

ZANAVYKAI REGION MOSAIC



We shall go to Zypliai Manor that is called as the mecca of artists of Suvalkija. After a walk around the Zypliai Manor homestead, visiting of the art gallery, we shall go towards a small town of Lukšiai. It would be hard to find a more beautiful town than that in this region. The town shines with its tidiness, cleanness; there is a sculpture park situated in its centre – all that is a merit of the tireless sculptor and folkartist Vidas Cikana. Zanavykai cheeses, which are favourite ones both in Lithuania and abroad, are produced in the town. Further, we shall move straight to Zanavykai tasting (“Zanavykų ragaučius”). There, guests will be met by a hospitable housewife (“gaspadinė”) and her girls (“mergučės”), seated at the table full of dishes, fed abundantly; and while guests are eating, the housewife will tell, using a nice Zanavykai dialect, about Zanavykai cuisine and mode of life, culinary uniqueness and secrets. After such a feast it is possible to taste the sowthistle wine, which is told about in the song: the very winemaker of Šakiai region will tell about history and manufacture of this and other wines.

After tasting, it is a high time to visit cosy mansions, having preserved a special aura, of Gelgaudiškis Manor.

The excursion will be ended in the small town of Sudargas situated on the picturesque bank of Nemunas River. Both the town and five- mound complex of Sudargas are famous with their history, legends and wonderful panorama.

Perfect mood will stream not only at the stop places but also all over the trip...

Excursion price includes:

- Travelling by a comfortable bus
- Excursion guide
- Sightseeing excursions
- Visiting of Zypliai Manor
- Program “Sowthistle Wine”
- Excursion with dances in Gelgaudiškis Manor
- National dishes “Zanavykai Ragaučius”

Full day excursion. Price per person - 60 EUR

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