



*Maramures area cultural, travel & traditional events agenda*

1st - 7th August

### **Up on Vaser Valley – Vaser Valley**

Year by year, the inhabitants who have left the country a long time ago, for Germany or Austria, return to Maramures, where, they visit their native place, remembering the days of their youth.

Further info: 0262 354 012

15th of August:

### **Virgin Mary's celebration**

One of the most important orthodox religious custom. Large groups of pilgrims leave for the monasteries in the area of Maramures (such as Barsana, Dragomiresti, Moisei, Rohia), singing religious hymns dedicated to Virgin Mary



19th - 20th August

### **Beekeepers fest - Cernesti**

This festival is the direct expression of the Cernesti villagers' pride for their old tradition in apiculture, accompanied by exhibitions, contests, parties, dance and folk music shows. This event takes place every year, in the first Sunday after Virgin Mary's celebration (15 August) Further info: 0262 382 021

19-20 august

### **„For my darling from Botiza” – Botiza**

Another great opportunity to discover the local spirit, traditional dance and music from Maramures. Every year during the festival, the folk dances and violin players can be heard as far away as the neighbouring villages. Further info: 0729 083 078

19 - 20th August

### **“Roza Rozalina” Folk Festival - Rozavlea**

Already at its 12<sup>th</sup> edition, this well-known festival is dedicated to the conservation of traditions and national costumes. This year's celebrations include inauguration of a significant monument of the area, presentations of Rozavlea and symposiums on themes which regard this kind of manifestations. Another important aspect of this event is that it brings together the ones who have left the country and their dear ones, every single year.

Further info: 0262 333 011

20th August

## **Prislop dance festival**

Those who love traditional music come to Prislop every year, where the folk singers from Suceava, Maramures, Salaj and Bistrita perform on open-air stages.

The festival consists also of fairs and exhibitions of traditional clothing and masks.

Further info: 0262 342 249



26-27 august

## **The Festival of Chiorean Songs and Dances**

– Satulung

Besides being an excellent opportunity for young singers of the area, this festival is at the same time a great way to get acquainted with the customs of the Land of Chioar.

Further info: 0262 283 069



25th - 27th August

## **Maramont Climbing Cup – Limpedea, Baia Mare**

Maramont Cup gathers for the 5-th year, experienced climbing enthusiast, fearless of heights or gravitation effects which will put up a highly spectacular show for the visitors.

The contestants must take full responsibility for entering the competition, while the organizers offer the maximum level of security, basic first aid and a part of the equipment.

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