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## From Bulgaria to Boston: Discover the Bulgarian Community in the Boston Area and How It Celebrates Its History, Culture and Traditions

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### The Bulgarian Center of New England

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### Links and Local Resources

- Bulgarian Center of New England (BCNE) - 310 River Street, Billerica, MA, [www.BulgarianCenter.org](http://www.BulgarianCenter.org)
- Nadia Ullman, BCNE, [nadia@BulgarianCenter.org](mailto:nadia@BulgarianCenter.org)
- Bulgarian School "St. St. Cyril and Methodius", 310 River Street, Billerica, MA, [www.bg-school.org](http://www.bg-school.org)
- Bulgarian Church St. Petka, 310 River Street, Billerica, MA, [www.svetapetkaboston.org](http://www.svetapetkaboston.org)
- Bulgarian American Cultural Center Madara, [www.centermadara.org](http://www.centermadara.org)
- Bulgarian Store Six Star Market, 170 Main Street, Woburn, MA, [www.sixstarmarket.com](http://www.sixstarmarket.com)
- Rose Fest - Boston, [www.facebook.com/RoseFestivalBostonUSA](https://www.facebook.com/RoseFestivalBostonUSA)
- "7/8" Bulgarian Folk Dances (dance classes for children), <https://www.facebook.com/78BulgarianDances>
- Ludo Mlado, [www.facebook.com/LudoMladoBoston](https://www.facebook.com/LudoMladoBoston)
- Tatiana Sarbinska and Divi Zheni, <https://tatianasarbinska.net/www.facebook.com/divizheni>, Zornitsa, [www.facebook.com/Zornitsa.Boston](https://www.facebook.com/Zornitsa.Boston)
- Vessela Stoyanova and Samodivi, [www.samodivi.band/](http://www.samodivi.band/)
- Zdravets, <http://zdravets.com/>
- Elena Mancheva, Balkan E Boston, [www.facebook.com/BalkanExpressBoston](https://www.facebook.com/BalkanExpressBoston)

### Do not miss! (Nadia's artsy picks)

1. Elena Belin, **Draw to Grow Art Studio for Kids**, Burlington, MA: [www.facebook.com/DrawToGrow/](https://www.facebook.com/DrawToGrow/)
2. Mirena Chavdarova, **Photographer**, prints at 160 Boylston St. Boston and [www.etsy.com/shop/FotoKalia?ref=seller-platform-mcnav](https://www.etsy.com/shop/FotoKalia?ref=seller-platform-mcnav)
3. **Happy Events International Photo Studio**, Framingham, MA: <http://hei-photography.com/>
4. Nelly Toncheva-Nelinda, **author and artist**:  
[www.ronesaaveela.com](http://www.ronesaaveela.com) and [www.nelindaart.com](http://www.nelindaart.com)  
[www.Facebook.com/BulgarianRituals](https://www.facebook.com/BulgarianRituals)
5. Elena Koleva, **Jazz**:  
<https://elenakoleva.com/>,
6. Plamen Karadonev, **Folk-inspired jazz**:  
<https://plamenkaradonev.com/>

## Six Bulgarian folklore and other films and videos

1. **Tutorial** and special greetings from our friends at **"7/8" Bulgarian Folk Dances** (<https://www.facebook.com/78BulgarianDances>)
2. Living Heritage Project 2008 (minorities' folk influence): <https://youtu.be/AYqXdKc1Z2s>
3. Great videos and tips from FOREIGNER.Bg on <https://www.foreigner.bg/> and on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/www.foreigner.bg](http://www.facebook.com/www.foreigner.bg)
4. Plamen Petkov's film 49,172 about the saving of the Bulgarian jews can be found here: <https://filmfreeway.com/PlamenPetkov>
5. Plamen Petkov's film "Liberators of Bulgaria" [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=t4gTryhl\\_Qk](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=t4gTryhl_Qk)
6. Bulgarian films, subtitled: <https://gledam.bg/categories/category-y0yra5tQjtA>

## Sources for the presentation:

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