

## Heritage of Ravensko and Dolinsko

### DAY-TRIP ITINERARY PROPOSAL

Target group:

- school and other educational institutions
- the general public

Mode of transport: own transport

Type: holiday-makers are accompanied by a tour guide - cultural heritage interpreter

Murska Sobota

You begin your exploration of the Mura Region by visiting a permanent exhibition at the Pomurje Museum, which tells an exciting and poetic story about the inhabitants of the Mura Region, written by time, from pre-history to the present day. A walk through the park in Murska Sobota leads to the Martin Luther Evangelical Church, which was built in 1910 in the Neo-Gothic style, and designed by architect Ernő Gerely.

After that, you will drive to the Island of Love in Ižakovci to see the permanent exhibition Bűjraštvo (bűjraš – a worker on the Mura River) on the Mura River. When the Mura flooded its banks, carried away the mills and boats, and the rising waters sought new paths, which therefore flooded the arable land and houses, it was necessary for them to fortify the dams of the riverbed to prevent overflowing. After the tour, there will be a Bűjra lunch prepared with a love potion, where you can hear the stories about the romance between the Countess of Beltinci and the miller's son.

The next stop is Melinci and the outdoor exhibition about bricklaying – the making of homemade bricks. The oldest preserved house, built of home-made bricks, dates from 1850. Bricklaying was around until the 1970s because of the abundance of clay, workers with appropriate skill sets, their willingness to help each other and craftsmen who knew how to make and burn high-quality brick.

In the manor in Beltinci, there is a permanent exhibition of the history of health care in Pomurje with an emphasis on pharmacy and a permanent exhibition of the Noble Families in Beltinci, especially the Zichy family. In the castle, there is the special drawing room of the countess, Marija Ifigenija Zichy, the last countess of Beltinci. Next to the park is the Baroque Church of St. Ladislau with the side chapel of Ave Maria with the Renaissance relief of Mary with the child, under which is the tomb of the Counts of Zichy.

Next to the church stands a centenary memorial of the reunification the Slovenes of Prekmurje with the rest of the nation.

In addition to cultural and historical heritage, there are also opportunities to learn about the local cuisine. Typical dishes, such as Prekmurska gibanica, bograč, langaš, bujta repa, retaši and others, can be sampled in restaurants in this part of Prekmurje.