



## 5th annual Festoraci Fest – Corn Cob Competition

Pipe Club Nitra invites you to a virtual global April Fools' Day competition in slow pipe smoking.



**Location:** Home competition room or anywhere else at your discretion.

**Date:** 1st April 2021

**Pipe:** own pipe, Corn Cob Pipe is preferred

**Tobacco:** own – any amount that fits into one pipe

**Tamper:** any

**Entry fee:** 0,- EUR

### Conditions of competition for gentlemen:

- **Registration of competitors:** no later than midnight on March 31, 2021 by email to: [pipeclubnitra@gmail.com](mailto:pipeclubnitra@gmail.com)
- The contestant will use any pipe of any size. Corn Cob Pipe is preferred
- He'll squeeze any amount of any tobacco into the pipe
- He will light a pipe at any time on April 1st, 2021. The recommended time is 18:00 CET when it will be possible to connect to the videoconference – see below
- To ignite tobacco, the contestant will use any number of matches during the first minute. After that, until the pipe goes out, the gentleman will not use any matches or lighter
- The contestant will measure his time with any timer
- After smoking, he sends the time achieved and his photo from the competitive smoking to the e-mail address [pipeclubnitra@gmail.com](mailto:pipeclubnitra@gmail.com). Sending a photo is voluntary. The photo will be used for a commemorative photo collage from this memorable global event.

### Important notices:

The winner is the competitor who reaches above-average time!!!

A wonderful prize in the sense of a competition is prepared for the winner!!!

From 6 p.m. CET, a Google Meet video conference will be launched. You can find a link to join the video conference at: <https://cipc.pipeclubs.com/festoraci-fest-corn-cob-competition/>



**Prize for winner:**  
Dunhill Virtual Limited Edition

**Julius Festoraczy** (1850-1906) was a well-known Nitra prankster. Festoraci was an ordinary county clerk. He strolled around town with a large hat on his head, a walking stick and an inseparable pipe. He had an unusual ability to make jokes, regardless of financial expenses and reputation. He was arrested several times for his pranks and had to pay significant fines and damages.

The Festoraci Fest – Corn Cob Competition is organized in his memory every year on the April Fools' Day.