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EVENT: **SHORT BIOGRAPHY from FOLKPAL (Filip Arilon & Stojan Stojanov)**

CONNECTION: **Macedonian Folk Dances in MALMO, SWEEDEN 2024**

FOLKPAL, dedicated to the global dissemination of Macedonian folk traditions, boasts an extensive track record in professional dance education. Our organization prides itself on employing highly effective methods and pedagogy, ensuring the immersive teaching of Macedonian folk dances and music worldwide. Our motto, "Connecting People with Macedonian Folk Dance & Music," encapsulates our commitment to sharing the cultural richness with a blend of expertise and engaging pedagogical approaches.

With a passion for preserving and promoting Macedonian folk traditions, Filip Arilon is an Ethnochoreologist and adept player of Macedonian traditional musical instruments. Over the years, he dedicated himself to presenting and teaching Macedonian folk dances worldwide, serving as a cultural ambassador. As a presenter, he takes pride in showcasing the richness of our Macedonian folk-dance heritage, contributing to its global recognition.

Stojan Stojanov is a versatile music teacher and accomplished player of clarinet, saxophone, and kaval. Specializing in Macedonian folklore, he excels not only as a musician but also in accompaniment of folk-dance classes. Dedicated to imparting musical knowledge and fostering appreciation for Macedonian traditions.