



# Valcea County - Romania's blue zone

## Day 1: A glimpse of Bucharest

Pick up from the airport, tour by bus or walking tour in Bucharest, transfer to Rm-Valcea and check in at Hotel Simfonia.\*\*\*\*

Bucharest Tour by bus/walking tour, get to know the main attractions of the capital (**Palace of Parliament, Romanian Athenaeum, George Enescu Museum, National Museum of Art**, most of them located on Calea Victoriei, the boulevard that has always been the beating heart of the city).



## Day 2: Where Nature meets Tradition

Let's discover Horezu area: situated in the northern part of Valcea county, Horezu is famous for its traditional pottery and ceramics, crafted entirely by hand.



- ✓ **Horezu Pottery (UNESCO Heritage)** – workshop
- ✓ **Culele de la Maldaresti** - fortified dwellings dating from the medieval period
- ✓ **Bistrita Gorges** - trekking in Buila Vanturarita National Park
- ✓ **Hurezi Monastery (UNESCO Heritage)** - built in the unique Romanian architectural style known as Brancovenesc

\*Traditional lunch can be provided if requested.



## Day 3: Relax at thermal pools with a view

Let's discover Calimanesti – Caciulata, the paradise famous for wonderful landscapes and its healing thermal springs and spas.

- ✓ **Trekking** on “Aleea de cura Balneara”, a 2 km walk into the forest with amazing views over Olt river and Cozia mountains
- ✓ **Ostrov Hermitage** located on an island in the middle of Olt River
- ✓ **Relaxing bath** in the **thermal pools** of the resort while admiring the majestic mountains

\*Traditional lunch can be provided if requested.



## Day 4: Dragasani – The Wine Land

Let's discover Dragasani area - the oldest vineyard in Oltenia:

- ✓ **Wine Museum in Dragasani** - a rich collection of traditional installations for processing grapes
- ✓ **Traditional Winery** where you'll have walks through the vineyard, tours of the winery and ...of course, wine tasting.

\*Lunch at the winery can be provided if requested.

\*Transfer to the airport.

### Good to know:

Hotel Simfonia combines comfort and elegance in a 4\* boutique hotel located in the center of Ramnicu Valcea. With its fine gastronomy and hospitality as second nature to this hotel staff, all the hotel guests will have an amazing experience here.

Other activities you can try:

- ✓ Horse riding
- ✓ During summer (visit to Transfagarasan and Transalpina, Romania's highest roads. Top Gear rated mountain road Transfagarasan as "best road in the world")
- ✓ Visit a traditional sheepfold
- ✓ Visit a local Salt Mine

**\*The package is a city break and it can be adjusted according to your needs.**

