

# MULTILINGUAL ESCORTED TOURS VII

## DAY 1 (SATURDAY): ARRIVAL PRAGUE

Arrival in Prague, optional transfer to Hotel Novotel Praha Venceslas Square\*\*\*\* or similar, check-in, welcome meeting.

## DAY 2 (SUNDAY): PRAGUE

Prague has been a cultural centre of central Europe for the over 1,100 years of its existence and 20 years after the velvet revolution it is more than ever one of the most beautiful and exciting cities of the world. The morning sightseeing tour takes us to the Old Town with the Old Town Square surrounded by historical buildings such as the Old Town Hall with the famous Astronomical Clock, the imposing St. Nicholas Church and Church of Our Lady, the Jewish Quarter and the Wenceslas Square. The afternoon offers an optional tour to the castle area with Prague Castle, residence of Czech Kings, St. Vitus Cathedral, the Golden Lane with fairy small houses, the Kings Road, the Lesser Town and the Charles Bridge. The evening is offering a fabulous dinner cruise on the Vltava-River.

## DAY 3 (MONDAY): PRAGUE

The morning offers an optional half day tour to the impressive Bohemian Gothic Karlstejn Castle, located about 35 km southwest of Prague in the Karlštejn village. We admire the rich interior of the castle and the stunning views of Karlstejn and the surrounding countryside. The rest of the day is reserved for exploring more of the Golden City on own hand.

## DAY 4 (TUESDAY): PRAGUE-KRAKOW

Today we head for Brno, the capital of Moravia and a charming historical town dominated by the Spilberk Royal Castle and the Peter and Paul Cathedral. After a lunch break we continue via the mining town of Ostrava into the picturesque mountainous South of Poland. We reach Krakow in the late afternoon and check-in at Hotel Novotel Centrum Krakow\*\*\*\*.

## DAY 5 (WEDNESDAY): KRAKOW

For half a millennium Krakow was the royal capital of Poland and for centuries the city walls have guarded its traditions and secrets. The morning sightseeing tour takes us to the Old Town with the St. Mary's Church, the Jagiellonian University, the Cloth Halls and Wawel with the Wawel Castle and the Wawel Cathedral. The afternoon offers an optional excursion to the famous Wieliczka Salt Mine, an amazing labyrinth of tunnels going down as far as 327 meters. The evening offers an optional Polish dinner at Restaurant Hawelka.

## DAY 6 (THURSDAY): KRAKOW-WARSAW

We leave for Czestochowa, the spiritual heart of Poland, where we visit the Jasna Gora Monastery with the Black Madonna. Through the flat low-lying plain of Central Poland we reach Warsaw in the early afternoon. Check-in at Hotel Novotel Centrum Warsaw\*\*\*\* or similar.

## DAY 7 (FRIDAY): WARSAW

Warsaw is essentially a post-war city with a meticulously reconstructed Old Town. The morning sightseeing tour includes the Royal Route and the Old Town with the Royal Castle, St John's Cathedral, the Old Town Market Square and the Barbican. In the afternoon is offered an optional excursion to the Royal Lazienki Park with the Palace on the Water.

## DAY 8 (SATURDAY): WARSAW

The morning offers an excursion to Zelozawa Wola, the romantic birthplace of the Polish composer and pianist, Frederyk Chopin, who played an exceptional role in shaping Polish national identity. The afternoon is reserved for exploring more of Warsaw's secrets individually. The evening offers an optional Polish dinner at Restaurant Podwale.

## Day 9 (Sunday): WARSAW DEPARTURE

Optional transfer to the airport.

## CENTRAL EUROPEAN PANORAMA

June-August 2012, 9 days/8 nights



### DATES:

MCP10: 30.06-08.07.12

MCP12: 14.07-22.07.12

MCP14: 28.07-05.08.12

MCP15: 04.08-12.08.12

MCP16: 11.08-19.08.12

MCP17: 18.08-26.08.12

### Package price per person:

EUR 895.00 (double occupancy)

EUR 350.00 (single supplement)

### Including:

- 8 overnights at centrally located 4 star hotels
- 8 x buffet breakfast
- Welcome meeting with champagne-cocktail or juice
- Personalized welcome package
- Entrances to Old Town Hall in Prague, Wawel Castle in Krakow, Jasna Gora Monastery in Czestochowa and St. John's Cathedral in Warsaw
- Service of German and English speaking tour escort on all tours
- Service of Italian and Spanish speaking tour escort on all tours
- Service of 1<sup>st</sup> class coach or 1<sup>st</sup> class minivan throughout the itinerary
- Portage at hotel
- Service and VAT

### Optional

- Transfer from airport to Hotel Novotel Praha Venceslas Square: EUR 35.00 for private car (1-3 persons), EUR 55.00 for private minivan (4-7 persons)
- 3 hours tour of the Prague Castle area: EUR 35.00
- 4 hours excursion and dinner cruise at the Vltava-River: EUR 55.00
- 4 hours excursion to Karlštejn Castle: EUR 50.00
- 4-hour excursion to Wieliczka Salt Mine: EUR 60.00 pp
- Polish dinner at Restaurant Hawelka: EUR 40.00 pp
- 3-hour excursion to the Royal Lazienki Park with Palace on the Water: EUR 40.00 pp
- 4-hour excursion to Zelozawa Wola: EUR 60.00 pp
- Polish dinner at Restaurant Podwale: EUR 40.00 pp
- Transfer from Hotel Novotel Centrum Warsaw to airport: EUR 30.00 for private car (1-3 persons), EUR 50.00 for private minivan (4-7 persons)
- Half board at hotel (8 x 3 course dinner with coffee/tea): EUR 200.00 pp