

Kostroma region in the alphabetical order



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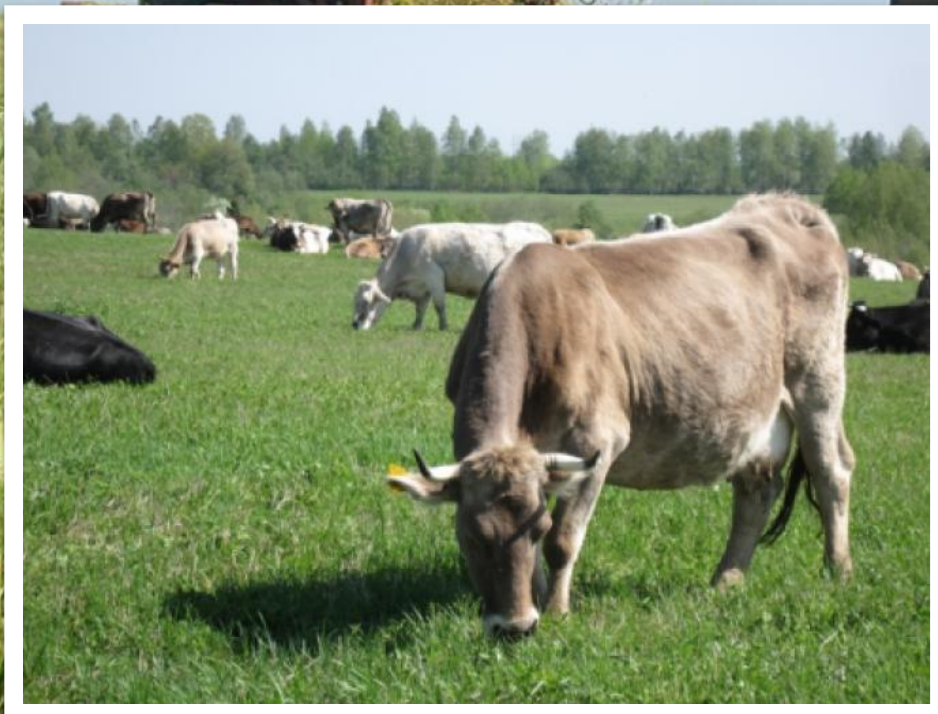
I want you to learn more about our native region. This presentation will help you. Please press any letter you like in the ABC and read new information.

Good luck!

A B C D E F G
H I J K L M N
O P Q R S T U
V W X Y Z

Final

**Agriculture is widely developed.
It is presented by such branches as
plant-growing (potatoes, grains, flax),
cattle-breeding (cows, sheep, pigs)**





**Birthday. Our region was
founded on the 13th of
August in 1944.**





Chestnaykov Efim (1874-1961), a talented Russian artist, was born not far from Kologriv. His works are known both in Russia and abroad. The most famous of them is «The generous apple». He also wrote fairy-tales, made sculptures and musical instruments.



Districts. There are 24 districts in our region. The largest are Makariev, Buy, Soligalich districts.



Education includes 1150 educational institutions: schools, professional colleges, universities. More than 200,000 students study there. They are taught by 19,000 teachers.



Forestry is one of the leading branches of industry. It has 38% of all enterprises in the region where 30% workers have a job.



Geographical position. Our region is situated in the central part of the Russian Plain. It is 372 km far from Moscow. Its area is 60,000 square km.



Hydro-power station is situated in Volgorechensk and gives 2% of electricity in Russia. Its nominal capacity is 3600MW.



**Industry. Its main
branches are
machine-building, light
industry and forestry.**



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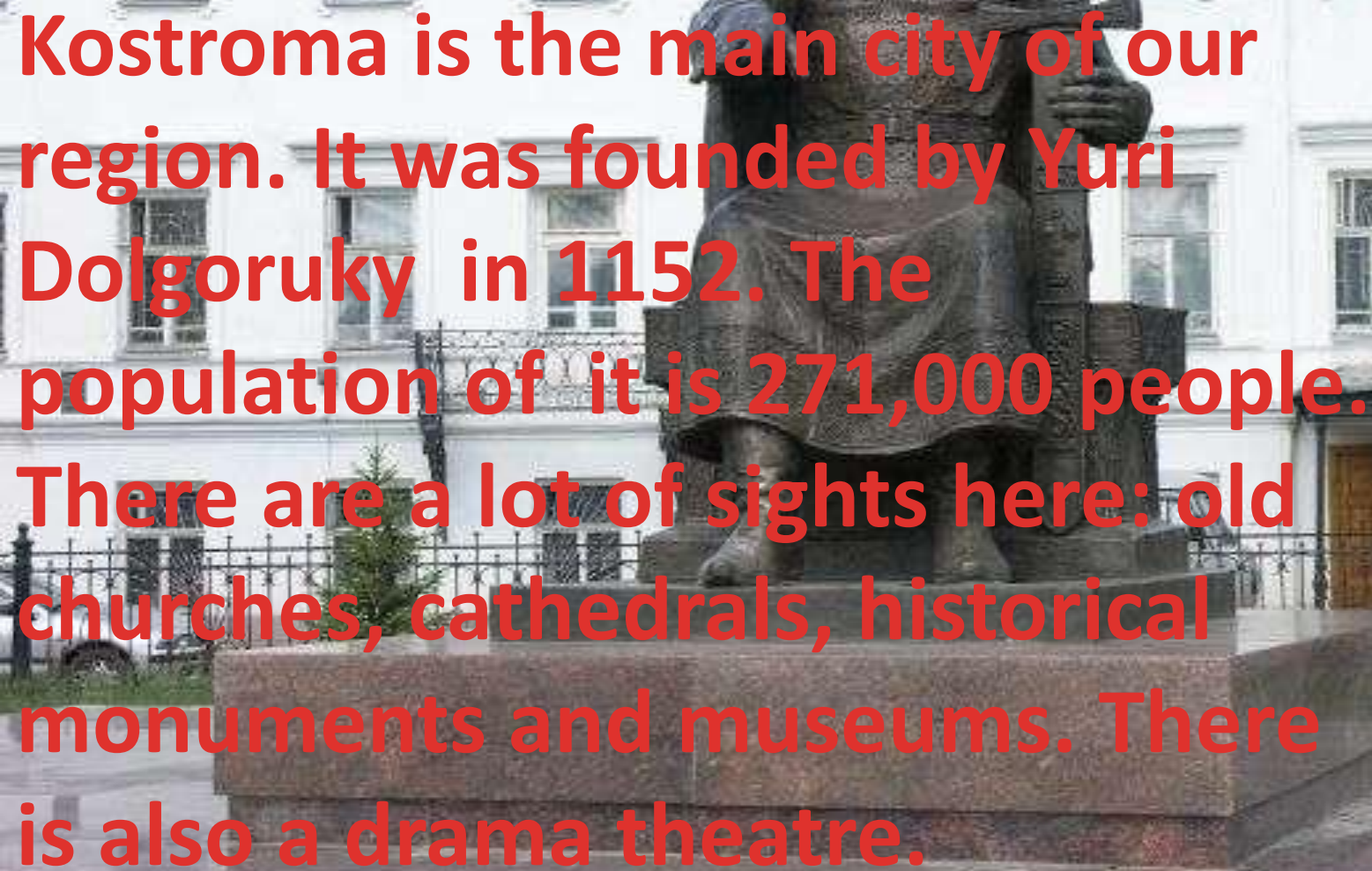


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Jewelry is a traditional craft in Kostroma and Krasnoye-on-the-Volga. Our artists create rings, earrings, chains, bracelets. Some of them are real masterpieces.





Kostroma is the main city of our region. It was founded by Yuri Dolgoruky in 1152. The population of it is 271,000 people. There are a lot of sights here: old churches, cathedrals, historical monuments and museums. There is also a drama theatre.

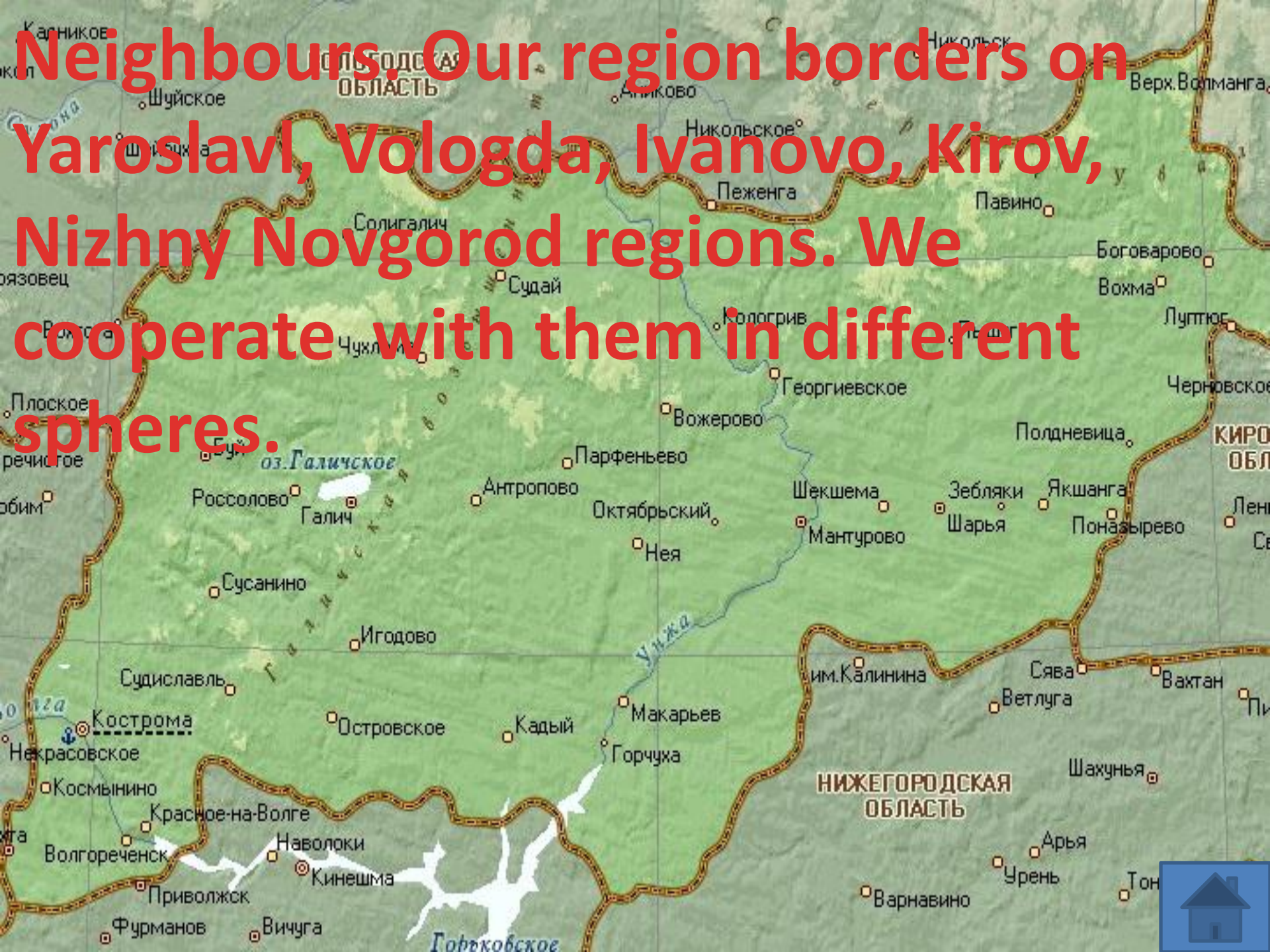


Lakes. There are 438 lakes in our region. The largest of them are lakes in Galich and Chuhloma. More than 600 tons of fish are produced there.



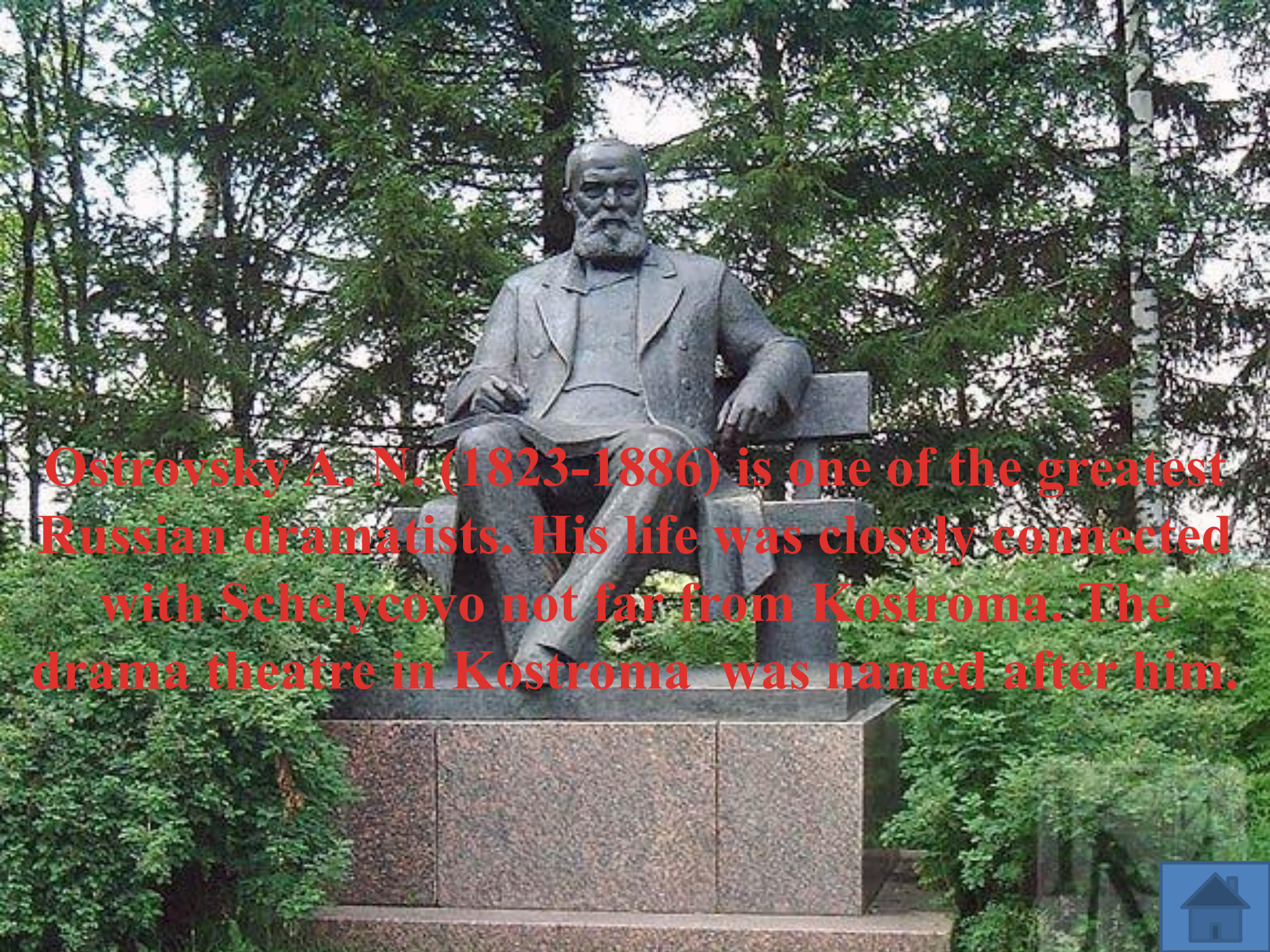
Minerals. Our region is not rich in minerals. The most widespread of them are sand, peat, clay.





Neighbours. Our region borders on Yaroslavl, Vologda, Ivanovo, Kirov, Nizhny Novgorod regions. We cooperate with them in different spheres.





Ostrovsky A. N. (1823-1886) is one of the greatest Russian dramatists. His life was closely connected with Schelycovo not far from Kostroma. The drama theatre in Kostroma was named after him.





**Population of our region is 656,400 people.
30% of them live in the country-side.**






**Quiet life. In the country-side
we can observe quiet life that
is attractive for many people
in summer.**



Rivers. There are more than 3,000 rivers in our region. The longest of them is the Volga. There are also such rivers as the Kostroma, the Unzha, the Neya, the Vetluga. There is much fish there.

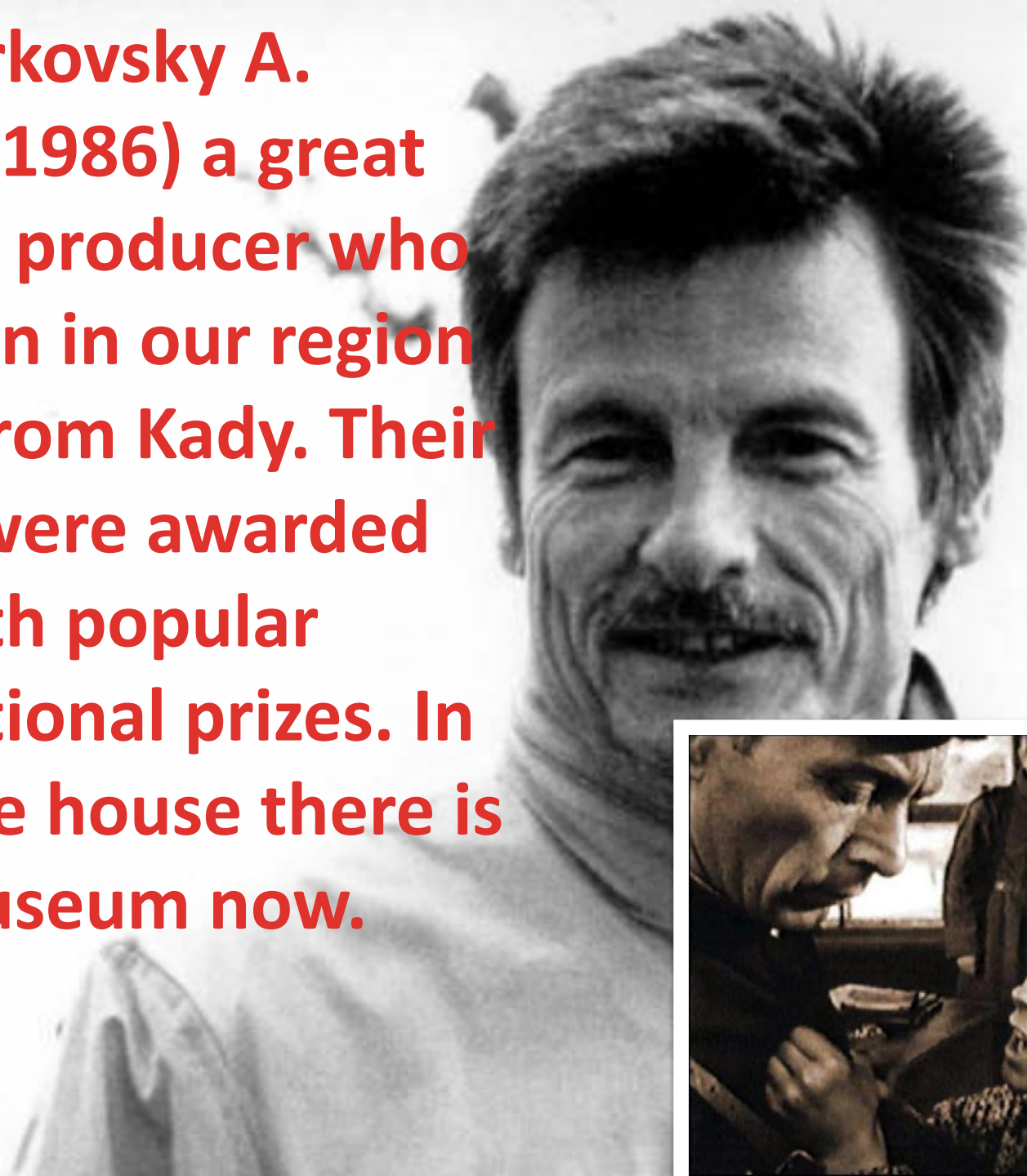




Sussanin Ivan is a patriot of our land. He brought our enemies, the Poles, into the forest and perished them. But he was killed. He became a national hero. In the center of Kostroma there is his monument.



Tarkovsky A.
(1932-1986) a great
Russian producer who
was born in our region
not far from Kady. Their
films were awarded
with popular
international prizes. In
his native house there is
a museum now.





Universities. There are 3 Universities in our region: the State University named by N. A. Necrasov, the State Technological University, the Agricultural Academy. 20,000 students study there.



The Volga is the longest river. It has a length of 89 km on the territory of our region.





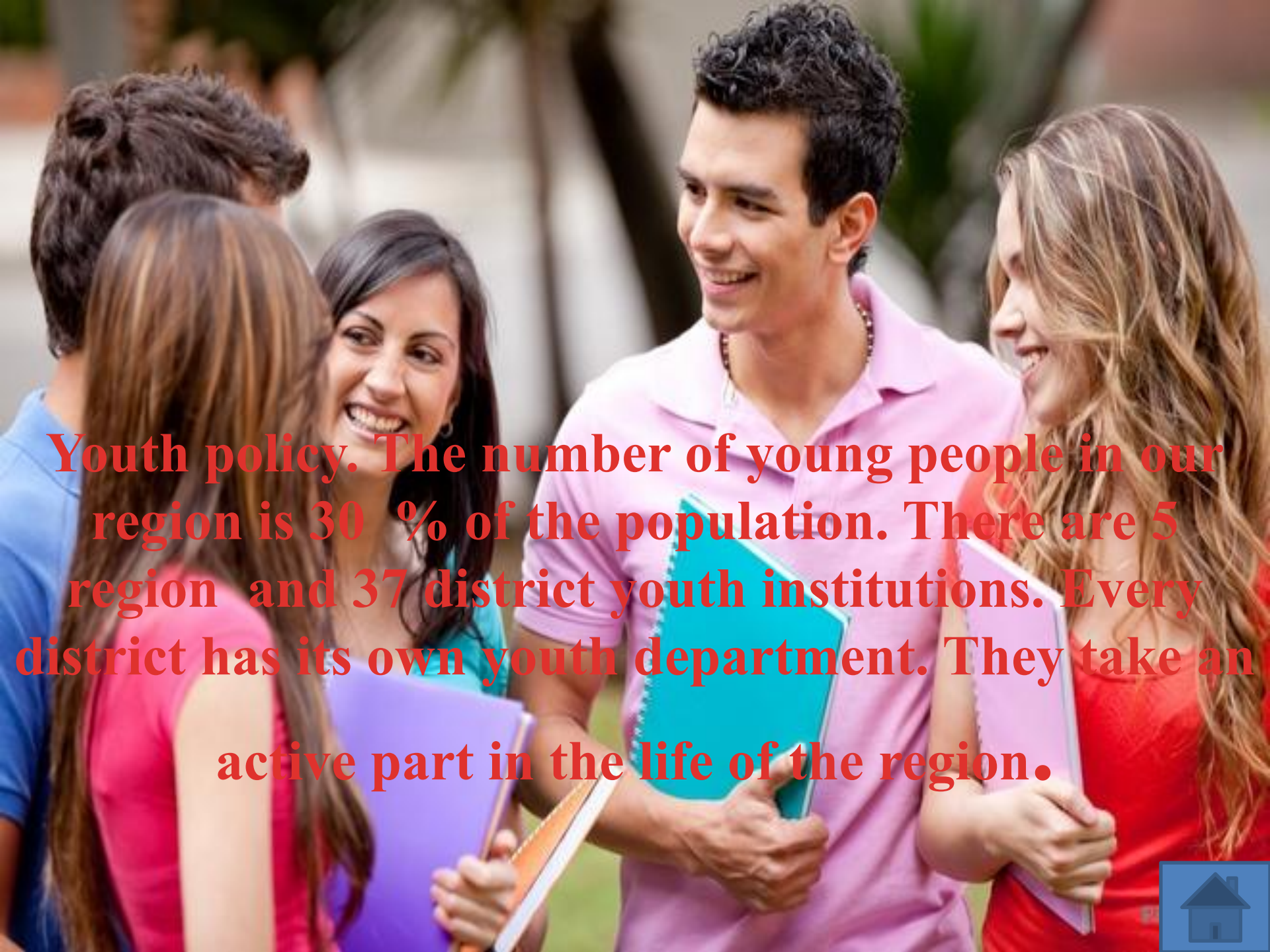
Wild animals live in the forest. They are: bears, foxes, hares, wolves, elks. Hunting is a very popular hobby in our region.



A large, round, golden-brown loaf of bread, possibly a traditional regional bread, is the central focus. It has a slightly textured surface with some darker, caramelized spots. A small, clear glass dish containing a white powder, likely salt or sugar, sits on top of the loaf. The bread is placed on a white, perforated paper or cloth. The background is dark and out of focus.


Xenial
customs. Our
people are
very
hospitable, so
there are
many xenial
customs in our
region. A
round loaf is a
symbol of
hospitality.





Youth policy. The number of young people in our region is 30 % of the population. There are 5 region and 37 district youth institutions. Every district has its own youth department. They take an active part in the life of the region.



A photograph of an ostrich in a snowy enclosure. The ostrich is the central focus, standing behind a chain-link fence. It has a long neck and a large, dark, shaggy body. The ground is covered in snow, and there are wooden posts and a small wooden structure in the background. The text is overlaid in red on the lower half of the image.

Zoo is situated in Kostroma. It is not very big but attractive for children and adults. You can see bears, foxes, deer, wild boars, ostriches and many birds there.



Choose the right variant:

- 1. A round loaf is a symbol of
a) kindness b) hospitality c) love**
- 2. Sussanin became a national hero in the
a) 17th century b) 18th century c) 19th century**
- 3. There aredistricts in our region.
a) 26 b) 24 c) 23**
- 4. We celebrate a birthday of our region in
a) September b) August c) June**
- 5. The most important branch of industry is
a) forestry b) ship-building c) heavy industry**
- 6. A traditional craft in our region is
a) ceramics b) embroidering c) jewelry**
- 7. Andrey Tarkovsky was a famous
a) poet b) producer c) singer**
- 8. Our region doesn't border on
a) Ivanovo b) Vologda c) Moscow regions**
- 9. Kostroma was founded by
a) Peter the Great b) Yuri Dolgoruky c) Ivan the Terrible**
- 10. Hydro-power station is situated in
a) Galich b) Kostroma c) Volgorechensk**

Key :

1-b, 2-a, 3-b, 4-b, 5-a, 6-c, 7-b, 8-c, 9-b, 10-c

Welcome to our region!

