



# **PRIVATE HIKING TOUR**

## **7 PEAKS OF HIGH TATRAS 2024**

National Park of Tatras





## ABOUT THIS TRIP

10 DAYS / 1 NATIONAL PARK / LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY: DIFFICULT

Seven Peaks of the National Park of High Tatras

**Important note** - this tour is only possible from June 15 until October 31  
winter closure of the trails is from the 1st November – 14th June

This tour is only for experienced, physically fit hikers.

There are almost 30 peaks over 2500 meters AMSL. The highest peak is Gerlachovský štít, 2654 meters (8707 ft), the second highest is Lomnický štít, 2634 meters (8641 ft), it is also possible to visit the top of this peak by cable car.

As the symbol of Slovak mountains is considered a spectacular Mt. Kriváň, 2494 meters (8182 ft).

National Park of Tatras is home to mountain goats, eagles, brown bears, lynxes and wolves. Our guide will have a binocular, so with little bit of luck we might spot some animals in the distance. Group size is 2 to 7 people.

Our Base Camp for all overnights is in Strbske Pleso - the highest located mountain resort with a mountain lake and breathtaking views. You will stay all overnights in the heart of the mountains.

Transportation (from accommodation to the tour start and back) is only by our private car (personal car or van for a group of up to 7).

Equipment required: waterproof clothing, raincoat, trekking boots, backpack, Mountain tour guides have been personally chosen by Peter Blazicek, CEO & founder. They are experienced, professional, knowledgeable and passionate.



Peter & Jane Blazicek / Best Slovakia Tours – Travel Team

# YOUR TOUR ITINERARY

## DAY 1

### WELCOME TO SLOVAKIA



We'll pick you up from the airport and comfortable drive you to impressive High Tatra Mountains.

The comfortable drive takes 4 hours from Vienna Schwechat airport, Austria, 3 hours 30min from Bratislava, Slovakia and 3 hours from Krakow, Poland.

Relaxing walk around Strbske Pleso lake, welcome dinner and drink, itinerary introduction and start of your lovely hiking holiday.

Accommodation: Villa Emma or Villa Polar\*\*\* / Overnight: Strbske Pleso – High Tatras

## DAY 2

### FURKOTSKY PEAK (2403 m)



Breakfast at 5:00am, briefing, departure at 5:45am. Hiking to the top of Furkotsky stit that towers above the valley called Furkotska dolina.

We will be passing beautiful waterfall, glacial lakes, such as Kozie plesa, Capie pleso, Okruhle pleso and others.

**Route:** Strbske Pleso – Vodopad Skok – Bystra Lavka – Furkotsky Stit – Strbske Pleso

**Total hiking time:** 6 hours 30 min

**Level of difficulty:** Difficult

**Lowest altitude:** 1,350 m (4,150 ft)

**Highest altitude:** 2,405 m (7,890 ft)

**Gained elevation:** 1,055 m (3,461 ft)

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## DAY 3

### KOPROVSKY PEAK (2363 m)



Breakfast at 5:00am, briefing, departure at 5:45am. We'll hike on a very popular hiking route with spectacular views of mountain lakes and different peaks - Krivan peak, Mengusovsky peak and even Lomnický peak.



**Route:** Strbské Pleso – Popradské Pleso – Veľké Hincovo Pleso – Vysné Koprovske Sedlo – Koprovske Stit

**Total hiking time:** 7 hours 30 min

**Level of difficulty:** Difficult

**Lowest altitude:** 1,350 m (4,429 ft)

**Highest altitude:** 2,367 m (7,890 ft)

**Gained elevation:** 1,017 m (3,336 ft)

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## DAY 4

### VYCHODNA VYSOKA PEAK (2429 m)



Breakfast at 5:00am, briefing, departure at 5:45am. Hiking to Vychodná Vysoká will give us panoramic views of the High Tatras. On our way, we will be passing Sliezsky dom, a mountain hotel located near the Veľické pleso – mountain lake. The area is full of mountain flowers and we might see the mountain goats called chamois (in Slovak = kamzíky).

**Route:** Tatranská Polianka - Sliezsky dom - Polský hreben - Vychodná vysoká

**Total hiking time:** 8 hours

**Level of difficulty:** Difficult

**Lowest altitude:** 1,004 m (3,294 ft)

**Highest altitude:** 2,428 m (7,965 ft)

**Gained elevation:** 1,424 m (4,671 ft)

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## DAY 5

### SLAVKOVSKY PEAK (2452 m)



Breakfast at 5:00am, briefing, departure at 5:45am. We'll hike up to Slavkovsky peak, first part of the hike is through the forests, dwarf pines, then on a rocky trail. We'll enjoy one of the most beautiful views in the High Tatras such as the views of the Small Cold Valley, Vychodna Vysoka peak and Gerlachovsky peak (the highest peak of the Tatra mountains)



**Route:** Stary Smokovec - Razcestie na Tatranskej Magistrale - Slavkovsky stit Vychodna vysoka

**Total hiking time:** 9 hours

**Level of difficulty:** Difficult

**Lowest altitude:** 1,010 m (3,313 ft)

**Highest altitude:** 2,452 m (8,044 ft)

**Gained elevation:** 1,444 m (4,731 ft)

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## DAY 6

### RELAXING DAY



Today, well-deserved relaxing day. Meeting at 9am and no hiking today. We have already conquered 4 wonderful peaks - it's time to recover body and soul ;)

Optional trips:

1, Half-day trip to Levoca medieval town and Spiss castle

2, Aqua City Poprad – swimming and SPA treatments

3, Tatrallandia Aquapark or Besenova Aquapark– swimming and SPA treatments

4, Vrbove termal water

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## DAY 7

### JAHNACI PEAK (2229 m)



Breakfast at 5:00am, briefing, departure at 5:45am. From Tatranske Matliare up to chalet Chata pri Zelenom plese, hiking to the top of Jahnaci peak. From the top we'll enjoy best views of the Belianske Tatry - the eastern part of Tatras mountains

We will be crossing a very difficult hiking terrain with the help of chains and foot-boards

mounted to the cliffs.

**Route:** Biela voda - razcestie Salviovy pramen - Chata pri Zelenom plese - Jahnaci stit

**Total hiking time:** 9hrs 30min

**Level of difficulty:** Difficult

**Lowest altitude:** 885 m (2,903 ft)

**Highest altitude:** 2,230 m (7,316 ft)

**Gained elevation:** 1,130 m (3,707 ft)

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## DAY 8

### RYSY PEAK (2503 m)



Breakfast at 5:00am, briefing, departure at 5:45am. and hike up to Chata pod Rysmi, the highest mountain chalet in the High Tatras, and then hike to Rysy, the most visited peak in the High Tatras, located on the border with Poland.

Enjoy the most spectacular panoramic views.

**Route:** Strbske Pleso - Popradske Pleso - Zabie lakes - (chains!) – Chata pod Rysmi – up to Rysy peak

**Total hiking time:** 7hr 30min

**Total length:** 20,4 km (12,67 mi)

**Level of difficulty:** difficult

**Highest altitude:** 2,503 m (8,198 ft)

**Lowest altitude:** 978 m (3,208 ft)

**Gained elevation:** 1525 m (3,753 ft)

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## DAY 9

### Mt. KRIVAN – SYMBOL OF SLOVAK MOUNTAINS (2494 m)



Breakfast at 5:00am, briefing, departure at 5:45am. We'll hike to the top of Krivan peak, a symbol of Slovak mountains and a dominant peak of the High Tatras.

Did you know that there were gold mines under its top in the past?

Most probably we will not find gold any more, but no doubts, it's one of the best hiking tours in Tatras.

Farewell dinner - we'll book a table in a lovely Koliba restaurant and enjoy the specialties.

**Route:** Strbske pleso - Razcestie pod Furkotskou dolinou - Jamske pleso - pod Krivanom - Krivan peak

**Total hiking time:** 7hrs 30min

**Total length:** 19.2 km (11,9 mi)

**Level of difficulty:** difficult

**Highest altitude:** 2,494 m (8,182 ft)

**Lowest altitude:** 1,350 m (4,429 ft)

**Gained elevation:** 1,140 m (3,740 ft)



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## DAY 10

### FAREWELL TO OUR TRAVEL FRIENDS

Your memorable holiday comes to an end today. We'll arrange for you an airport transfer, a comfortable door-to-door service for discounted rates.



## HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS TOUR

Trekking in the National Park of Tatras (TANAP)

Mt Krivan – symbol of Slovaks and Slovak mountains

Rysy peak – one of the most popular hikes – over 2500 meters

Top of the peaks – Koprovsky, Jahnaci, Vychodna Vysoka

Enjoying gastronomical delights in Koliba restaurants and enjoying Slovak meals, drinks desserts and of course plum brandy Slivovica or Tatra tea

## LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY

On this hiking tour you'll experience tours they are difficult. It requires to be in top physical conditions. All tours are on the marked trails.

## WHAT IS ALWAYS INCLUDED

- ✓ **Meals:** 9x Breakfast, 1x Welcome drink, 1x Welcome dinner, 1x Farewell dinner
- ✓ **Overnights:** 9x in cosy pensions, Including VAT (Value Added Tax), City Tax
- ✓ **Tour guides:** Specially trained professional mountain guides from our team
- ✓ **Insurance:** Mountain rescue insurance for 8 days
- ✓ **Transportation:** For 2-3 travelers - personal car with A/C, for 4-7 travelers - our new model Van Mercedes Benz V-class, equipped with adjustable seats and A/C in all zones
- ✓ Map of High Tatras and Slovakia, Information material, Brochures, Photos of Your Holiday (link)

## WHAT IS EXCLUDED

Flights to/from Slovakia, Return airport transfers - ask and get the special rate

Travel insurance, Personal expenses, Meals and drinks for clients (except of Welcome and Farewell dinner), Entrance tickets, Cable car tickets, Gratuities to Guide-driver (optional)

Anything not mentioned in included

## AVAILABILITY AND PRICES - TRAVEL SEASON 2024

Our price policy is to offer fair and attractive prices for high quality tours.

Price is per person with minimum of 2 travelers

**Group of 2 travelers: € 2650.00 per person**

**Group of 4 travelers: € 1750.00 per person**

**Group of 6 travelers: € 1650.00 per person**



## IMPORTANT ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

\*7 peak hiking tour is only possible from June 15 until October 31

\*Some routes might be temporarily closed due to reconstructions or due to bad weather, alternative program will be offered

\*All prices are per person sharing twin/double room

\*Extra bed possible for a surcharge

\*Single supplement for a surcharge

\*Mountain insurance covers mountain rescue services (it does not cover all medical services). Mountain insurance covers national parks - Mala Fatra, Velka Fatra, Low Tatras, High Tatras (Western Tatras and Belianske Tatras), NP Pieniny, NP Paradise. We'll book and pay for you this type of insurance for the days you will be hiking. We'll need your name, surname, day of birth and nationality. All details about mountain insurance with terms & conditions will be given at the time of booking.

\*For all tours leading to the top of the peaks, it is essential an early morning start. We'll start with a breakfast at 5am, followed by a short briefing and departure to the hiking trail at 5:45. The hiking tour will start at 6am from Strbske Pleso. We'll drive to other parts of the Tatras and start touring in Stary Smokovec at 6:15 and in Tatranska Lomnica at 6:30am).

## TOUR REVIEWS



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