

# The Genoese Helmet



- Each summer, the territory of Sudak fortress hosts the International Knights Festival "Genoese Helmet". The aim of the festival is the revival of sporting, cultural and historical traditions of the Middle Ages, the maintenance of world traditions of knights' festivals and promotion of historical tourism, organizing exciting spectacle and the rise of the prestige of the Crimea as a major international tourist center.



- The participants of the festival are historical reconstruction clubs. They thoroughly study the art of war, armor, weapons, fun and, of course, the tradition of the Middle Ages. Every costume here is a reflection of the era.



- For the participants the festival is a chance to show themselves in all their glory, to communicate with peers from other cities and countries, to touch the history and to become a little stronger and better.



The "Genoese Helmet" gives you the opportunity to experience the unique atmosphere of the Middle Ages, try medieval costumes and armor, learn pottery and blacksmith's craft, to take part in a medieval amusements, archery and crossbow, take part in competitions; feel part of the action that is happening around and take home vivid memories about the holiday, sea souvenirs and special atmosphere of the Middle Ages in the colorful pictures.

