

Central European Beercation

May 21 -June 8, 2027

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY – DURING BUDAPEST BEER WEEK
LJUBLJANA, SLOVENIA • ZAGREB, CROATIA

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YOUR BEERCATION INCLUDES

- **11-night hotel stay at centrally located 3 or 4-star hotels.**
  - **4 nights Budapest, Hungary**
  - **3 nights Ljubljana, Slovenia**
  - **4 nights Zagreb, Croatia**
- **Breakfast at our hotel is included every day.**
- **5 Lunches**
- **5 Dinners**
- **1 Happy Hour Farewell Toast with Appetizer.**
- **Ground transportation for day trips and between cities by private motor coach.** (Complimentary water, soft drinks, and beer on board.)
- **Walking Tour of Budapest.**
- **Attend the Saturday Session of the Budapest Beer Week Beer Festival!**
- **Tour Buda Castle**
- **Bike Tour of Ljubljana.**
- **Visit Ljubljana Castle.**
- **Take a day trip to Lake Bled.**
- **Visit the world's FIRST Beer Fountain!**
- **Walking tour of Zagreb.**
- **Explore the natural beauty of Croatia's Plitviče Lakes National Park.**
- **Several PubCulture.Beer Pub Crawls in each city!**
- **Plus, much more!**
- **All Miscellaneous Charges/Transfer Fees**
- **Gratuities for included events, including group meals and drinks, coach drivers, and tour guides, including your tour leader.**
- **All Taxes and Fees related to the cost of the tour.**

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Detailed Itinerary

(Last Updated May 25, 2026)

Day 1 – Friday, May 21st
Budapest, Hungary

3:30 **Tour Introductions and Welcome Toast at Beer Brothers Craft Beer Bar**
Free time until the welcome dinner.
Meet in the lobby at 6:45 if you want to walk as a group or meet at the restaurant.

7:00 **Group Welcome Dinner at Beerstro 14** (6-minute walk from our hotel)
One of Budapest's highest-rated beer and food restaurants!
The remainder of the evening is free.

Use your PubCulture.Beer Budapest Digital Map to explore this famous Central European city! Find points of interest, restaurants, great bars serving craft beer or cocktails, or visit Budapest's unique "Ruin Bars" on a Friday night!

Day 2 –Saturday, May 22nd
Budapest, Hungary

9:30 **Walking tour of Budapest.** (Tour departs from our hotel lobby)
Our guide will meet us at our hotel and lead us on a walking tour of Budapest. We will mostly focus on the Pest side of the city and tour the Buda side later.

12:30 **Group lunch at (T.B.A.)**

2:00 **Budapest Beer Week Beer Fest – 6 hours of unlimited tasting!!**

We will head to the BPBF from lunch. You can stay as long or as little as you like, but your admission ticket includes the tasting glass and unlimited sampling.

The remainder of your day/night is free.

Use your PubCulture.Beer Budapest Digital Map to find more craft beer breweries or pubs, the infamous Budapest Ruin Bars, or maybe some post-beerfest restaurants or food trucks for some beer-fueled munchies!

Day 3 – Sunday, May 23rd
Budapest, Hungary

Entire Free Day to enjoy Budapest – and recover from the beer fest!

Visit the Hungarian Parliament Building, Buda Castle, Fisherman's Bastion, or St. Stephen's Basilica. Don't miss the opportunity to explore the Danube River, relax in thermal baths like Széchenyi Spa, or one of many others, wander through the Central Market Hall or stroll along Andrassy Avenue. We will meet at 1:00pm for a group lunch.

(Don't forget to bring bathing suits for the spas. Some spas, or areas of spas, are with suits, some are nude, so look before booking as to which kind of spa you are comfortable experiencing)

7:30 Optional PubCulture.Beer Budapest Ruin Bar Pub Crawl

Ruin Bars are popular bars that have opened in formerly abandoned buildings and are now an integral, unique part of the city's nightlife, generally found in and around Budapest's former Jewish Quarter.

Ruin Bar Pub Crawl Route – feel free to join up, or depart, at any time.

Szimpla Kert
Instant-Fogas
Mazel Tov
Élesztőház
Csendes Létterem
Kőleves Kert

Day 4 – Monday, May 24th
Budapest, Hungary

Free Morning to explore Budapest on our final day in Hungary.

2:00 Meet in the lobby to head to Buda Castle by Public Transportation

2:30 Guided Tour at Buda Castle (approx. 1.5 hours)

The remainder of the afternoon is free.

6:45 Depart from our hotel. (About an 8-minute walk from the hotel.)

7:00 Dinner at KOLBIZZ Sausage & Beer House

Locally brewed Hungarian craft beer paired with traditional Hungarian dishes.

Use your PubCulture.Beer Budapest Digital Map to enjoy your last night in Budapest before we head to Slovenia in the morning.

Day 5 – Tuesday, May 25th
Ljubljana, Slovenia

Check out of our hotel and board our private coach.

9:00 **Depart for Varaždin, Croatia.**
12:00 **Arrive at Varaždin.** (Explore on your own. Time for lunch if hungry)

Varaždin is known for its Baroque and Rococo architecture, including the 17th-century Sermage Palace, which displays Croatian and international old masters and modern paintings. You can find exhibits of historical artifacts in the old town fortress. Lisak Tower is the only surviving part of the old city walls.

2:30 **Depart for Ljubljana, Slovenia.**
5:00 **Check into the Best Western Premier Hotel Slon.**

Free time to explore around our hotel.

7:00 **Group Dinner at Zlata Ladjica Restaurant** (8-min walk from our hotel)

A 3-course beer-paired dinner at one of the city's best craft beer dining experiences! A meal that will explore Slovenia with all your senses, including the harmony of flavors created with carefully selected local ingredients and Slovenian beers.

The remainder of the night is free.

Use your PubCulture.Beer Ljubljana Digital Map to explore the city's nightlife, including craft beer bars, cocktail bars, and traditional pubs!

Day 6 – Wednesday, May 26th
Ljubljana, Slovenia

3-HOUR PRIVATE OLD TOWN BIKE TOUR
WITH LJUBLJANA BIKE TOURS

9:15 Depart from our hotel lobby.
(Walk 8 minutes to our bike tour meeting point - the famous **Dragon Bridge**!)
9:30 **Bike Tour of Old Town and other points of interest, with a stop for a beer!**
12:30 **Bike Tour Ends.**
1:00 **Group Lunch (Location T.B.D.)**

The remainder of the day is free.

8:00 **Optional Ljubljana Pub Crawl – Or follow along on this map -> Pub Crawl**

Use your PubCulture.Beer Ljubljana Digital Map to search out more points of interest, enjoy Slovenian craft beer at a pub or on a terrace, or choose one of many restaurants for dinner – from traditional Slovenian to Mediterranean, Italian, or seafood, Ljubljana has something for everyone!

(Some restaurants may require reservations. Click "Open in Google" from the map for more information.)

Day 7 – Thursday, May 27th
Ljubljana, Slovenia

DAY TRIP TO LAKE BLED

9:30 Depart for a day trip to Lake Bled from hotel lobby.

10:30 Arrive at Lake Bled.

One of Slovenia's most popular destinations, Lake Bled's greatest attraction is its exquisite blue-green lake. You will have several hours to explore this beautiful spot. Take a hike, climb up to Bled Castle, or take a boat across the lake to Bled Island to the Church of Assumption. There are many cafes and small bars as well for you to grab yourself lunch, the famous cake of Lake Bled, or just a terrace to enjoy a beer.

2:30 Depart back to Ljubljana.

3:30 Arrive back at our hotel.

You will have some free time to enjoy our final day in Ljubljana before dinner.

5:00 **Union Experience Museum Tour.**

Pivovarna Union is one of the largest breweries in Slovenia, and was formed in 1864. Today, Union is still a very popular brand. We will visit their brewery museum after lunch.

6:30 **Group Dinner at the Union Pub**

The remainder of your night is free.

Using your PubCulture.Beer Ljubljana Digital Map, spend the rest of the day exploring more of this city. From sightseeing to shopping to discovering more of the amazing local beer scene, your map has plenty of suggestions.

Day 8 – Friday, May 28th
Zagreb, Croatia

Check out of the hotel and board our private coach.

9:00 **Depart for Žalec, Slovenia.**

11:30 **Arrive at Žalec, Slovenia.**

Tour the Museum of Hop Growing and Brewing, drink beer from the Green Gold Beer Fountain – the world's first - and have a traditional hop-picker's lunch. After our tour, we will visit and drink beer from the Green Gold Beer Fountain – the world's first!

3:00 **Depart for Zagreb, Croatia.**

4:00 **Check into the Hotel Dubrovnik Zagreb**

The rest of your day is free to explore the area around our hotel, known as "Lower Town". Specifically, our hotel is on Ban Jelačić Square, Zagreb's main square. We are near a daily market and a large city park.

Use your PubCulture.Beer Zagreb Digital Map to explore Croatia's Capital City! Find points of interest, recommended restaurants, or discover the city's vibrant craft beer scene's beer bars and breweries. Looking for more than a beer, find cocktail and wine bars, as well as traditional local pubs!

Day 9 – Saturday, May 29th
Zagreb, Croatia

10:00 Walking tour of Zagreb. (Tour departs from our hotel lobby)

Our guide will meet us at our hotel and lead us on a walking tour of Zagreb.

12:30 Group lunch at (tour guide is arranging)

After a full itinerary the day before, the remainder of the day is free to explore more of Zagreb on your own.

8:00 PubCulture.Beer's Optional Zagreb Pub Crawl.

Use your PubCulture.Beer Zagreb Digital Map to make the most of a Saturday night in Zagreb. Spend more time exploring the craft beer scene, venture into the world of Croatian wine, or just find a restaurant to enjoy.

Day 10 – Sunday, May 30th
Zagreb, Croatia

DAY TRIP TO PLITVICE LAKES NATIONAL PARK

Plitviče Lakes National Park is known for a chain of 16 terraced lakes, joined by waterfalls, that extend into a limestone canyon. Walkways and hiking trails wind around and across the water. An electric boat links the 12 upper and 4 lower lakes.

9:00 Depart for a day trip to Plitviče Lakes National Park from our hotel.
10:30 Stop at Rastoke village for a short break and time to walk around.
11:30 Guided tour of tour of Plitvice Lakes (there is a place for you to grab lunch on your own)
3:30 Depart back to Zagreb.
5:30 Arrive back at our hotel.

6:30 Depart from our hotel lobby for tram. (About 1-minute walk from hotel.)
6:36 Take tram #14 (Mihaljevac) from Trg J. Jelačića stop. (Next tram at 6:43pm)
6:52 Get off at Jandrićeva. (ride 6 stops) Walk 2 minutes to the restaurant.

7:00 Final Group Dinner at Pivinca | Pivovara Mlinarica

House-brewed craft beer paired with traditional Croatian dishes.

The remainder of your night is free.

Use your PubCulture.Beer Zagreb Digital Map your night into search out more Croatian craft beer bars, wine bars, and the cocktail scene!

Day 11 – Monday, May 31st
Zagreb, Croatia

As our beercation comes to an end, today is a free day to find those final souvenirs, begin to pack for the journey home, and just to relax as it is our last full day of the beercation.

5:00 **We finish the day with our Farewell Happy Hour Toast at Mali Medo!**

After our toast, the rest of your evening is free to relax, pack for tomorrow's departure, or enjoy Zagreb one final night, reminiscing about the past 11 days.

Use your PubCulture.Beer Zagreb Digital Map to enjoy the final night of your Central European Beercation.

Tuesday, June 1st
Departure Day

End of the Scheduled Central European Beercation Itinerary

Please try not to book return flights with a departure before 11am or you may not be able to have breakfast at the hotel and will have to make your own arrangements to get to the airport from the hotel, at your own costs.

Hotel Information

- **4 nights in Budapest, Hungary**
  May 21st – 24th

  ## Mercure Budapest City Center ⋆ ⋆ ⋆ ⋆

  Ntak: Sz19000376, Váci u 20, 1052
  Budapest, Hungary
  Phone: +36 1 485 3100
  www.all.accor.com/hotel/6565

- **3 nights in Ljubljana, Slovenia**
  May 25th – 27th

  ## Best Western Premier Hotel Slon⋆ ⋆ ⋆ ⋆

  Slovenska cesta 34, 1000
  Ljubljana, Slovenia
  Phone: +386 1 470 11 00
  www.hotelslon.com

- **4 nights in Zagreb, Croatia**
  May 28th – 31st

  ## Hotel Dubrovnik⋆ ⋆ ⋆ ⋆

  Gajeva ul. 1, 10000,
  Zagreb, Croatia
  Phone: +385 1 4863 555
  www.hotel-dubrovnik.hr

CENTRAL EUROPEAN BEERCATION

TERMS & CONDITIONS INCLUDING PRICING DETAILS

• Pub Culture Beercations will provide ground transportation, lodging, tour guide(s), and organize all travel itineraries and tour site(s) arrangements as outlined in the "Central European Beercation" itinerary. If any changes are made to the itinerary, participants will be notified of said changes, and those changes will be of comparable or better quality.

• Where applicable, as outlined in the tour itinerary, meals listed as included will be provided in the tour cost. Meals not listed as included will be the participant's responsibility.

• To operate our tours, we require a minimum of 16 beercationers booked. Any tour that does not reach the required minimum number of participants 170 days before departure will be canceled.

• Pub Culture Beercations plans our tours for a maximum of 32 people. Requests for additional beercationers are subject to hotel availability and any tour/excursion caps during the beercation and are not guaranteed.

• Participants must be of legal drinking age in the country(s) your pub culture beercations trip visits. A parent or legal guardian must accompany participants who are aged 18 or under.

• The price per person for Pub Culture Beercations' "Central European Beercation", May 21-June 1, 2027, for a total of 11 nights across Hungary, Slovenia, and Croatia, is $4899.00 ($445/day) per person based on double occupancy. Save $150.00 per person at $4749.00 ($432/day) if paid in full at the time of booking through February 5, 2027. Save $450.00 with the Early Bird Discount, bringing the per-person price to $ 4449.00 ($404/day) if paid in full before November 20, 2026.

(Receive the Paid-In-Full and Early Bird Discounts for the per-person price of $4299.00 ($391/Day) through November 6, 2026.)

• For a Single Occupancy Supplement, an additional $850.00 will be applied to the per-person price for double occupancy, due exclusively to the higher cost of single rooms.

(Single rooms have limited availability.)

• Returning beercationers earn savings with our Frequent Beercationer Club discounts - $50.^{00} off each returning beercation, up to $350.^{00} off after eight or more tours!

• When committing to Pub Culture Beercation's "Central European Beercation", May 21-June 1, 2027, a $300.^{00} deposit per person is required to hold reservations for hotels, bus, and other group-scheduled events, unless you paid in full when booking.

• Your $300.00 will be applied towards the remaining trip balance.

(Deposit is refundable until February 5, 2027. After February 5th, the deposit is only refundable if your reservation can be filled by another traveler, or Pub Culture Beercations cancels the tour.)

• To receive the Early Bird Discount, your remaining trip balance is due no later than November 20, 2026. Full price balances are due no later than February 19, 2027.
(After February 19, 2027, any payments made are non-refundable. Beercationers who cancel after February 19, 2027, will only receive a full refund if another participant fills your spot or Pub Culture Beercations cancels the tour. Partial refunds will only be granted in the amount Pub Culture Beercations can be refunded for tour expenses, deposits, and charges already made, plus the amount of included tour items that have not been paid in advance, excluding the cost of any credit card fees.)

• Payments can be made by ACH bank transfers or credit cards through our website. We accept Visa, Mastercard, Discover, American Express, Apple Pay, and Google Pay.

• Cancellation by participants after February 19, 2027, will result in forfeiture of tour fees paid. Consideration of a partial refund can be made in extraordinary circumstances that can be proven.

• If, for any reason, the beercation is canceled by Pub Culture Beercations, except in cases of "force majeure", a full refund will be made to the contracting participant. Refunds will be issued to the original form of payment within 90 days of the date the cancellation letter and/or email is sent to all booked participants.

> **Force Majeure: Pub Culture Beercations will not be deemed in breach of this agreement or otherwise liable to you, by reason of delay in performance or nonperformance of any of its obligations under this agreement to the extent that any such delay or nonperformance is due to any force majeure. "Force Majeure" means any circumstances beyond our reasonable control, including without limitation acts of nature, terrorist activities, insurrection, explosion or accident, war or threat of war declared or undeclared, sabotage, civil disturbance, labor strikes, requisition, serious disease, quarantine or natural disasters such as floods, earthquakes or weather conditions, the act of any government or other national or local authority intervention, industrial dispute, natural or nuclear disaster, fire, chemical or biological disaster, and unforeseen circumstances which make it impossible to travel safely to the travel destination or remain at the travel destination or causes unavoidable technical problems with transport and all similar events outside our or the supplier(s) concerned's control. If we and any of our suppliers are affected by force majeure, we and our suppliers shall be entitled to, and may in our sole discretion, vary or cancel any itinerary or arrangement in relation to the tour. Regarding civil unrest, once we have investigated the prevailing situation, as we deem fit, it shall remain in our sole and absolute discretion whether to proceed with the tour. Likewise, except where otherwise expressly stated in these beercation participant terms and agreements, we are not obliged to provide a full refund or pay you compensation if our contractual obligations to you are affected by "Force Majeure" (partial refunds maybe given after deducting unrecoverable costs such as deposits, coach costs, transportation tickets, city fees, permits, brewery tours, admission fees, group events and any other tour itinerary included items).**
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> *(If you have purchased travel insurance, check with your provider if your beercation has been canceled due to "Force Majeure" and inquire if you can file a claim for these costs.)*

• Pub Culture Beercations' "Central European Beercation", May 21-June 1, 2027, has a moderate to active participation rating. Participants must be able to walk continuously for at least 30 minutes and keep up with the tour's scheduled pace. This means you must be able to keep up with the group and our planned activities, for example, but not limited to walking and/or biking city tours, brewery and distillery tours, and historical sites such as castles, museums, and more.

• We will have a private coach to take us between cities and planned events, but once in a town, you will be doing most of our exploration on foot and public transportation. Much of Europe is cobblestone, and many places may not have elevators. Participants who are unable to attend events on the tour due to personal limitations will not be refunded for any missed events. Likewise, the group cannot wait for people who are unable to participate in or keep up with the tour's scheduled activities and events.

• Travel Insurance is available and recommended, but to receive full coverage and the lowest price, travel insurance should be purchased within 14 days of your booking. Pub Culture Beercations LLC recommends Travelex travel insurance. location number 27-0198

• Pub Culture Beercations is not responsible for any injury or illness a participant may encounter while on the "Central European Beercation", May 21-June 1, 2027.

• Pub Culture Beercation participants are responsible for booking and purchasing their own flights.

• Pub Culture Beercations is not responsible for delays participants might encounter while traveling to the beercation meeting destination. Any delays encountered will be the trip participants' responsibility and expense to catch up with the rest of the group. No refund will be issued for any portion of the missed trip due to participants' unplanned travel delays.
(Check with your travel insurance provider, if purchased, to see if any expenses and losses can be claimed.)

• Please note, the cost associated with any additional days before the scheduled "Day 1" or after the "Final Day" of Pub Culture Beercations' "Central European Beercation", May 21-June 1, 2027, is not included in the total trip cost. Participants are responsible for making any arrangements, including hotel reservations and payments, before or after the included itinerary, unless purchasing Pub Culture Beercations "Early Arrival Add-On".

NOT INCLUDED IN YOUR BEERCATION

• Round-Trip Airfare

• Cost for any meals (including beverages and beers) outside of those listed on the "Central European Beercation", May 21-June 1, 2027, itinerary.

• Costs for excursions or activities listed as "optional" in the "Central European Beercation", May 21-June 1, 2027, itinerary.

• Costs for excursions or activities you choose during scheduled "free time" on the tour that are not listed in the "Central European Beercation", May 21-June 1, 2027, itinerary.

• Travel Insurance (recommended).

• Souvenirs or other optional purchases.