

«Festival of Cultures »

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Municipality of Agia Intangible Cultural Heritage

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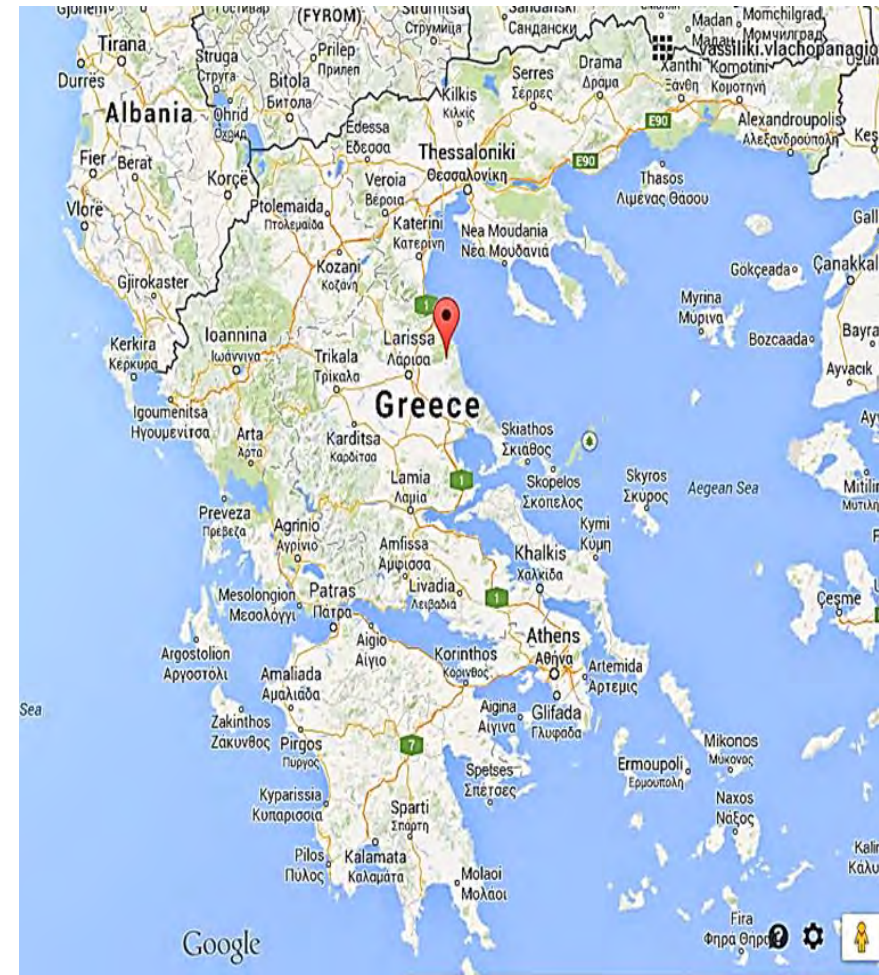
Municipality of Agia

General Characteristics

The Municipality of Agia is located in Central Greece, in the region of Thessaly, and particularly on the coast of the Prefecture of Larissa.

Population, 11.633

Total area, 668,26 km² square kilometers



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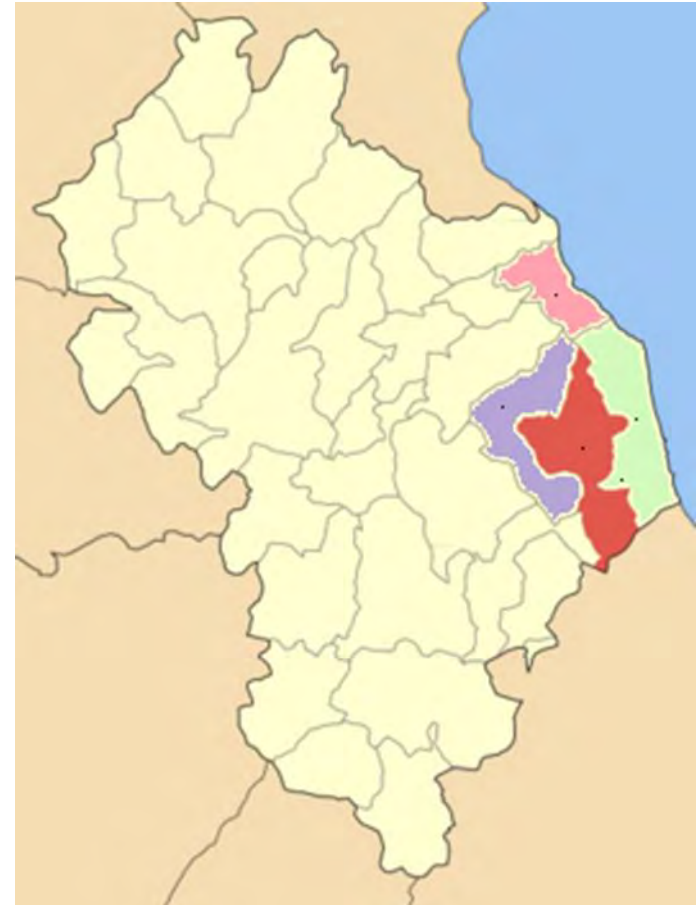
Is divided in 4 municipal units

Agia (seat of the Municipality)•

Evrimenon • Lakereias • Melivoias

homonyms Archeological sites

**It consists of 22 communities built
on two mountains Kissavos with a
height of 1.978m and Mavrovouni
with a height of 1.054m**



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It Is a rural, semi-mountainous, costal and tourist area, with

- **Presence since the prehistoric times**
- **Fertile soil with dynamic tree and arable crops**
- **Mild climate and microclimate**
- **Easy and quick access to major urban centres**
- **Mild and diverse natural environment, with altitudes 5 - 960 m**



Intangible Cultural Heritage

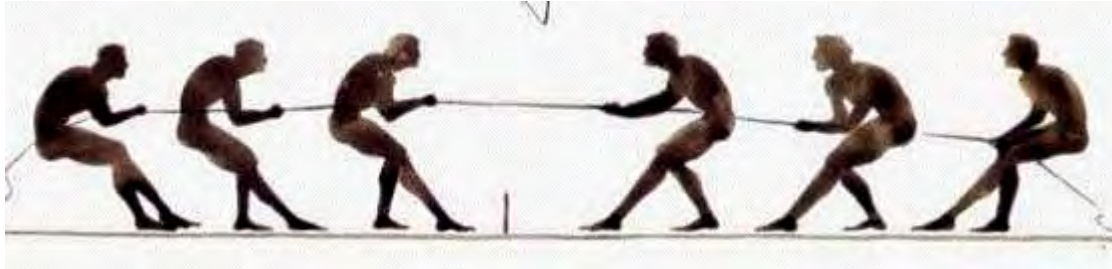
The culture in the area of Agia is based on folk culture. The intangible cultural heritage is being researched and documented. cultural associations are helping in this

The tradition and customs, practices, expressions, knowledge etc are recognized from the inhabitants and that gives them the sense of “belonging” such as :

Local language expression ντοπιολαλιά



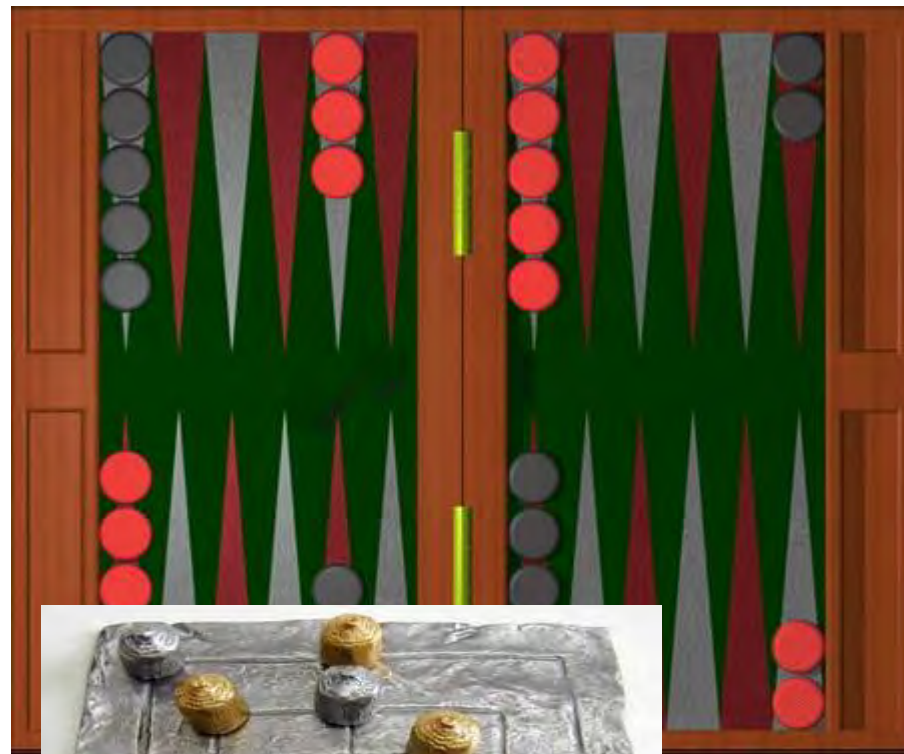
Games παιχνίδια



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Easter festival



Θρησκευτικές παραδόσεις - Πασχαλιόγιορτα



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religious customs

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feast, festivals γιορτές, πανηγύρια



cherry feast

Venue: local community Metaxohori



apple feast - traditional Agia fair

Venue: Agia



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corn feast

Venue: local community Stomio



chestnut feast

Venue: local community Metaxohori



mushroom feast

Venue: local community **Skolithro & Skiti**



sea – sardine feast

Venue: local community **Stomio**



carnival



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farming orchards and groves



ingathering



ingathering



fishing



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Making wine



tsipouro production παραγωγή τσίπουρου



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making bread



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mediterranean diet

pulses soups



mediterranean diet feta, olive oil



diet pies πίττες



spoon desserts Γλυκό κουταλιού



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soaps



hand made Easter candles, Beeswax



Pottery κεραμική



embroidery κέντημα



collection of handcrafted household items συλλογή αντικειμένων οικιακής χρήσης



collection of handcrafted agricultural tools συλλογή αγροτικών εργαλείων



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Thank you !

