



Krka National Park excursion **August 27th, 2014**

The Krka National Park was proclaimed in 1985, as the seventh national park in Croatia, though certain sections of the Krka River were already protected as early as 1948. The national park is a vast and primarily unaltered area of exceptional natural value, including one or more preserved or insignificantly altered ecosystems. The purpose of the park is primarily to serve science, culture, education and recreation, while tourism activities have also been introduced for its visitors.

Krka National Park lies within Šibenik-Knin County, covers a total area of 109 km² of the loveliest sections of the Krka River, and the lower course of the Čikola River.



Excursion program:

09:15 h Group meeting (meeting point will be indicated on the excursion voucher);

09:30 h Departure to Krka NP, sightseeing:

Roški slap is situated about 36 km downstream of the Krka River spring. The start of the barrier is made up of a series of small cascades (called the 'necklace' by the locals), followed by numerous backwaters and islets. The main water is at the end of the barrier, where the Krka crashes down 15 m into Visovac Lake. The travertine forms at Roški slap include caves, tufts, thresholds, barriers and tapers. The tapers appear at the base of the main waterfall and represent the specificity of the Roški slap cascades.

Skradinski buk is the longest and most visited waterfall on the Krka River, and one of the best known natural features in Croatia. These cascades are formed by travertine barriers, islands and lakes, making this one of the most unusual and loveliest landscapes in the park. The travertine cascades of the Krka River are very fragile and sensitive to natural changes and all human activities. Bathing is permitted at Skradinski buk. Visitors can also visit the old water mills, the ethnography collection, the souvenir shop or find refreshment in one of the hospitality facilities.

14:30 h Departure to Skradin which is simply magical in its each and every detail. Lunch in the Skala Restaurant with nice view of the marina . Free time for individual sightseeing in Skradin;

Restaurant Skala lunch options:

Meat menu: aperitive, beef soup, Dalmatian dried ham & famous cheese of island Pag, grilled lamb, grilled vegetables, croquettes, mixed salad, homemade bread, cake "Skradin";

Fish menu: aperitive, fish soup „ a`la Skradin“, octopus salad "Skala", fillet steak sea bass, Dalmatian Swiss chard, homemade bread, cake "Skradin.

17:00 h Departure to Šibenik, visit the one of Dalmatia's most valuable religious monuments, the 15-th century St. Jacob's Cathedral. Free time in Šibenik, individual exploring;

19:30 h Departure for return to Split;

20:30 h Estimated arrival time.

Price includes bus transportation, entrance tickets, lunch, official tour guide during the excursion.

Minimum number of 25 passengers is required for organization of the trip. [Reservation form](#)

Price per adult: EUR 60,00

Price for youth(12 – 18 years old): EUR 55,00

Price for children (2 -12 years old) : EUR 50,00

Please dress casually, bring your camera, bathing suit, towel and sunglasses.

Notice: Persons with disabilities may not be able to visit all attractions.