

FULL DAY EXCURSION: WEDNESDAY, 13 TH APRIL 2011

Visit the host of European Capital of Culture 2012 – Maribor and medieval town of Ptuj!



Taste of tradition, beauty and hospitality in a special part of Slovenia – where cultural and ethnological heritage take you back to the times of mighty counts ...

Maribor was named as an Alpine city in 2000 and chosen as European Capital of Culture 2012. Maribor will be also host city of the 2013 Winter Universiade.

Early in the morning departure from Laško. After passing Celje and Slovenska Bistrica we will reach Maribor, second biggest Slovenian city and another beautiful place to discover, so called capital of Štajerska region, embraced by picturesque nature. Sightseeing and walk through old part - The Liberty square, the castle, the synagogue, Main square with its Cathedral and the oldest vine in the world. A special boat trip on River Drava will give you another hour to admire this place of beauty, tradition and hospitality.

In the afternoon we will visit Ptuj - the area with a history of several thousand years marked by natural beauties and by rich cultural and ethnological heritage. After lunch we will discover the secrets of The castle, the powerful history of all its owners which is gathered in amazing museum collections. Before leaving Ptuj one more stop in the oldest wine cellar, where you will, during tasting, listen the story of wine strolling through the underground galleries.

Return to Laško.

Price: 70 EUR / min 25 participants

Included in the price:

- bus transportation
- taxes
- Maribor sight seeing with local guide
- lunch
- Ptuj castle with local guide
- Ptuj wine cellar and wine tasting
- guiding and organization

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