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Visit to the Advent Markets around Itzehoe 30.11. – 05.12.2017

First draft of the programme

30th November or Friday 1st December. arrival at Hamburg airport, transfer to Itzehoe by car or minibus.

Friday 1st Dec.: in the afternoon: coffee and cake (typically German) in Glückstadt or Kellinghusen
in the evening at 7.30 p.m.: welcome dinner together with all the members of the Itzehoe Twinning Association

Saturday morning: Visit of the **Finnish Christmas** market in **Hohenlockstedt** or time in the Itzehoe town centre

afternoon: Visit to the Christmas market of the little town of **Barmstedt** (the whole town centre becomes a Christmas market)

evening: Informal get-together and bowling

Sunday: Day trip to **Lüneburg** by train (visit of the Christmas market, possibility to visit one of the interesting museums)

Monday: Trip by train to **Hamburg** (visit of the platform of "**Elbphilharmonie in Hamburgs Hafen City**", afterwards visit to the numerous Christmas markets in the city centre (**Rathausplatz, Mönkebergstraße**))

Return to Itzehoe by train

In the evening at 7.30 p.m.: farewell party for all our guests and their hosts

Tuesday: Transfer to the airport by car or minibus, if you wish.

Alternatives to these suggestions are possible if desired.

All our guests will be hosted free of charge in host families.

We are looking forward to seeing you in Itzehoe.