

65TH IALB/ 15TH EUFRAS/ 12TH SEASN CONFERENCE
16 – 18 June 2026; Radenci, Slovenia

ACCOMPANYING PERSONS PROGRAMME

Organised by HOTEL RADIN

Discovering Pomurje: Local Heritage, Flavours and Wine Culture

While conference participants take part in the professional programme, accompanying persons are warmly invited to join a relaxed one-day excursion through Pomurje, organised by Hotel Radin.

The programme offers a pleasant introduction to the region through a combination of local heritage, traditional flavours, regional products and wine culture. Participants will visit EXPANO, an interactive pavilion presenting the Pomurje region, discover the local tradition of pumpkin seed oil production at a nearby oil mill, enjoy lunch at Restaurant Zvezda, and end the day with a wine tasting experience at the Kapela Wine Fountain.

The excursion is planned from 9:00 to 17:00, with bus transport organised from Radenci.

Programme

Time	Programme
09:00	Departure from the hotel in Radenci
09:45–11:15	Visit to EXPANO, Murska Sobota
11:45–12:45	Visit to Oljarna Šaruga
13:15–14:30	Lunch at Restaurant Zvezda
15:00–16:15	Wine tasting at Kapela Wine Fountain
17:00	Return to Radenci

Programme Stops

EXPANO – Door to Pomurje

EXPANO is a regional promotion and experience pavilion located near Lake Sobota in Murska Sobota. It presents Pomurje through interactive content, modern technology, regional stories and exhibitions that introduce visitors to the natural, cultural and culinary identity of the region. The pavilion was originally created for Expo 2015 in Milan and today serves as a “door to Pomurje”.



Oljarna Šaruga – Local Pumpkin Seed Oil Tradition

Oljarna Šaruga is a local oil mill connected with one of the most recognisable products of the region: pumpkin seed oil. The visit offers an opportunity to discover the tradition of oil production in Pomurje and to learn more about local products made from pumpkin seeds. According to the current proposal, there is no entrance fee, but visitors are expected to purchase some products.



Restaurant Zvezda – Lunch in Murska Sobota

Restaurant Zvezda is located in Murska Sobota and offers a pleasant setting for lunch. The restaurant serves daily lunches, local dishes and other meals, and is suitable for group visits and social gatherings. For this programme, a buffet-style lunch is proposed.

Kapela Wine Fountain – Wine Tasting with a View

The Kapela Wine Fountain is located in the Radgonsko-Kapelske gorice wine-growing area, near the Church of St. Mary Magdalene. It offers visitors the opportunity to taste local wines while enjoying views of the surrounding vineyards and landscape. The tasting includes six wine samples and a souvenir glass.



Estimated price for the programme: 60–70 EUR

per person (depending on the final number of participants). The price includes:

- bus transport,
- entrance to EXPANO,
- wine tasting at the Kapela Wine Fountain with six wine samples and a souvenir glass,
- and a buffet lunch at Restaurant Zvezda.
- The visit to Oljarna Šaruga has no entrance fee; however, participants are expected to purchase some local products during the visit as a form of compensation for the free entrance.

Applications for the Accompanying persons programme will be possible at the reception of the Radin Hotel until 17. 06. 2026