

ONE OF THE MOST INTERESTING, EXTING HOLIDAYS OF THE YEAR

We think every person likes winter holidays very much and we like them too. It's so cheerful, wonderful, magic! That's why we make this presentation. There are various New Year traditions in Russia as the country celebrates an official and unofficial New Year. Earlier Russians used to celebrate it in September. But in 1699, Czar Peter the Great issued an order for the New Year to be celebrated on January 1 st according to the Julian calendar. From 1918, Russians celebrated the New Year on the 1st of January according to the Gregorian calendar and again on 14th of January which is the 1st of January according to the Julian calendar.

THE HISTORY

Among the most popular New Year symbols is a New Year's Tree called Novogodnaya Yolka which is topped with a bright star and decorated with various sweets.

Another popularly celebrated New Year tradition is the arrival of Ded Moroz or Father Frost and his granddaughter Snegurochka the snow girl They bring in New Year presents for good children and keep them under the New Year's Tree. Children sing a song to make Father Frost happy.



Russians also follow the tradition of listening to the New Year Speech of the President on New Year's Day..

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In conclusion we should say that when the old year is leaving our homes, each of us is a little bit upset... Every year has many fantastic emotions, bright events and amusing moments.

We wish you a happy New Year! Don't worry, Ded Moroz cares about your dreams and carries them out!!!

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