



“A Taste of Russia” Class and Russian Club



“Maslenitsa”

When: **March 3, 2011, 2:15-3:15**

Where: Ritter Hall, room:222

What:

- ✓ *Learn about Maslenitsa celebration in Russia*
- ✓ *Taste the Russian bliny (pancakes)*
- ✓ *See the extract from the movies:
“The Barber of Siberia.”*



Maslenitsa (Shrovetide or Pancake/Butter Week; the word “*maslo*” means [butter](#)). It is a traditional Russian celebration (similar to Mardi Gras) before the Russian Orthodox seven-week Lent.

Before the party - Cooking session 2011

Backing *Bliny* (pancakes)



Mark Austin,



Katerina Canyon,



Dough Wright,



Theresa Reynolds,
Kathryn Smith,
Rico and Patricia Zakelj



Stephanie Rico

Table ready for Party!!!!



Bliny (pancakes) , ***pirozhki*** (little pies), ***sushki*** (small pretzels) with sour cream, jams, preserves



“Karavai” , a traditional sweet bread served to welcome guests or at birthday party

Hospitality Team



Brittany Skobel and Doug Wright ready to offer and to talk about Russian traditional food

Greeting the Guests



Katerina Canyon,
a happy hostess



“Bread & Salt” Ceremony
of welcoming guests

Class *“Taste of Russia”*



With the instructor
Dr. Natalia Makarova-Thaman
& happy guests

Learning
about
Maslenitsa



**Attentive
audience**

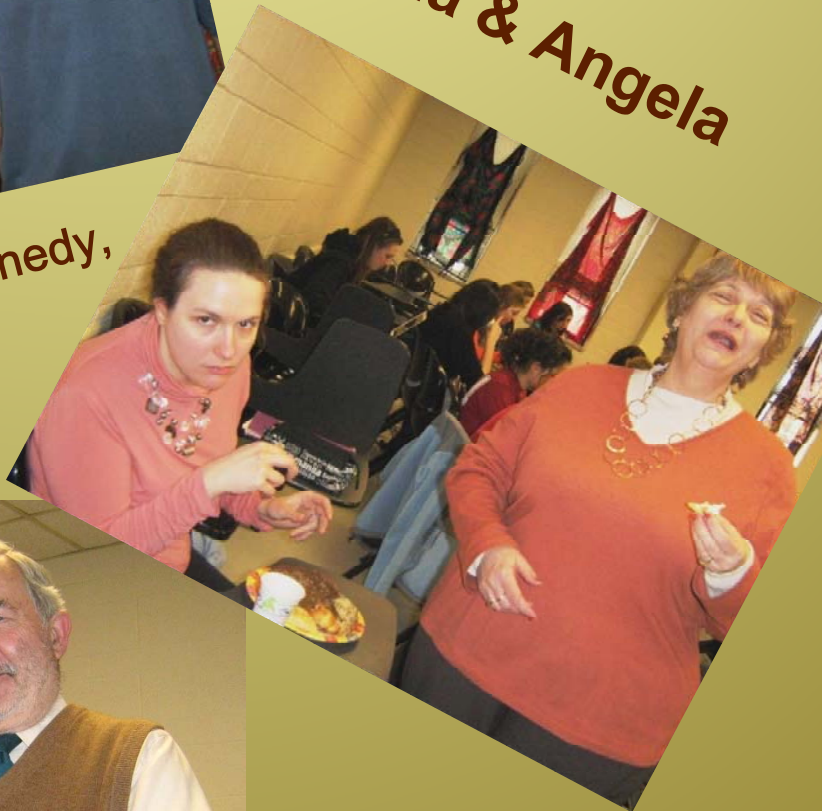


Presenters

Enjoying the Party: students, secretaries and professors



Kemal Sahin & Taylor Kennedy,



Linda & Angela



Dr. Yelena Belyaeva & Dr. David Murphy

With “*Maslena*”, the symbol of spring



Dylan Mullins & Katerina Canyon