

PROGRAM 3 (AUTUMN-WINTER PERIOD)

Program 3 focuses on the key natural phenomena of the autumn and winter periods such as red deer roaring, winter hunt and feeding of white-tailed eagles, and preparations for the winter migration of numerous wetland birds. In winter, the vegetation is scarcer and allows greater visibility and better positions for observing and photographing animals such as red deer, wild boar, jackals, beavers. Along with the richness of natural and cultural phenomena of the middle Danube region, you will also experience the gastronomic and oenological offer of these areas.

KEY SPECIES: Bald eagle, European deer, wild boar, beaver, otter, jackal, wetland birds, waterfowl, kestrel, mallard duck, marsh harrier

FIELD DIFFICULTY: 2/5

GROUP SIZE: 4 - 12

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR VISITORS: Quality photo equipment, binoculars, mobile camouflage equipment for observing and photographing animals (if you do not have your own, it is possible to rent in the Eco Center Zlatna Greda), warm and practical terrain shoes and clothes adapted for wet and muddy terrain (clothes that blend well with the environment are recommended)



DAY 1

- Arrival at Special Nature Reserve Zasavica, welcome of guests
- Gathering at the Visitor Center, presentation of the Reserve and programs
- Lunch at Zasavica
- Tour of the Reserve and free time
- Dinner at Zasavica
- Going to accommodation for the night in Sremska Mitrovica

DAY 2

- Breakfast
- Early morning departure to depressions and ponds on the Valjevac pasture, observation and photography of birds (snipes, vultures, mice, wagtails, swallows, ...) and other wildlife
- A tour of the winter resort of Mala Ušara in the villages around Zasavica and Sremska Mitrovica
- Lunch at Zasavica
- Afternoon program tour of the Drina estuary, bird watching and photography on the Sava and Drina rivers
- Dinner
- Accommodation and overnight

DAY 3

- Breakfast
- Morning program: tour to the Fruška gora National Park, observing and photographing nature on the slopes of Fruška gora in the autumn and visiting the Visitor center of the National Park on the Iriš Wreath
- Lunch
- Free time in Novi Sad
- Accommodation and overnight

DAY 4

- Arrival in Osijek in the morning, welcoming guests and presenting the program
- Visit to the Multimedia Center in Bilje, presentation of natural and cultural resources of the region
- Lunch in Baranja
- Going to the Kopački rit Nature Park, guided program of wildlife watching and photography in the Kopački rit Nature Park (motor boat ride through the Special ZOO Reserve)
- Departure to the Eco Center Zlatna Greda, tour and presentation of the Eco Center, time for rest and tour of the site for observation and photography in your own arrangement
- Dinner and accommodation

DAY 5

- Early morning guided program of wildlife watching and photography in the northern part of the Kopački rit Nature Park (breakfast / lunch package)
- Lunch in Baranja
- Free time
- Afternoon guided program of wildlife watching and photography in the area of Zlatna Greda - focus on deer roar phenomenon
- Dinner in Osijek and accommodation

DAY 6

- Transfer to Belišće and early morning guided program of wildlife watching and photography along the Drava River upstream from Osijek
- Lunch
- Going to the Drava and Danube Visitor Center, review and analysis of recorded materials
- End of program and departure

