# TRANSKRYPCJA NAGRAŃ

#### Zadanie 1.

Did you know that the potato chip is more than 150-years-old? In 1853, a restaurant customer at the Moon's Lake House in Saratoga Springs, New York ordered fried potatoes as part of his meal. He complained that they were too thick and sent them back to the cook.

The cook, George Crum, decided to slice the potatoes extra thin in response to this complaint. He fried them in boiling oil until they were crispy and put some salt on them – creating what we now know as a potato chip.

While Crum meant his crispy potatoes to be a snappy response to a complaining customer, his extra thin potato chips became a big hit. The chips then were known as Saratoga Chips because they were served in restaurants in Saratoga, the New York City Region. Crum left the Moon Lake Inn to start his own restaurant – the Crumbs House – and put a basket of Saratoga Chips on each table. Their popularity spread like wildfire. They soon became known, under the same name, up and down the East Coast of the United States. Later they became known simply as potato chips.

Potato chips were first available in grocery stores in 1895. They sold them from barrels or from glass display cases. But in 1926, they were given to customers in paper sacks. The creative Laura Scudder told the female employees in her family's potato chip business to take home sheets of waxed paper and to make bags out of them. The following day, the bags were filled with potato chips and closed with a warm iron. They were then delivered to shops.

The origin of the potato chip is fascinating – one customer's complaint about a bad meal resulted in the creation of America's favorite snack. Potato chips sales in the United States alone amount up to \$6 billion a year. That's about 5 billion bags with 1.6 billion kilograms of potato chips!

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## Zadanie 2.

## Speaker 1

Hobbyists often find a hidden talent or passion they didn't realize they had before. Some people, for example, started photography only to learn how to take a good photo: in the right time and in the right place. Later they found out they had always been artistic spirits and simply began to develop it. Others have done successful businesses out of their hobbies and made fortunes never before expecting to become their own bosses.

#### Speaker 2

Some hobbies make people spend a fortune. This in turn ruins their family budget and creates serious problems at home. If you truly want to enjoy your hobby without complications, don't lose yourself in it. One of the best ways to spend less on an expensive hobby is to find somebody else who enjoys the same activity and get them involved. The more people join in, the cheaper the hobby is.

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#### Speaker 3

Many hobbies are extremely time-consuming and they require a lot of attention. So make sure your hobby will not take away the time you need to spend with your children, husband or wife. To avoid this, you might as well ask your family members to come and watch you play sport or see your work on display. This way you will enjoy your hobby without ignoring your nearest and dearest.

#### Speaker 4

Some hobbies require space you might not necessarily have at home, especially when you have a large family. Before you start your hobby it is important to consider whether your house or flat is big enough for it. Think about room to work on your hobby. Even outdoor hobbies that need equipment such as hockey sticks, footballs, boots, bicycles or tents will require storage space when you're not using them.

## Speaker 5

A hobby is the easiest way to keep you in good mental shape after you're fed up with your duties at work. It will also help you escape your domestic chores. Even if your hobby is very costly, don't think about money – just feel the difference in your energy level and spirit. It will let you do more interesting things than hanging out on Facebook or watching TV and eating snacks.

### Zadanie 3.

Today we're talking with David Ford, a skateboarding fan from Derby in Britain.

Interviewer: In your opinion, how has skateboarding in the UK changed since you first started?

Ford:

The main thing that's different is the number of skate parks available to skaters these days. Skateboarding is now much more acceptable in society and seen more as a serious sport rather than something dangerous. With that, more skate parks, shops and videos are readily available. Also the Internet has helped to change skateboarding and raise the people's awareness of its rules. We can see great skaters daily through online video, which helps skateboarding grow faster than ever before.

Interviewer: How often do you skateboard?

Ford:

I would skate every day if I could. And when I'm not skating, I'm often doing something skate related, or thinking about it. But in reality I skate two or three times a week. I try to get two evenings after work and at least one entire day at the weekend.

Interviewer: When you are not skateboarding what do you do?

Ford:

I studied graphic design at university and loved it. I'm a designer now. It's what I have always wanted to do. It's great because I design all the skate stuff, from skateboards to T-shirts. You can later find these things in the local skate shop to which I sell my projects. So, I tie together my two favourite activities.

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Interviewer: Please share with us some history of 'Hooked' organization. How did it start?

Ford:

Hooked started in 2005 as a small club sponsored by the city council. Now we organize skateboarding contests for professionals, teach skateboarding and manage a team of sponsored skaters. But at the beginning we were only asked to organize some skating events for the people of Derby. We were all into skateboarding, so after a year and a half we became a serious skate organization.

Interviewer: Could you tell us a little bit about the Derby Skate Project?

Ford:

The city council had problems with people skating in the city centre and damaging council properties. Their idea was a new skate park, something different and regionally significant. Me and my friends readily got into it. The skate park has just opened at the beginning of June and more and more people are enjoying it a lot.

Interviewer: Dave, thank you very much for your time.

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