

## PROGRAM 4 (WINTER-AUTUMN PERIOD)

**Program 4 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 in Osijek, welcome of guests
- Arrival and gathering at the Drava and Danube Visitor Center, presentation of the Center and the program
- Lunch
- Afternoon guided program of wildlife watching and photography along the Drava River (transfer to locations by electric bicycles or electric cars, depending on weather conditions)
- Dinner in Osijek
- Accommodation and overnight

## DAY 2

- Early morning departure to Baranja and Kopački rit Nature Park (breakfast / lunch package) (Transfer by electric car)
- 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, lunch
- Tour and presentation of the Eco Center, time for rest
- Afternoon guided program of wildlife watching and photography in the northern part of the Kopački rit Nature Park and in the area of Zlatna Greda - focus on deer roar phenomenon.
- Dinner in Baranja
- Accommodation and overnight

## DAY 3

- Early morning departure to Baranja and Danube River (breakfast / lunch package) (Transfer by electric car)
- Guided program of wildlife watching and photography along the Danube River
- Lunch in Baranja
- Going to the Multimedia Center in Bilje, presentation of the Center, review and analysis of recorded materials
- Free time
- Dinner and overnight

## DAY 4

- Breakfast, departure to Serbia and the Zasavica Special Reserve
- Arrival at Zasavica, gathering at the Visitor Center, presentation of the Reserve and program
- Lunch at Zasavica
- Tour of the Reserve and free time
- Dinner at Zasavica
- Overnight in Sremska Mitrovica

## DAY 5

- Early morning departure by electric cars or electric bicycles to the depressions and ponds on the Valjevac pasture, observation and photography of birds (snipes, vultures, mice, 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 6

- Breakfast
- Morning program: tour to 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 at the Iriš Wreath
- End of the program and departure

