

PROGRAMME

DISCOVER SLOVENIA



PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS

- *Postojna Cave - number 1 tourist site of Slovenia*
- *Predjama Castle – listed in Guinness book of records as the largest cave castle in the world*
- *Piran – medieval costal town*
- *Portorož – “party town” with sandy beaches*
- *Sečovlje Salt Pans - unique saltpan landscape*
- *Bohinj – the biggest lake in Slovenia*
- *Bled - Alpine pearl with a lake, island and a castle*



DAY 1 - LJUBLJANA – POSTOJNA CAVE – PREDJAMA CASTLE – PIRAN – PORTOROŽ

THU; 29 June 2023

Breakfast and check-out from the hotel. Over the next three days you will have the opportunity to find out more about the diversity of Slovenia.

After breakfast, we will drive towards Slovenian coast and pass one of the most characteristic regions of the country – Karst Region. Firstly, by train you will enter the famous **Postojna cave**. You will also witness a fairy tale that began back in January 2016 – story of Proteus called a “little dragon”.

Lunch before heading to **Predjama Castle**.

Mysterious **Predjama** castle is situated in the middle of a towering cliff, a mere 9 km from Postojna Cave. Picturesque, magnificent, defiant and impregnable, it has been dominating the

surrounding area, perched high up in the 123-metre-high cliff, for more than 800 years. It is listed among the Guinness World Records as the largest cave castle in the world.

Full of impressions, we will depart toward coastal Slovenia, starting with a walk through picturesque medieval town of **Piran** at the tip of a peninsula. It is surrounded by a circular wall. We will discover Piran's medieval and renaissance architecture, mainly influenced by the Venetians. The town preserved its medieval structure even today with clustered narrow winding streets, houses huddled close together, rising in cascades, numerous squares and churches. It is no surprise that Piran has been declared a national historical monument.

Check in a seaside hotel in **Portorož**.

Dinner and overnight in the hotel.

SERVICES INCLUDED: entrance to Postojna Cave, lunch, entrance to Predjama Castle, city tour of Piran, dinner and one-night hotel stay

DAY 2 PORTOROŽ – SEČOVLJE SALT PANS – IZOLA - PORTOROŽ

FRI; 30 June 2023

Breakfast in the hotel. Today we will discover Slovenian coast and its hinterlands. We will start the day with a visit of the **Sečovlje Salt Pans** built in 804. In next hour and half you will learn more about the traditional salt production according to a 700-year-old method. The biggest wetland on the coast will be for sure impressive.

After the visit, we will board a boat in Portorož and for a panoramic ride along the coast. Our journey will end in **Izola**, a fishing port and another nice small historical town. Izola does have a certain Venetian charm, together with a large marina and narrow old winding streets.

Then we will continue towards heart of Slovenian Istria. Drive to a nice family-run farm, where owners will introduce you to wine making. Tasting of homemade cured ham and wine will be followed by a nice Slovenian lunch.

Drive back to the hotel, free time and time to explore **Portorož**.

SERVICES INCLUDED: entrance to the Sečovlje Salt Pans, boat ride from Portorož to Izola, wine tasting with lunch, overnight in Portorož

DAY 3 - PORTOROŽ – BOHINJ - BLEĐ

SAT; 1 July 2023

Check out from the hotel in Portorož and in just two-hours' drive you will catch a glimpse of the Julian Alps. We will drive towards the largest lake in Slovenia –Lake Bohinj.

“Bohinj is a paradise valley embraced by the Julian Alps. Lake Bohinj that lies in the heart of the Triglav National Park, one of the oldest national parks in Europe, is the largest Slovenian natural lake, nested at the foot of unspoilt mountains and mountain tops.”

In the afternoon, we will visit the Slovenian pearl – Lake Bled with its castle. We will enjoy the most beautiful view from the castle and take a traditional boat, called **Pletna**, to the only island in Slovenia. During the ride, decide what you wish for and ring the “wishing bell” in the church on the island.

Drive to **Radovljica** and visit one of the most beautiful medieval towns in the Gorenjska region – Radovljica. Farewell dinner in the local restaurant.

Overnight in a hotel in Bled.

SERVICES INCLUDED: Entrance to Bled Castle, boat ride to the island of Bled, entrance to church on the island, farewell dinner, overnight in 4* hotel

DAY 4 - BLEĐ – DEPARTURE DAY

SUN; 2 July 2023

Breakfast and check-out from the hotel.

END OF OUR SERVICES!

PROGRAMME PACKAGE	euro per person
PER PERSON IN DOUBLE ROOM Min 25 <i>guests per group</i>	595,00 euro
PER PERSON IN DOUBLE ROOM Min 20 <i>guests per group</i>	660,00 euro
SINGLE ROOM SUPPLEMENT	196,00 euro per tour

- Please send your reservation with FULL NAME, ADDRESS, DATE OF BIRTH and ROOM TYPE to manja@manja-travel.com or enjoy@manja-travel.com latest till **5 May 2023**
- Contact Manja Lilek for more information

PROGRAMME INCLUDES:

- ✓ 3 nights in selected 4* hotels with taxes included
- ✓ Professional English-speaking tour director
- ✓ Transport by a modern A/C bus as per itinerary
- ✓ Entrances and inclusions according to day-by-day programme
- ✓ **Meals:** buffet breakfast in hotel on all days
- ✓ **Meals:** 2 x lunch, 1 x dinner in hotel, 1 x wine tasting, 1 farewell dinner

NOT INCLUDED IN THE PROGRAMME:

- **Airport transfer on Day 4 – 2 July 2023**
- Tips for tour guides, waiters, porters, etc.
- Drinks with meals, if not specified otherwise in advance
- Any other services, if not mentioned

POSSIBLE ROOM TYPES:

- DOUBLE ROOM – 1 king size bed in the room, ROOM WITH SEPARATE BEDS, ROOM FOR 1 GUEST - DOUBLE SINGLE USE ROOM – for extra payment 196 euro per package, ADDITIONAL BED IN DOUBLE ROOM – for third person

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- Your contact at the agency – Manja Lilek
- All technical information, vouchers, guide and hotel contact will be sent by mail to each registered before the **23 June 2023**

For more information, please contact Manja Lilek - manja@manja-travel.com
Tourist agency ŽIDANA MARELA D.O.O. & MANJA TRAVEL

GENERAL INFORMATION

ŽIDANA MARELA D.O.O., VRHOVCI CESTA X/28, SI-1000 LJUBLJANA, SLOVENIA
VAT ID: SI25384848

MANJA TRAVEL is a brand of ŽIDANA MARELA and MANJA LILEK is a brand manager.

ŽIDANA MARELA has a Licence 1134 for Tour Organiser and Licence 1135 for Tourist Agent from the Chamber of Economy of Slovenia - Tourism and Hospitality Chamber.

PAYMENT TERMS

Once you close a deal with MANJA TRAVEL you accept the following payment terms.

DEPOSIT

We require a 30 % non-refundable deposit to secure the reservations once confirmed by our suppliers. You pay in EUR.

PAYMENT DETAILS:

BANK ACCOUNT INFO:

ŽIDANA MARELA D.O.O., VRHOVCI CESTA X/28, SI-1000 LJUBLJANA, SLOVENIA

IBAN: SI5661000003930011

SWIFT BIC: HDELSI22

All reservations made less than 45 days prior to the commencement of the tour have to be paid in full, by wire transfer only.

PACKAGE PRICE

Our calculation is based on current GIT prices for 2023. We retain the right to adjust the prices, should our suppliers change their rates. Obvious calculation errors may be corrected any time.

The stated prices are valid for a **NUMBER OF PERSONS AS SPECIFIED IN THE OFFER** and the proposed programme (if not stated otherwise). Should the number of participants and/or the programme change, a new calculation will be provided.

If petrol prices increase by more than 20%, we retain the right to adjust our calculation accordingly.

The prices include an agency fee for the programme drafting according to the estimated amount of work required. Should unforeseeable and time-consuming research occur and/or the concept be extensively revised before the confirmation of the project, MANJA TRAVEL & ŽIDANA MARELA retains the right to invoice any additional hours up to EUR 200 incl. of VAT per day (8 hours' work) per project manager.

YOUR TRAVEL PACKAGE

Upon the receipt of your payment, we will e-mail you the final itinerary together with some travel tips. The actual printed travel package containing the printed itinerary, vouchers, tickets, maps, guide booklets, country info and more, will be sent to the first hotel you will be staying at, to be collected on arrival.

PRICES ARE PER PERSON, PER PACKAGE DESCRIBED IN THE OFFER.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Our cancellation policy is not subject to change. Once your package has been created, most of our work has been completed. Our cancellation terms are stricter than those of our suppliers due to the special contract rates we operate with. In addition, some suppliers operate with non-refundable deposits that we have to take into consideration. Further, when domestic plane tickets are included, they are often non-refundable, and our cancellation policy reflects this.

TRAVEL INSURANCE

You are responsible for your own travel insurance and we would advise against travelling without insurance.

REFUND

A 70 % refund will be granted, if we receive written cancellation more than 30 working days prior to the first day of the tour with MANJA TRAVEL.

A working day is Monday – Friday.

A 60% refund will be granted, if we receive a written cancellation less than 30 and more than 5 working days prior to the first day of the tour with MANJA TRAVEL.

Thereafter no refund will be given.

AMENDMENT POLICIES

The ideas and concepts remain the property of MANJA TRAVEL. Copying, re-selling to third parties, partial or complete realisation without MANJA TRAVEL is subject to agreement with our company.

OUR RESPONSIBILITY

MANJA TRAVEL provides intermediary services. If any of the services included in the travel package put together by MANJA TRAVEL are cancelled due to bad weather or if any of our suppliers cannot perform their services as promised, we will be helpful in finding alternatives or making a claim or a refund. It is the suppliers, not MANJA TRAVEL, that are legally responsible for the individual services that they provide.

Thank you for confirming the offer and we will do our best to fulfil your expectations.

Best regards,

Manja Lilek

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