The Association of Historical Cities of Slovenia has been operating since 2001 and connects the cities that share the awareness that historical cities are the art treasure and tourist attraction, along with the realization that the preservation of cultural heritage enables economic and social development.

The European Commission declared the year of 2018 as the European Cultural Heritage Year, stating that "cultural heritage of the countries of Europe is an essential part of the collective memory and the identity of nations and plays an important economic role".

Cities connected to the Association of Historical Cities of Slovenia decided to present a vibrant, rich and diverse culture and the nobility of the cultural heritage of our cities in honor of the European Year of Cultural Heritage and the Year of Culture in Slovenian Tourism, in Brussels, as being the center of Europe. The Slovenian Culture Day in Brussels will also be dedicated to the tourist promotion of Slovenia and especially promotion of historical cities.

For the help and support for preparation of the "Slovenian Culture Day in Brussels", we would like to thank:

- The Embassy of the Republic of Slovenia in Brussels,
- Slovenian Members of European Parliament,
- the Permanent Representation of the Republic of Slovenia to the European Union,
- the Slovenian Economic and Research Association in Brussels.

The program will include:

- Big band - Music School of Marjan Kozina, Novo mesto,
- Ensemble Il Terzo Suono, Piran,
- Accordionist Laurent Africano from Belgium,
- Bozidar Jakac Gallery, Kostanjevica na Krki,
- Association of Women in Agriculture, Metlika and
- Consortium Cviček z.o.o., Kostanjevica na Krki.

The program will be hosted by Mojca Mavec.

We look forward to seeing you.

M.A. Maja Pak, Slovenian Tourist Organization
Mateja Hafner Dolenc, Slovenian Association of Historical Cities
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