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Together for Gołonóg. Apple trees, cherry trees and fragrant pines decorated residents' backyards.

Thanks to a tree planting event, organized by ArcelorMittal Poland and the NGO Green Gołonóg, residents of Gołonóg can now enjoy more than 100 trees of different types and around 300 boxwood shrubs. They will now observe and appreciate how apple trees, cherry trees and pines grow under their windows bearing fruits and cones.

- Our association organizes and initiates actions for local communities aimed at improving infrastructure, cleanliness and social activity – says Piotr Zieliński, chairman of Green Gołonóg Association. - As non-governmental organization, together with our partners like ArcelorMittal Poland, we want to give an example how to care for the environment and the greenery, which surrounds us at squares and housing estates in Dąbrowa Górnicza – he adds.

The tree planting event in Gołonóg is not the first “green action” supported by ArcelorMittal Poland. The company planted more than 600,000 trees in total and has been participating since many years in numerous initiatives of the local associations and educational institutions.

- We are pleased to be able to support the initiatives, to which residents and social activists are gladly committed to – says Sylwia Winiarek, spokeswoman of ArcelorMittal Poland. - We are keen to participate actively in community life in the cities where our plants are located – she adds.

The events we are undertaking together with the residents, and which are dedicated to them, are just one of many environmentally-friendly activities conducted by the plant in Dąbrowa Górnicza. A major investments are currently underway in ArcelorMittal Poland Unit in Dąbrowa Górnicza. They will enable to adjust the industrial installations to comply with new environmental requirements, resulting from EU directive on industrial emissions (IED), which the plant needs to meet by the middle of the year. The total value of all projects, expected to be completed this year, exceeds PLN 700 m.

- Reducing the environmental footprint of our processes is our top priority. The on-going investments will allow us to comply with the European environmental requirements on industrial emissions, and most importantly, to meet the expectations of Dąbrowa Górnicza residents in reducing our environmental footprint – says Geert Verbeeck, vice president and CEO of ArcelorMittal Poland.

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About ArcelorMittal Poland

ArcelorMittal Poland is the biggest steel producer on the Polish market with about 70% of production capacity of the Polish steel industry. The company consists of five steel plants located in Krakow, Dabrowa Gornicza, Sosnowiec, Swietochlowice and Chorzow. It also owns the largest coke plant in Europe – ZK Zdzieszowice. ArcelorMittal Poland employs over 11,000 people and over 14,000 if subsidiaries are taken into account. The company produces a wide range of long, flat, special and semi products for construction, transport and white goods industries.

The company has transformed Polish steelmaking. It has invested PLN 6 bn in modernizing every stage of the production process. Thanks to increasing H&S standards, the company has reduced its accident frequency rate by more than 90 percent. It has decreased the CO2 emissions by 25 percent, thanks to which it has become more environmentally friendly. The company is 1 of 3 companies worldwide able to produce 120 meter rails.

ArcelorMittal Poland is consistently engaged in supporting local communities by carrying out educational, health and safety programmes. The company has invested over PLN 16 m in these projects.

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Through our core values of sustainability, quality and leadership, we operate responsibly with respect to the health, safety and wellbeing of our employees, contractors and the communities in which we operate.

For us, steel is the fabric of life, as it is at the heart of the modern world from railways to cars and washing machines. We are actively researching and producing steel-based technologies and solutions that make many of the products and components people use in their everyday lives more energy efficient.

We are one of the world's five largest producers of iron ore and metallurgical coal. With a geographically diversified portfolio of iron ore and coal assets, we are strategically positioned to serve our network of steel plants and the external global market. While our steel operations are important customers, our supply to the external market is increasing as we grow.

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