

NATIONAL PARK | Brijuni National Park - an exceptionally rich EXPLORE | Grožnjan, Motovun - architecture, galleries in fairy cultural and historical heritage on this 14 isle archipelago. A former residence of President Tito, it offers beautiful beaches, remains tale-like towns of Istria / Labin - medieval town the streets of which provide a stage for a variety of events / Wine Roads and Olive Oil from ancient times, a ZOO Safari park, golf course and top-quality Roads / Cycling trails - over 100 organized trails with an overall

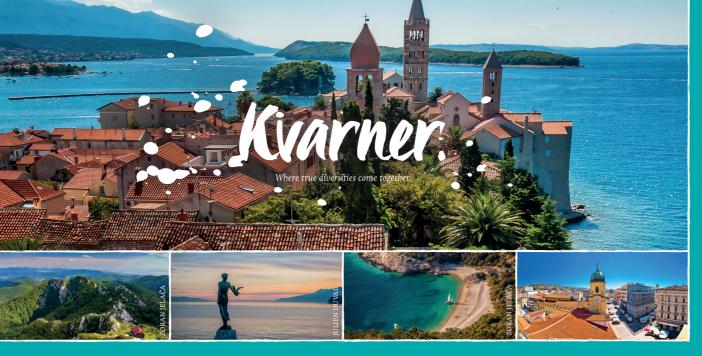
NATURE | Donji (lower) Kamenjak and the Medulin Archipelago / Gornji (upper) Kamenjak / Lim Bay / The Motovun woods / The vegetation of Istria.

TOURISM PLUS | Green Istria - enjoy the beauty of untouched nature and experience traditional country life in Istrian agritourisms, rural guesthouses or family run hotels and luxury villas.

Basilica (Poreč) / Church of St. Euphemia (Rovinj) - UNESCO / and seafood specialties, meat and fish dishes prepared under the lstrian Frescoes / Dvigrad / Two-part singing in the Istrian scale bell ('peka'), omelette with asparagus, home made 'fuži' pasta with - UNESCO / Ecomuseum Batana - UNESCO / Art of dry stone game goulash, 'biska' brandy, Istrian soup, local wines Teran, Refošk, walling, knowledge and techniques - UNESCO / Festivity of Saint
Tryphon and the Kolo (chain dance) of Saint Tryphon - UNESCO.

Istrian Malvasia.

CULTURAL HERITAGE | Amphitheatre (Pula) / Euphrasian GASTRONOMY | Truffles, Istrian prosciutto ham, olive oil, fish



CULTURAL HERITAGE | Shrine of Our Lady of Trsat / Town of Rab / The Baška Plaque (Bašćanska ploča, island of Krk) / Zrinski castle (Čabar) / Ivan Goran Kovačić Museum, and the amphitheatre (Lukovdol) / Vrbovsko / Two-part singing in Hrvatsko Primorje Kastav area - UNESCO / Art of dry stone walling, knowledge and techniques - UNESCO / Festivity of Saint Tryphon and the Kolo

NATIONAL PARK | Risnjak - Rich and diverse animal and plant EXPLORE | Opatija Riviera - a 12 km long promenade along the sea world, karstic phenomena.

/ Island of Košljun - spiritual and vegetation paradise - park wood
/ Lubenice (island of Cres) - stone-built settlement, 378 metres ASL

NATURE | Učka Nature Park / Vela draga / Angiolina park and
St. Jacob (Opatija) / Lopar (island of Rab) / Dundo (island of Rab) /

Fojiška-Podpredošćica (island of Cres) / Source of the Kupa river

(Orthopaedic clinic), wellness, congress tourism / Dolphin watching (Čabar) / **Fužine** / **Zeleni vir** / **Japlenški vrh** / **Bijele stijene** (white rocks) **and Samarske stijene** (samar rocks) (Mrkopalj).

- Cres-Lošinj aquatorium / **Bird watching** - in the Učka Nature Park, ornithological reserve Kruna and Podokladi (island of Cres).

> **TOURISM PLUS** | Skiing - Platak / Hunting, fishing, canoeing, paragliding, riding, windsurfing, parachuting, paragliding, motorsport, wake-boarding, rafting, kayaking, cycling, diving, sailing / Walking trails.

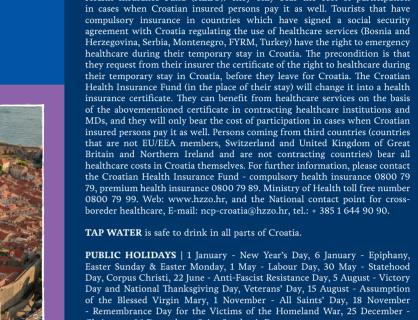
- UNESCO / Annual carnival bell ringers' pageant from the Kastav area - UNESCO / Art of dry stone walling, knowledge and techniques - UNESCO / Festivity of Saint Tryphon and the Kolo (chain dance) of Saint Tryphon - UNESCO.

GASTRONOMY | Kvarner shrimps, 'šurlice': homemade pasta (island of Krk), Cres lamb, specialties made from cherries, aspara-gus and sweet chestnuts (Lovran), indigenous wines: Vrbnička žlahtina (Krk) and Trojišćina (island of Susak), Island of Rab cake, game, frogs, mushrooms, freshwater fish, mountain liqueurs, plum and pear brandies.



knowledge and techniques - UNESCO.

GASTRONOMY | Pag cheese, salt from Pag and Nin, prosciutto ham from Posedarje, 'Ninski šokol', Maraschino liqueur, Rosé of Benkovac.



Welcome to Croatia!

Unique in so many ways, Croatia's roots stem from ancient times and its great cultural wealth tells of a turbulent history going back to the Roman era and continuing through the Renaissance, the baroque period and the Ottoman conquests right up to the present day, all of which is exceptionally appealing to all who visit the country. If we then add the rich cultural heritage, the amazing natural beauty which attracts visitors throughout the year, the 8 national parks, 12 nature reserves and the numerous UNESCO world heritage sites, Croatia truly becomes a country of incredible magnetic attraction. Yes, Croatia is all that and so much more. It is the home of the necktie, the parachute, the torpedo, the mechanical pencil, the filament light bulb, the world's fastest electric car and the second oldest film festival in the world, the Dalmatian dog, Marco Polo, one of the oldest cities and parliaments in Europe, the second-longest stretch of defensive walls in Europe, the smallest cathedral, the oldest arboretum, and the birthplace of great athletes. And last but by no means least significant than any of this - the Croats themselves! The Croatian people and their kindness are a magnet that keeps drawing tourists netimes the hospitality of the locals will make you wonder whether

you are in your own home or simply - on holiday in Croatia!

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almost all hotels, marinas, restaurants, shops and cash machines.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS FOR ENTERING CROATIA | ID (EU and EEA citizens and Switzerland) or passport. A visa is necessary for citizens of some third countries. Croatian visa policy can be checked here: https:// mvep.gov.hr/services-for-citizens/consular-information-22802/visas-22807/visa-requirements-overview-22879/22879 Information: Diplomatic missions and consular offices of the Republic of Croatia abroad (https://mvep.gov. hr/embassies-and-consulates/embassies-of-the-republic-of-croatia-in-the-world/244601) or the Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs of the Republic

CURRENCY | The official currency in Croatia is the euro (1 euro = 100 cents).

Foreign currency can be exchanged in banks, exchange offices, post offices and in the majority of tourist information offices, hotels and campsites. Credit cards

(Eurocard / Mastercard, Visa, American Express and Diners) are accepted in

HEALTH SERVICES | Hospitals and clinics are found in all larger towns and

cities, while smaller places have outpatient units and pharmacies. Foreign

visitors who have compulsory health insurance in other EU countries and EEA (Norway, Iceland and Lichtenstein), Switzerland and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland during their temporary stay in Croatia have the right to basic healthcare, on the basis of the European Health Insurance

Card (EHIC). Healthcare on the basis of the EHIC is provided in all healthcare

institutions and with all MDs that have a regular contract with the Croatian

Health Insurance Fund (HZZO). They only bear the cost of participation

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS | 1 January - New Year's Day, 6 January - Epiphany, Easter Sunday & Easter Monday, 1 May - Labour Day, 30 May - Statehood Day, Corpus Christi, 22 June - Anti-Fascist Resistance Day, 5 August - Victory Day and National Thanksgiving Day, Veterans' Day, 15 August - Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, 1 November - All Saints' Day, 18 November Christmas, 26 December - Saint Stephen's Day.

IMPORTANT TELEPHONE NUMBERS International country code for Croatia: +385 Single European emergency call number: 112 Fire Brigade: 193

National Centre for Search and Rescue at Sea: 195

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Nature Park / Velebit Nature Park.

the Holy Cross (Nin) / Lacemaking on Pag - UNESCO / Nijemo Kolo - UNESCO / Klapa multipart singing of Dalmatia - UNESCO / Zadar's Defense System - UNESCO / Primeval and Ancient Beech Forests - Paklenica NP - UNESCO / Art of dry stone walling,



NATIONAL PARK | Kornati National Park - the most intricately indented archipelago in the Mediterranean / Krka National Park - natural and karstic phenomena

CULTURAL HERITAGE | St. Jacob's Cathedral (Šibenik) - UNESCO / Bribirska glavica Archaeological Locality / Fortress on Spas Mountain (Knin) / Ojkanje singing - UNESCO / Nijemo Kolo, silent circle dance of the Dalmatian hinterland - UNESCO / Klapa multipart singing of Dalmatia - UNESCO / St. Nicholas Fortress INESCO / Art of dry stone walling, knowledge and technique

TOURISM PLUS | Rafting (River Krka), bungee jumping (Šibenik bridge), fishing, sailing, bike trails, hunting, horse riding, safari, surfing, kayaking trekking hiking



NATURE | Cetina River / Biokovo Nature Park / Zlatni rat / Islands Croatian coast of the Mediterranean - UNESCO / 'Stećci' - medieva of Ravnik, Donja Brela, Pakleni otoci (island of Hvar) / Modra špilja and Medvidina špilja (island of Biševo) / Vranjača Cave (Mountain of Mosor) / Crveno jezero (Red Lake) and Modro jezero (Blue (chain dance) of Saint Tryphon - UNESCO. of Mosor) / Crveno jezero (Red Lake) and Modro Jezero (Bake)
Lake) (Imotski) / Dinara Nature Park / Vis Archipelago - UNESCO
Global Geopark Croatia / Biokovo-Imotski Lakes - UNESCO Global
Geopark in Croatia.

TOURISM PLUS | Wine Roads, cycling trails, riding, rafting, paragliding, hunting, fishing, windsurfing, free climbing, canoe safari, kayaking and sailing, zipline, canyoning, trekking.

of Our Lady of Sinj / The Stari Grad plain on Hvar - UNESCO / Procession "Za Križen" ('Following the cross') on the island of Hvar - UNESCO / Lacemaking on Hvar - UNESCO / Sinjska Alka - UNESCO / Ojkanje singing - UNESCO / Nijemo Kolo, silent circle dance of the Dalmatian hinterland - UNESCO / Klapa multipart singing of Dalmatia - UNESCO / The Mediterranean diet on the

CULTURAL HERITAGE | Diocletian's Palace (Split) - UNESCO | GASTRONOMY | Dalmatian 'pašticada', 'luganige' sausages, 'arambašići' - beef in cabbage (Sinj), flat-bread of Vis, pepper cookies from Hvar, 'smutica' - wine with milk (island of Brač), Vugava and Plančić wines (island of Hvar).



NATIONAL PARK | Mljet National Park - rich in Mediterranean vegetation and cultural heritage (12th century Benedictine monastery on the islet in Veliko Jezero (Great Lake).

NATURE | The Trsteno arboretum / The Neretvea delta / The bay
of Mali Ston / The islet of Lokrum / Vela spilja (the great cave,
Vela Luka) / Kočje (the village of Žrnovo on the island of Korčula)
/ Konavoski dvori (the courts of Konavle) (Konavle) / Lastovo
archipelago - Nature Park.

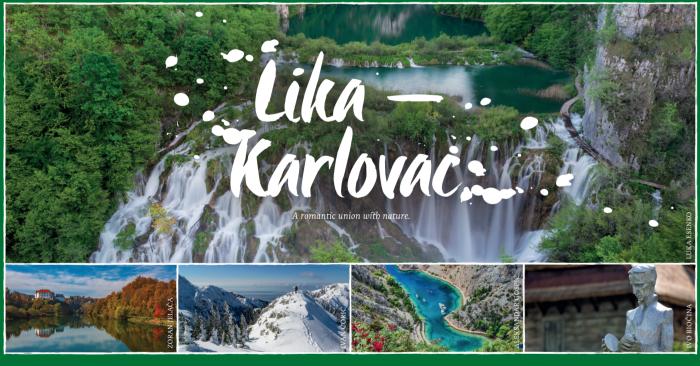
Resort - Vela Luka.

TOURISM PLUS | Wine Roads, hiking tracks, oriding, free climbing, adrenaline parks in Konavle.

GASTRONOMY | Lamb and veal done under the bell 'peka', eel or frog brodetto stew (The Neretva valley), salt, oysters and mussels of Ston, 'kontonjata', 'mantala' and 'arancina' cakes (Konavle), tangerines and lemons, Dingač and Postup red wines (Pelješeac, Posip and Grk white wines (Korčula, Malviasia of Dubrovnik (Konavle).

Knowledge and techniques - UNESCO / Festivity of Saint Tryphon and the Kolo (chain dance) of Saint Tryphon - UNESCO.

EXPLORE | Minčeta Tower, Lovrijenac Tower, the Sponza Palace (Dubrovnik) / Gothic and Gothic-Renaissance summer residences (from Pelješac to Konavle) / Franciscan Monastery (Orebić) / Rector's Palace (Port of Šipan) / Franciscan Monastery (Rožat) / Health TOURISM PLUS | Wine Roads, hiking tracks, cycling trails, horse



NATIONAL PARK | Plitvice lakes - do not miss the opportunity to visit the national park that is on the UNESCO World Heritage List / Forests - Northern Velebit NP - UNESCO / Art of dry stone walling, Northern Velebit - proclaimed a world biosphere reserve by UNESCO. knowledge and techniques - UNESCO / Falconry - UNESCO.

NATURE | The forests of Draganić (Klek and Modruš), Velika
Kapela and Mala Kapela / Jasikovac forest park (Gospić) / Cerovac

EXPLORE | Tourist Centre Petrova gora / Muljava hunting lodge
- near Vojnići. caves (Gračac) / Barać caves in Rakovica / Vrlovka cave in Kamanj / Rastoke in Slunj / Klek mountain / Štirovača / Cave park Grabovača near Perušić / The river Lika canyon / Lun / Velebit

CULTURAL HERITAGE | The sanctuary of Mary of Krasno / The GASTRONOMY | Lika baked potatoes and lamb under the bell 'peka', sanctuary of Mary of Miracles in Oštarije / The town of Stari

Drežnik / The Pauline Monastery Kamensko / The birthplace of pear brandy.

Ogulin sour cabbage and turnip, Ogulin cheese 'škripavac', plum and pear brandy. Nikola Tesla (Smiljan) / The Turkish tower in Perušić / Towns and castles like Dubovac, Ozalj, Bosiljevo, and Franciscan / Pauline and Dominican monasteries / The Nehaj fortress in Senj / The Frankopan castle in Ogulin / The ancient Karlovac city core

TOURISM PLUS | Rafting, kayaking, cycling, hiking, mountain climbing, photo hunting, hunting, horse riding, walking trails and trails for Nordic walking, fishing, speleology.



NATURE | Kalnik / Lonjsko polje (Range) Nature Park / Čret

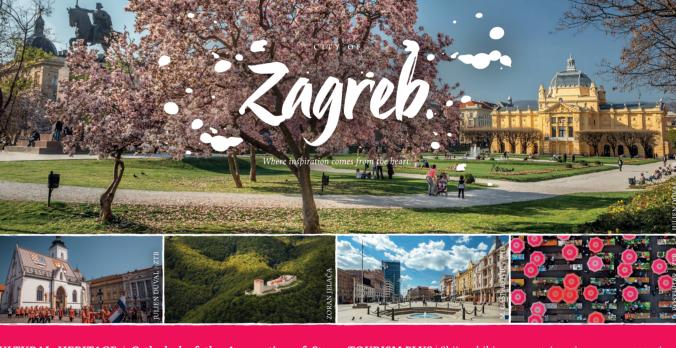
Dubravica (Dubravica) / Vindija Cave (Varaždin) / River Mura / Veliki
pažut (Legrad) / Rakita (Sisak) / The Đurđevac sands / Lipik, Bjelovar
and Daruvar / Klek / Crna Mlaka / Žumberak - Samobor hills
Nature Park / Slušnica near Slunj / The Opeka Arboretum (Vinica).

Discovery Site - one of the world's richest finds of the Neanderth
man / Museum of Turopolje (Velika Gorica) - exhibits range from the prehistoric period down to our times / Health Resorts - numero health resorts with thermal springs (Stubičke toplice, Krapins) toplice, Varaždinske toplice, Sveti Martin na Muri).

CULTURAL HERITAGE | Trakošćan Castle / City of Varaždin - UNESCO / Zrinski Castle (Čakovec) / Old town (Kalnik) / Old town (Purdevac) / Count Janković Castle (Darwar) / Fortress roads horse riding skiing

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EXPLORE | Old Village Museum (Kumrovec) - a singular museum in the open air containing preserved, original rural houses dating from the turn of the 19th century / Krapina Neanderthal Museum - one of the most modern museums in Croatia / Krapina Neanderthal



CULTURAL HERITAGE | Cathedral of the Assumption of St.

Mary - Gothic 11th century cathedral / St. Mark's Church - 14th - 15th

Medvednica Nature Park - hiking trails and the skiing centre Sljeme, century / **Stone Gate and Lotršćak Tower** - part of the 13th century attractive gorges, caves, waterfalls, and karst phenomena. city walls / Croatian National Theatre - neo-Baroque building dating from 1895, designed by the architects Fellner and Helmer / Festivity of Saint Tryphon and the Kolo (chain dance) of Saint Tryphon -

EXPLORE | **Electric-powered funicular railway** - links Down Town with Upper Town / **Mimara Museum** - named after the collector, Ante Topić Mimara, who donated a vast collection of works of art to Croatia / Museum of Contemporary Art, Zagreb - an exciting story of contemporary art without a beginning or an end, staged in a dynamic exhibition space where the exhibits accentuate movement, change, transience, uncertainty...

Medvednica Nature Park - hiking trails and the skiing centre Sljeme,

GASTRONOMY | Roast turkey with 'mlinci', 'štrukli', 'špek fileki' (bacon-tripe stew), home made pasta with cabbage, fresh cottage



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