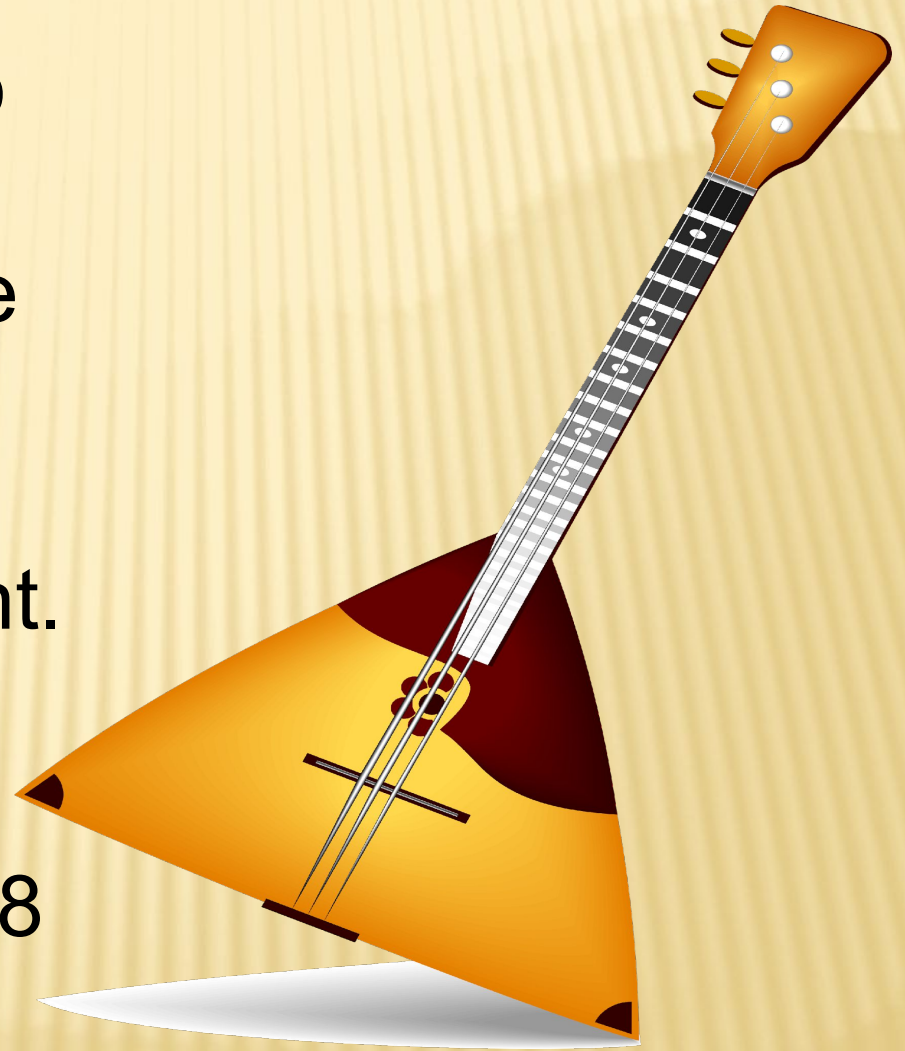
# BALALAIKA IS...

- Russian folk musical instrument. It is triangular and has 3 strings. This instrument became a symbol of the Russian people. Nobody knows when it appeared. But considered to be that a balalaika started to use at the end of XVII century.



# HISTORY OF THIS MUSIC UNSTRUMENT

Modern balalaika looks so because the musician - Vasily Andreyev and some masters improved it in 1883. Balalaika is a very popular musical instrument. It is used for solo and ensemble musical compositions. 20 Mar 1888 in St. Petersburg the first balalaika players performed on the stage.





# SOME FACTS

- Pushkin, Lermontov, Varlamov, Gurilev, Tchaikovsky, Rimsky-Korsakov, Tolstoy, and Gorky liked listen to balalaika.
- Andreyev created a "Club playing the balalaika", which later became a balalaika orchestra.
- Later at Paris and St. Petersburg exhibitions, balalaikas, that was made by S. I. Nalimovym, get a Large gold medal.





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