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# BALATON BEYOND the BEACH

Wine, Volcanoes, Lavender & Cycling Experience

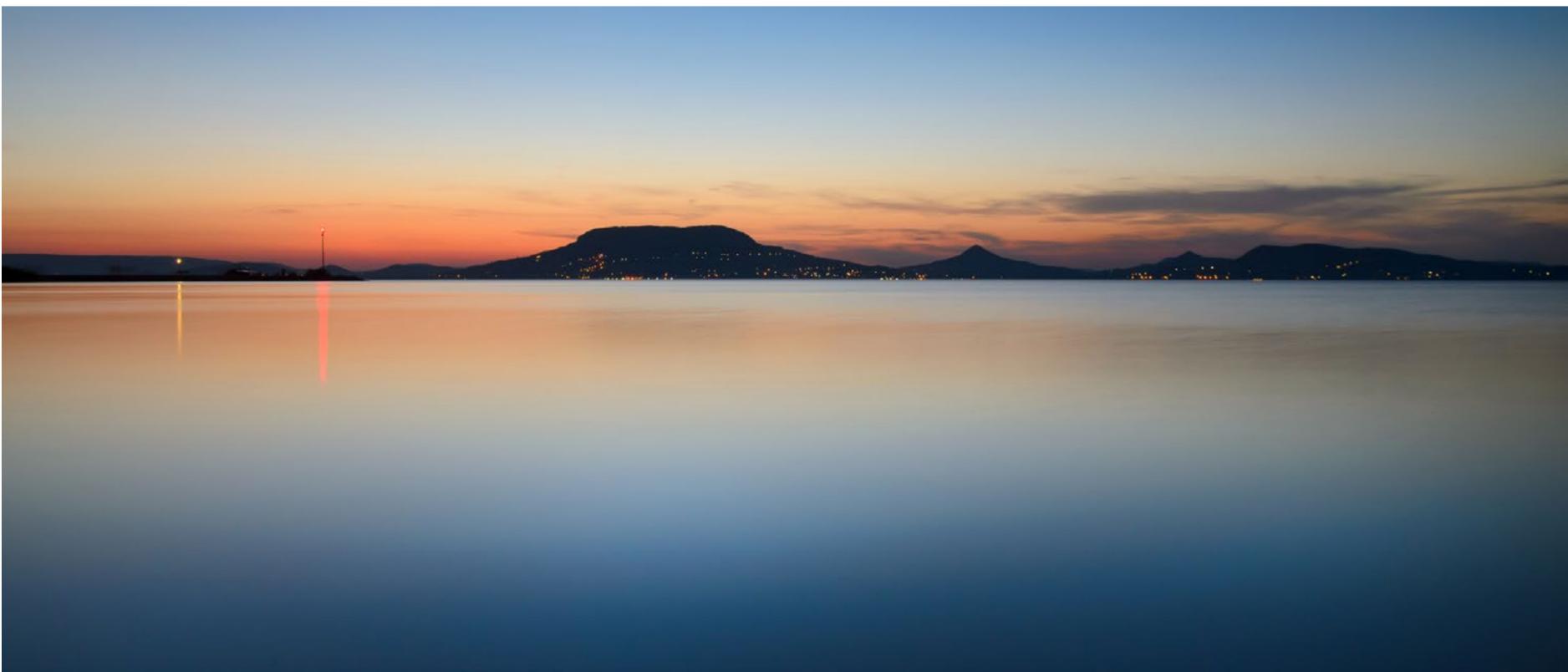
**Dates: June 12–14, 2026**

We're setting out to discover a side of Lake Balaton that goes far beyond the beaches: volcanic hills, excellent wines, active relaxation, and local flavors. This experience can be enjoyed as a single-day adventure or a leisurely two-night weekend getaway.

## ***Day 1 – Arrival in Badacsony***

We'll leave Budapest in the early afternoon and arrive in Badacsony later in the day. Once there, we'll check in at Villa Bella, a charming accommodation with stunning views over the vineyards and the lake. The peaceful atmosphere and comfortable rooms make it the perfect place to unwind.

In the evening, we'll enjoy dinner at the villa's Mediterranean-style restaurant, then have some free time to relax, take a stroll through the village, or visit the beach.



## Day 2 – Szent György Hill & Wine Experiences

After breakfast, we'll pack a lunch for the day and head to **Szent György Hill**, one of the most unique natural attractions in the Badacsony wine region.



Szent György Hill is one of the iconic “witness hills” of the Balaton Uplands. Its basalt organ pipes are remnants of volcanic activity from millions of years ago, forming regular, column-like structures that are breathtaking to see. The hike offers panoramic views of Lake Balaton and the surrounding vineyards. During the walk, we'll enjoy a packed sandwich lunch made from local ingredients. The afternoon is free for swimming, ice cream, or wandering among the vineyards of Badacsony.

### Late Afternoon – Váli Winery



Next, we'll visit Váli Winery, one of Hungary's top estates.

Here we'll taste 8–9 carefully selected wines paired with a variety of dishes.

We'll tour the estate, explore the cellar, and enjoy cold and hot appetizers, a wood-fired main course, and dessert.

It's a relaxed, atmospheric evening designed for enjoying both food and wine.

## Day 3 – Tihany Peninsula: Cycling, Lavender & Free Time

After breakfast, we'll head to the Tihany Peninsula.

### E-bike Tour

We'll take a 1.5–2 hour guided bike tour through the most scenic parts of the peninsula. You can choose between an e-bike and a traditional bike. Along the way, we'll learn about Tihany's volcanic heritage, geyser cones, lakes, and unique natural environment.



### Lavender Distillery Visit

We'll visit a family-run artisan lavender distillery, where we'll see how lavender is processed daily and taste lavender syrups, teas, and handmade sweets. The afternoon is free to explore Tihany at our own pace: stroll through the charming streets, visit the Abbey, swim, or try a traditional Balaton-style fried dough ("lángos") before returning to Budapest in the late afternoon.



## Price and Details

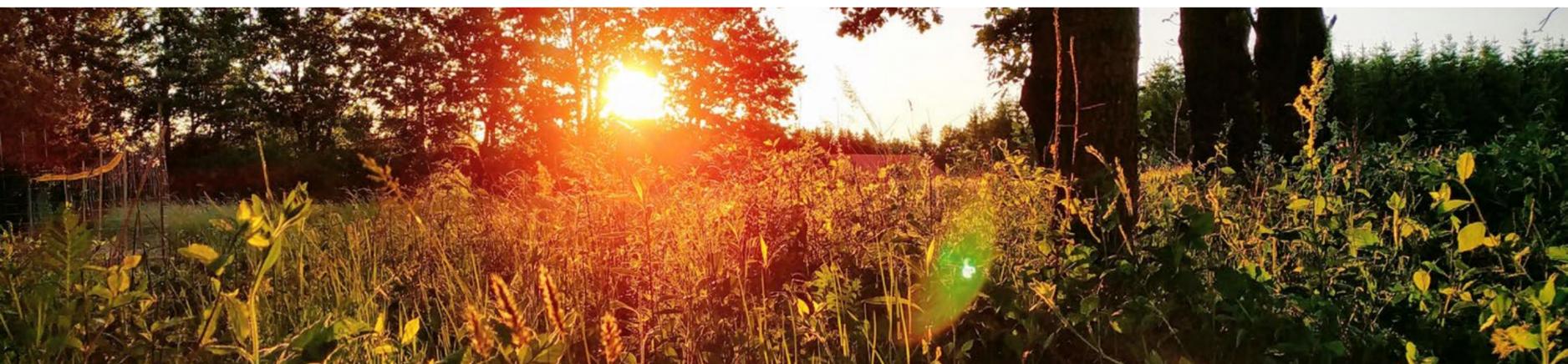
**Price: 670 €**

Accommodation (for 2-night program)  
**Villa Bella, Badacsonytomaj**

### The program includes:

- Private transfer to and from Budapest
- 2 nights at Villa Bella
- 1 Italian-style dinner at the villa
- 2 breakfasts
- Guided Szent György Hill hike with views of the basalt organ pipes.
- Packed sandwich lunch for the hike
- Visit to Váli Winery: estate tour, cellar visit, wine tasting of 8–9 wines, cold and hot appetisers, wood-fired main course, dessert.
- Tihany Peninsula e-bike tour (1.5–2 hours, e-bike or traditional bike)
- Visit to lavender distillery with tastings of syrups, teas, and sweets.

**Single room supplement: 110 €.** Please indicate single room requests in the “Notes” section of the registration form. If not specified, participants will be paired automatically. Pairing is not guaranteed; if pairing is unsuccessful, the single room supplement must be paid.



## Any questions left?

**Don't hesitate to contact us with your questions!**

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