ARCHAEOLOGICAL TOUR OF SLOVENIA

1st day: NOVO MESTO – KOSTANJEVICA – PLETERJE
- Novo mesto – the capital of Dolenjska region
- The Capital Church - tour of the crypt with the painting of famous Italian painter Tintoretto
- The Dolenjska Museum with very rich archaeological and ethnological collection
- Marof – ancient fort and cemetery
- The Carthusian Monastery Pleterje – gothic church from the 15th century and multimedia projection of life in the monastery
- Open-air museum – visit of 200 year-old house with the presentation of life in the last century

2nd day: CVINGER – ROŽANEC - ČRNONEMJ - METLIKA
- Cvinger – archaeological trail – Iron Age, tour of the sepulchral mounds, mills and ancient settlement
- Rožanec – ancient shrine of the Persian God Mitra
- Črmomelj – old town centre, Stonič castle, Church of St. Peter and Holy Spirit
- Pastoral Centre – remains of the buildings and enclosing circular walls dating from the antique period
- Pusti Gradec – Church of All Saints, mill and sawmill
- Metlika – old town centre with the baroque church and castle
- The Bela Krajina Museum – archaeological, cultural, historical, ethnological and wine growing collections as well as a fire-fighters’ museum

3rd day: KOSTANJEVICA - BREŽICE – VRANJE PRI SEVNICI – GORNJI MOKRONOG
- Kostanjevica na Krki – old town centre surrounded by the Krka River, 13th century church of St. Jacobs
- The gallery of Božidar Jakac in the old Cistercian monastery and Forma viva
- Brežice – old town centre
- Posačje Museum, Knights’ Hall and wine cellar – possibility of wine tasting
- Vranje pri Sevnici – late antique settlement
- Gornji Mokronog – archaeological trail – early Middle Ages, towers, ossuary

4th day: CELJE – RIFNIK PRI ŠENTJURJU –ŠEMPETER
- Celje – provincial museum
- Lower castle with an interesting antique surrounding wall
- Upper castle with rich history of the Counts of Celje
- Rifnik pri Šentjurju – late antique settlement
- Šempeter – Roman Necropolis
5th day: KRŠKO - PTUJ – PTUJSKA GORA
- Drnovo – Roman Neviodunum
- Ptuj – old town centre and the castle,
- Provincial museum with numerous collections,
- Ptujška gora – one of the most beautiful gothic churches in Slovenia,

6th day: ŠKOCJAN CAVES – HRASTOVLJE – PIRAN – SOLINE
- Škocjan caves – splendid karst caves under Unesco protection
- Hrastovlje – gothic church with the famous »Dance macabre« frescos
- Piran – old town centre with Tartini’s square
- Soline park

7th day: STIČNA – LJUBLJANA
- Stična – the largest religious museum in Slovenia, ancient building site
- Ljubljana – old town centre, tower, National museum with various collections, old Christian centre with mosaics

8th day: KRAIN – BLED – AJDNA NAD POTOKI
- Kranj
- The Gorenjska Museum – archaeological collection, castle wall, gothic church
- Bled – island with the church (early Middle Ages)
- Bled Castle with archaeological museum and fantastic view
- Ajdna nad potoki – late antique settlement (2-3hrs. walk – only in good weather conditions, in case of bad weather visit of Bohinj).

9th day: HRUŠIČA - MOST NA SOČI – TOLMIN – KOBARID
- Hrušica – the site of one of the most important battles of the 4th century – victory of the Christians over pagans, which was important for entire Europe
- Most na Soči – reconstructed walls of ancient historical houses in elementary school
- Tolmin – archaeological collection
- Kobarid – The museum of Kobarid (Europe’s museum of the year - 1993) – the greatest mountain battle in history
- Tonovcev castle – late antique

10th day: FAREWELL TO SLOVENIA
Departure after breakfast.