

BEST OF CENTRAL EUROPE

Budapest • Vienna • Prague • Warsaw • Zakopane • Krakow

14 days/13 nights

2021 TOUR DATES

Prices valid if booked by Dec.17, 2020

Starts in Budapest on Saturdays:		
May 01/Sat - May 14/Fri	\$2,830	
May 22/Sat - Jun. 04/Fri	\$2,830	
Sep.11/Sat - Sep. 24/Fri	\$2,830	
Sep.25/Sat - Oct. 08/Fri	\$2,830	
Single room supplement - on request		

8 DAY TOUR TO BUDAPEST, VIENNA, PRAGUE

Starts in Budapest on Saturdays:

May 01/Sat - May 08/Sat	\$1,599
May 15/Sat - May 22/Sat	\$1,599
May 22/Sat - May 29/Sat	\$1,599
Jun. 12/Sat - Jun. 19/Sat	\$1,599
Jul. 17/Sat - Jul. 24/Sat	\$1,499
Aug. 07/Sat - Aug. 14/Sat	\$1,499
Aug. 21/Sat - Aug. 28/Sat	\$1,499
Sep. 04/Sat - Sep. 11/Sat	\$1,599
Sep. 11/Sat - Sep. 18/Sat	\$1,599
Sep. 18/Sat - Sep. 25/Sat	\$1,599
Sep. 25/Sat - Oct. 02/Sat	\$1,599
Single room supplement - on request	

Airfare not included.

Contact us for lowest fare from your city.

Tour Cost Includes:

- Accommodations in first class hotels
- Meals as specified in tour itinerary:
B-breakfast, L-lunch, D-dinner.
- Cultural performances as specified
- Air conditioned coach
- Sightseeing tours with local guides
- Professional tour director throughout
- In Prague, Vienna and Budapest, whisper technology for enhanced touring
- All entrance fees to sites specified in the tour program
- Hotel charges and taxes

YOUR HOTELS:

BUDAPEST - Courtyard by Marriott Bud.
VIENNA - Hotel Hilton Vienna
PRAGUE - Grand Majestic Hotel
WARSAW - Novotel Centrum
ZAKOPANE - Mercure Kasprowy
KRAKOW - Novotel Krakow CityWest

For reservations,
call PAT TOURS: 1-800-388-0988

For Tour Conditions and
Reservation Form see 2nd Page.



TOUR PROGRAM

On Friday depart for Budapest, Hungary.

1st Day/Sat - BUDAPEST. Upon arrival in Budapest an *optional* transfer to your hotel. In the evening, meet your Tour Director and other tour participants for a Welcome Dinner. (D)

2nd DAY/Sun - BUDAPEST. Situated on the opposite banks of the Danube River, the former cities of Buda and Pest are linked by a series of graceful bridges. Our morning sightseeing tour includes all the main attractions: the Parliament, Royal Palace, Castle Hill area, Fisherman's Bastion, Coronation Church, Hero's Square and Gellert Hill. The balance of the day is free. In the evening you may choose an *optional* Danube Cruise with dinner. (B)

3rd Day/Mon - BUDAPEST - VIENNA. Spend morning at leisure in Budapest. Later depart for Vienna the "City of Waltz", and one of Europe's loveliest cities. Upon arrival in Vienna time at leisure. In the evening, you may attend an *optional* concert performance. (B)

4th Day/Tue - VIENNA. Start the day with a tour of an impressive Schonbrunn Palace, the former summer residence of the Hapsburg emperors. Drive along the UN buildings, St. Stephen's Cathedral and other reminders of the city's imperial history. Walk through the Hofburg Palace courtyards to the State Opera House. In the afternoon an *optional* tour of the Hapsburg Treasures. (B)

5th/Wed - VIENNA - Bratislava - VIENNA. Today, enjoy a half-day excursion across the border to Bratislava, the capital of Slovakia. A guided walking tour will introduce us to this historic, beautifully restored old town. After returning to Vienna, balance of the day at leisure. In the evening, an *optional* dinner at the Austrian Heurigen tavern on the outskirts of Vienna. (B)

6th Day/Thu - VIENNA - PRAGUE. After breakfast travel through Southern Bohemia to the Czech capital, Prague - "The City of a Thousand Spires". Upon arrival, time at leisure. (B)

7th Day/Fri - PRAGUE. Built on the seven hills more than 1000 years ago and situated on both banks of the Vltava River, Prague is one of the most attractive cities in Europe. Your city tour starts with a panoramic drive to the famous sites of Prague. Walking tour includes the Old Town Square to view the famous Astronomical Clock, the Jewish Quarter, Charles Bridge. The balance of the day is free. In the evening, enjoy dinner in one of the Prague restaurants. (B, D)

8th Day/Sat - PRAGUE - WARSAW. After breakfast transfer to the airport for your flight to War-

saw where you'll be met and transferred to your hotel in city center. At 6:00 pm, meet your tour guide and other tour members in the hotel lobby and depart for a welcome dinner. (B, D)
(With land only services flight is not included.)

9th Day/Sun - WARSAW. This morning, we introduce you to the highlights of Warsaw. A half-day sightseeing tour includes Old Town, beautifully rebuilt after World War II with impressive Royal Castle, seat of last Polish kings. After lunch in a local restaurant, continue your tour with a drive to the former Warsaw Ghetto. Stop at the chocolate cafe "Wedel" for a hot chocolate and cake. Balance of day free. This evening, a piano recital. A glass of sparkling wine will be served during intermission. (B, L)

10th Day/Mon - WARSAW - Czestochowa - ZAKOPANE. After breakfast, depart for Zakopane - one of the most popular vacation resorts in the Tatra Mountains. En route, stop in Czestochowa to visit the Jasna Gora Monastery with its miraculous icon. In the evening arrive in Zakopane in the Tatra Mountains. (B, L)

11th Day/Tue - ZAKOPANE-KRAKOW. In the morning, you will have a sightseeing tour of Zakopane, whose wooden architecture blends with the natural landscapes. You have time to shop for souvenirs of arts and crafts at a local bazaar. In the afternoon depart for Krakow through Pieniny National Park where you will enjoy a scenic rafting trip on the Dunajec River. After dinner in Krakow evening is free. (B, D)

12th Day/Wed - KRAKOW - Auschwitz - KRAKOW. This morning's city tour features Wawel Royal Castle, home to three dynasties of Poland's monarchs. Following a short break for coffee and cake at the famous café, walk through the medieval Market Square with St. Mary's Basilica. At the arcaded Cloth Hall you can browse for souvenirs. After lunch, drive to Auschwitz-Birkenau to visit the Martyrdom Museum of the former Nazi concentration camp. Return to Krakow for evening at leisure. (B, L)

13th Day/Thu - KRAKOW - Wieliczka - KRAKOW. Enjoy morning at leisure to discover Krakow at your own pace. After lunch on your own meet for desert at the Krakow cafe and depart for Wieliczka, the oldest salt mine in Europe and discover its underground wonders. Enjoy dinner with a folklore show in a local restaurant in Wieliczka. Return to Krakow for overnight. (B, D)

14th Day/Fri - KRAKOW. After breakfast, termination of tour services. *Optional transfer to the Balice Airport or the train station.*

Travel Tips . . .



TIME: Six hours ahead of US Eastern Daylight Time. The 24-hour clock is used.

ELECTRICITY: 220V/50 cycles. All purpose converter and 2-prong adapter are required for US appliances.

WARDROBE: Dress comfortably. Casual clothes of wrinkle-free fabrics are suggested for daily wear. Valuable jewelry should be left at home. Take a warm sweater or jacket, an umbrella or a raincoat with a hood. Comfortable walking shoes are a must. Laundry service is available in hotels.

INOCULATIONS: Not required by law.

WEATHER: Temperatures in Europe are similar to those of New England.

CREDIT CARDS: Most hotels, major restaurants and shops (except street vendors), accept major credits cards including Mastercard, Visa and rarely American Express. No Discover card.

To exchange money you can use Exchange places or ATM machines available in major cities in tourist areas.

TOUR CONDITIONS

RESERVATIONS/PAYMENTS: A non refundable deposit of \$200 per person is required at the time of booking. Full payment is due 60 days before departure. Cash discount is available.

TOUR COST: Tour price is based on currency exchange levels in effect in Sep. 2020. It is subject to adjustment in the event of significant changes.

Children discount: Children under 12 sharing room with parents, may qualify for a discount. Children under the age of seven are not accepted on motor coach tours.

TOUR/AIRARRANGEMENTS: Every effort will be made to provide lowest possible airfare available at the time of booking.

Hotel accommodations will be provided in twin bedded rooms with private bath or shower. Single rooms are available at the supplement - rates differ on each departure and are available on request. While every effort will be made to provide sharing of accommodations for persons booking alone, when requested, it cannot be guaranteed and single supplement must be paid before departure when billed. Hotels specified can be changed within the same category.

Unused hotel accommodations or any other unused features of this tour are not refundable nor exchangeable for other services. The right is reserved to substitute hotels and sightseeing features if it becomes necessary. Each tour member must be able to get on and off the motor coach unaided and not require walking devices or wheelchairs. Smoking on motor coaches is not permitted.

NOT INCLUDED IN THE TOUR COST: Cost of passports, transfers on arrival and departure, beverages with meals provided, items of a personal nature; phone calls, laundry, optional insurance, gratuities to escorts, and drivers.

BAGGAGE: Free baggage allowance on transatlantic flights is one suitcase per person not exceeding 50 lbs. and 62 in. (sum of three sides). *Make sure price of your ticket includes one bag, as many low cost fares include only carry-on bag.*

DOCUMENTS: A valid U.S. or foreign passport is required. To apply for passport, contact your local U.S. Post Office. Check the validity of your passport and be sure it is valid for at least six months after your return date.

CANCELLATIONS: All cancellations must be made in writing to PAT TOURS. All cancellations must be made in writing to PAT TOURS. For

cancellations received prior to departure charges are: up to 61 days - \$200 is non refundable. Between 60 to 31 days - 50% of the tour cost; 30 to 2 days - 90%; 1 or less, there is no refund. AIRLINE TICKETS, if issued, are subject to the airline cancellation policy applicable to the airfare used. After completion of the tour, claims for refund must be made in writing within 30 days. AIRLINE TICKETS, when issued, are subject to the airline cancellation policy applicable to the airfare used. After completion of the tour, claims for refund must be made in writing within 30 days.

INSURANCE: Travel insurance with coverage for (trip cancellation, emergency medical, baggage delay, and trip delay) is recommended and will be offered to all tour participants with confirmation. *Pre existing medical condition can be waived if insurance is purchased within 15 days of initial tour deposit. Call us to apply or visit our web site.*

RESPONSIBILITY: The travel agency, PAT TOURS, 1446 Riverdale St. W. Springfield, MA 01089, acts only as an agent for the Gate1 and its various companies who provide arrangements for hotels, sightseeing tours, and transportation or any other service in connection with the itineraries of individual tour members who by acceptance thereof, acknowledges that the travel agency or its agents and suppliers shall not be liable for injury, damage, loss, accident, delay or irregularity, liability or expense to person or property due to act or default of any hotel, carrier or other company or person providing or rendering of services included in the tours. Further, the travel agency or its agents accept no responsibility for any sickness, pilferage, labor disputes, machinery breakdown, government restraints, wars, whether declared or not, riots, theft, weather condition, defect in any vehicle of transportation or for any misadventure or casualty or any other causes beyond their control. PAT TOURS reserves the right to cancel, change, substitute any service and to decline to accept or retain any tour member at any time for any reason including insufficient number of participants.

To make reservation, complete form below and return to:

PAT TOURS

1446 Riverdale Street
West Springfield, MA 01089

Tel: (413) 747-7702

1-800-388-0988; Fax: 413-747-8114

e-mail: info@pattours.com

2021 Tour Reservation Form: BEST OF CENTRAL EUROPE

Enclosed is my deposit check \$ _____ (\$200 per person, non-refundable) payable to PAT TOURS to reserve _____ seat(s) on the above tour starting in Budapest on _____. *Deposit can also be made by credit card.*

Flight reservation: Need round trip flights departing on _____ from _____ returning on _____. Preferred airline (if any) _____.

Please charge the amount of \$ _____ to my (AX, VI, MC, DS) # _____ Exp. Date _____.

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE NAME (as appear in your passport *)	Date of Birth	Passport #	Exp. Date
Mr/Mrs/Ms			
Mr/Mrs/Ms			

Address: _____

Tel: (Home) _____ (Cell:) _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

e-mail: _____

ROOM OCCUPANCY: Double room: One bed _____: Two beds _____:

Single room _____; Need roommate _____

Special requests: _____

Sharing with: _____

I have read and accepted the Tour Conditions on behalf of the above persons:

Signature _____

**Make sure your name matches your PASSPORT. Name changes on airline tickets are not permitted.*