

# BELGRADE SIGHTSEEING TOURS

## ROYAL PALACE



The palace complex of the Karageorgevich dynasty on Dedinje consists of the Royal and White Palaces.

### **The Royal Palace**

The Royal Palace was built between 1924 and 1929 with the private funds of His Majesty King Alexander I (the grandfather of HRH Crown Prince Alexander). The architects were Zivojin Nikolic and Nikolay Krassnoff of the Royal Academy. The palace is made of white stone in the Serbian-Byzantine style.

Attached to The Royal Palace there is a Royal Chapel dedicated to Saint Apostle Andrew The First-Called, the Patron Saint of The Royal Family. The Royal Palace was the home of King Alexander I and King Peter. Today the Royal Palace is the home of Crown Prince Alexander II and his family.

### **The White Palace**

The White Palace is located within the same complex as The Royal Palace and it was commissioned by command of His Majesty King Alexander I as the residence for his three sons HRH Crown Prince Peter (the future King Peter II), Prince Tomislav and Prince Andrej. King Alexander I envisaged that his three sons would require their own private accommodation when they became of age, but his assassination in Marseille caused the destiny of his sons to take a different turn.

The young King Peter II became the new master of the Dedinje Complex and the completion of The White Palace was supervised by King Peter II great uncle HRH Prince Regent Paul. It was built from 1934 until 1936, as the project of the architect Alexander Djordjevic. When completed it became the official residence on loan to HRH Prince Regent Paul and his family, until King Peter II came of age.

The ground floor of this classicistic palace houses a large hall and several drawing rooms furnished in the style of Louis XV and Louis XVI with large Venetian chandeliers. There is also a library which had more than 35 000 books and a formal Chippendale dining room.

Visiting the Royal and White Palaces is organized that visitors with professional tour guides will get acquainted with the history, art and culture in a nice two-hour walk through the Royal Compound. The tour includes the magnificent Royal and White Palaces and the Royal Chapel dedicated to the patron Saint of the Royal Family - St. Andrew the First Called.

The Tourist Organization of Belgrade will organize visits to the Royal compound every Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday, starting from 22nd April, until 31st October, with organized bus transportation. The departures are organized at the tourist stop on Nikola Pasic square in accordance with the following timetable: Wednesday at 09:30 (English language tour), Saturday at 09:30 (English language tour) and at 12:30 (Serbian language tour), and on Sunday at 09:30 and 12:30, both held in Serbian. The price of admission is 650 RSD/USD 6.60 - Tourist organization of Belgrade.

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## Underground Belgrade



Visit to the underground sites portray the story about the unusual history of Belgrade, strange fates and legends, as well as answers to some of the enigmas that for centuries encourage curiosity about history and culture. The tour includes visit to the Roman theater where are the foundations of the main gate of the Roman fortress from the 2nd century, Roman aqueduct and pipes. Visitors will enter in the Roman well built in the early 18th century, the Underground bunkers and a large warehouse Barutana.

We will pass through the tunnel that leads from the collar to the Kosancicev wreath in Karađorđeva Street, from which one can see another lagum. Departure Tuesday 10am, Thursday 17pm, Saturday 11.30 am, Sunday 02.30pm/In front of the travel agency “Euro Jet”- Language English Duration 3 hours Price 1900 RSD/USD 2.00- Organization” Euro Jet” 20 minutes from Hotel Mark by walk.

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## Belgrade Beer tour



Discover new sense of Belgrade by visiting several breweries and revealing tastes and aromas of various beers!

Serbia is known as the country of brandy and wine lovers...but affection for good beer is also characteristic of Serbian people. Not only that in the previous few years there are more and more new beer factories, but a lot of young manufacturers has launched new types of unusual beers. Phenomenal combinations of flavors will

make your experience of beer consumption special and unforgettable. Some of these new tastes have already became recognizable, and you will love it! On the route you will visit 3 breweries, enjoy the presentation about making of the beer Meet the brewer, and taste 7 different types of local beer and hear many interesting stories about making this special drink that we all love so much.

Departure : Friday and Saturday at 7pm \*\* Duration: 2 hours \*\* Price USD 18.00 \*\*\* Address Strahinjica Bana 36 \*\*\* Price includes: Visit to 3 breweries, tasting of 7 different types of local beers, presentation about making of the beer, services of tour guide on English language.

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## HELICOPTER TOURS



Experience Belgrade from a different perspective ! The tours are organized in the visible part of the day , departing from Dobanovci ( 15-20 min drive from the city center) , for a period of 15 , 30 and 60 minutes. For a closer experience of the city , recommended tours of 30 and 60 minutes. The flights are carried out by helicopters type Robinson R44 , with a capacity of three passengers + pilot, allowing maximum comfort. Pilots are most experienced pilots in Serbia. Enjoy the flight and the beauty of Belgrade

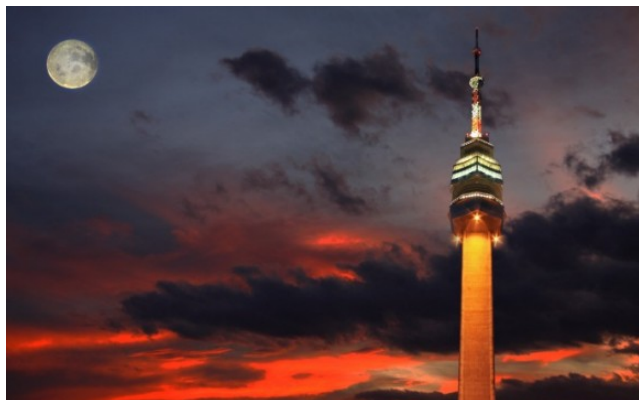
from the air!

Departure : Heliport in Dobanovci Language: Serbian and English , Duration: 15-60мин

Organization : Balkan Helicopters, Address: Heliport in Dobanovci

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## AVALA TOWER



### The visit to the Avala Tower:

Ticket price (basic) is 300 RSD/USD 3.00

Ticket price (insider) is 150 RSD.

Ticket price (coffee shop) is 550 RSD. The ticket price includes one drink and a tour of "Belvedere"

### TRANSPORT TO THE AVALA TOWER

Visitors can enjoy the run up to the Avala Tower.

On weekends **from Nikola Pasic Square** Lastin open bus drives citizens and tourists to the Avala Tower.

**September - 10.30h и 14.30h**

**Does not operate when it's raining.**

Driving to Avala with Lasta open bus cost **600rsd for adults** and for children up to **14 years 400rsd**

Price for **groups - (maximum 30 persons) 300rsd**

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## Jeep Tour on Mount Fruška Gora



This tour will be perfect for those of you who love old-timer jeeps, off-road drives, places less visited and who don't mind a bit of dust and mud! There's more than meets the eye to Mt Fruška Gora and on this adventurous ride we will show you some of its less known spots. Add to this honest, domestic food and drinks as well as the allure of the mighty Danube and we are sure you will enjoy an unforgettable day with us. First things first: we will enjoy our **breakfast and welcome drinks** on a small **floating house** on the Danube.

After breakfast it's time to get on our World War Two American Jeeps owned by old-timer enthusiasts from Čortanovci. We will first drive on dirt roads that follow the Danube to reach the charming and historic **town of Sremski Karlovci** (we can also arrange sightseeing of the town on demand). Passing through this small town we enter the confines of the National Park and reach the town's favorite excursion point **Stražilovo**.

From here we head up the mountain through groves and forests and then over its top on the other side to the **monastery of Grgeteg**, a place of contemplation with a beautiful iconostasis by the famous fin de siècle artist Paja Jovanović. Back on our dirt-roads we drive to another Serbian Orthodox monastery – **Velika Remeta**, best known for its eight-floors tall belfry. Not far away is **Ubavica**, a spring of mineral water deemed curative by the locals. Our ride continues through orchards and fields and brings us to **Krušedol monastery**, the most famous and richest in art treasures from all sixteen Orthodox monasteries of Fruška Gora.

After a respite on tarmac roads we come back to Čortanovci where we will visit **Kozarica spring** and the ruins of Roman frontier post **Castra Hercules**. Back on the terrace of our floating house it's now time for lunch, complete with delicious home-made sweets, locally produced wine, rakija and juices.  
**(USD 42.00 + transfer)**

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## Royal Serbia Tour



This tour will take you to the region of **Šumadija**, the very core of Serbia. In its midst lies Topola, a small town with regal history, inseparably connected with Serbian **Karadjordjević royal dynasty** and its fate. After a pleasant 1.5 hour drive through the quintessentially Serbian scenery of rolling hills covered in orchards, fields and patches of forest we arrive to Topola. Our first stop are the remnants of the **fortified stronghold** of Karadjordje, the founder of the dynasty and the leader of the Serbian insurrection against the Ottomans in 1804-13. Here we will see

the **monument** to Karadjordje, his quarters that now contain a small **museum** dealing with these historic events and a small church with a splendidly carved iconostasis. The compound stands at the foot of the **Oplenac Hill** crowned with the **mausoleum church of Karadjordjevićs all in gleaming white marble whose interior is completely covered in superb mosaics**, depicting hundreds of ecclesiastical themes as well as Serbian medieval rulers. The low-ceiling church **crypt**, where all the members of this royal dynasty were buried, is even more adorable. Outside the church stands a tiny museum filled with royal portraits and belongings. After this it's time for a visit to one of the celebrated **wine cellars** of the region where we will indulge ourselves in **wine tasting**. Price USD 60.00

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## Cruising the Iron Gate



We start at 08.00 in front of the hotel. Our first break for and photo shooting will be at the Golubac castle after which we continue towards Donji Milanovac where we will embark upon our boat. During the 1.5h long boat ride we will see the Veliki Kazan and Mali Kazan ravines, signal houses, Hajdučka vodenica vale, head of king Decebalus carved in the rock and the ancient Trajan's Plaque which can only be seen and approached from the water. After the boat ride we continue to Kapetan Mišin Breg farm for a lunch consisting of local specialties. Apart from the food

we will also enjoy the farm's marvelous vantage point overlooking the Danube and Donji Milanovac. Afterwards we head for Lepenski Vir, the fascinating Mesolithic archeological site, dating back 9500 years. Price **(USD 60.00)**

## Novi Sad, Sremski Karlovci and Krusedol monastery



On the 80th kilometer north from Belgrade, over the E- 75 highway is Novi Sad, the capital city of Autonomous Region Novi Sad.

The tour of Novi Sad includes the walk through the center of the city. We will walk through: Dunavska (Danube) and Zmaj Jovina street, which are the main walking zones of the city, City Hall, Freedom Square (Trg Slobode), The Name of Mary Church, Katolička porta, the house of Mileva Einstein – the wife of Albert Einstein, The Synagogue in Jevrejska street,

Matica Srpska – the oldest cultural institution of Serbia, and the city beach Štrand. Petrovaradin  
Next we cross to the right side of the Danube cost and go to Petrovaradin, to Petrovaradin Fortress.

Sremski Karlovci, positioned on the slopes of Fruška gora, representing the true gem stone of Serbian culture and spirituality. With its baroque town lake, Patriarchy Palace, Congregational church of Saint Nikola and Catholic Church of Trinity, first Serbian gymnasium form 1881 and the library of the gymnasium of Karlovci, this is the town that earned its name “museum town”.

**Prise : 65 USD / min 2 pax**