



**VALENI**  
ECO VILLAGE

*Rustic Art Resort*

*"Back to basics"*



#Heart of Moldova's only UNESCO Biosphere Reserve "Lower Prut"

# The Village of the Moldovan Golden Hills / Grandma on Drums (Eurovision)

# 2023 BEST TOURISM VILLAGES by World Tourism Org. (UNWTO) / Entry to Danube's Delta



*We believe in brave people and beautiful projects, in strong communities, well anchored both in their historical heritage, yet thoroughly in pace with the modern world. We are crazy about the enigmatic charm and awe of rural Moldova.*

Tasting the sublime cuisine and the ruby wine of Southern Moldova in our bijou family winery; immersing in adventure tourism (boat trip, kayaking, bicycling to / from Lake Beleu / The Golden Hills of Văleni), fishing sports in our pond; or simply admiring a campfire under the starry Valeni night sky and spending the evening in one of our 4 rustic cottages (decorated as outdoor museums - "living culture"),

Eco-Village Văleni brings the Lower Prut summer nights' magic for the entire family.

Escape the turmoil of the city and discover the gaze and spectacle of such unsophisticated, yet complex world.

We have already done so.

## The S(oul) in Busines(S):

Established at the beginning of 2014 in the newly created Lower Prut UNESCO Biosphere Reserve Lunca Prutului, Eco-Village Văleni is a local social business, focused on the development of rural, cultural, wine tourism and ecotourism in the area.

*We set out with a burning desire to create an objective of national and international interest – becoming by our own example and the good practices we implement, a catalyst for rural development in the region.*



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Chief Enthusiastic Officer  
(CEO)



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Spirit Artistic-Finanțist  
Art Director & CFO



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PR & Marketing Director  
Incoming tourism manager



*Maya*

Protecția Perimetrului  
Chief Security Officer



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Maestru Oenolog  
Chief Wine Officer

Starting from the idea of a traditional museum, the complex later developed eco accommodation capacities (**agropension & rustic cottages**), a **rustic restaurant** (D'or Restaurant) and a **small family winery** (Corbu Winery) in order to offer our guests **the best Moldova has to offer**. We also organize fairs of the local craftsmen, becoming one of the few places in the southern region where they can sell their products for a fair price to the foreign tourists we bring from the Danube Cruise Ships; as well as we are **actively involved in various local development projects** through A.O. Ecoscut (the affiliated NGO).

Our efforts in developing the local eco-touristic capacities were recognised both by national authorities and international institutions being named the **"2020 Green and Socially Responsible SME of the Year"** (UNDP Moldova & ODIMM), as well as by renowned magazines **"Forbes 30 under 30"** (Forbes Magazine Romania) ; however, our proudest achievement is to observe how Văleni turns into **one of the most promising touristic hubs in Moldova**, recently also recognised by the World Tourism Organisation (UNWTO) as **"BEST TOURISM VILLAGES"**, the most prestigious global award for eco-tourism. 🏆







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## Facilities

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## & Experiences



Accommodation in rustic cottages (living culture) with porch, terrace and sunset lake view



Spa, Jacuzzi & Pool facilities  
(including playground & minipool for kids)



Corbu Winery – wine tasting trips and culinary immersion



Rustic restaurant/ Event hall for conferences & teambuildings



Traditional Moldovan weddings



Nature Trips with the Kayac in the Lower Prut UNESCO Biosphere Reserve (Beleu Lake/ Lilies' Lake)



Treatment with medicinal herbs & hydromassage in wooded barrels



Velo-tours on Valeni Golden Hills, geological monument  
protected by the Moldovan Academy of Sciences





## Prices for individual services:

	MDL	EUR
<u><b>Night stay in museum cottages (living culture)<sup>2/3</sup></b></u>		
single room, en suite (with breakfast and dinner)	1100 MDL / room	55 EUR /room
double room, en suite (with breakfast and dinner)	1500 MDL / room	75 EUR / room
familly room (of 4), en suite (with breakfast and dinner)	750 MDL / pers.	37.5 EUR /pers.
<u><b>Guided kayaking tour on Beleu Lake/ Prut (4h)<sup>4</sup>:</b></u>		
Monday- Friday	350 MDL / pers.	17, 5 EUR /pers
Weekend	400 MDL / pers.	20 EUR /pers
<u><b>Guided boat trip adventure (provided by the Bioshere administration)<sup>5</sup></b></u>		
"Lower Prut" UNESCO Biosphere Reserve (30 min)	Prices upon request	Prices upon request
<u><b>Master Class<sup>6</sup></b></u>		
" Weaving the traditional carpet of Lower Prut"	100 MDL / pers.	5 EUR / pers.
"Weaving wicker baskets"		
<u><b>Traditional lunch feast<sup>7</sup></b></u>		
Menu "The Culinary Experience of Lower Prut" (starters, type I, II, dessert and house wine)	400 MDL / pers.	20 EUR / pers.
<u><b>Whole pork rotisserie and bonfire under the starry sky (for aprox. 20 pers)</b></u>	6000 MDL	300 EUR
<u><b>Artistic program:</b></u>		
Ethno-Artistic band " The Nightingales of Văleni " (10 artists)	3000 MDL / representation	150 EUR / representation
The duo " Drummers of Valeni" (2 artists)	800 MDL / representation	40 EUR / representation
<u><b>Wine tasting with a sommelier<sup>8</sup></b></u>		
3 wines, cheese & pie platter	200 MDL / pers ;	10 EUR / pers.
<u><b>Treatment with medicinal herbs in wooded barrels</b></u>		
Simple wooded barrel for 5 pers.	1000 MDL	50 EUR
Barrel with hydromassage and colour therapy (6-8 per)	1500 MDL	75 EUR
<u><b>Sports bike rental</b></u>	60 MDL / 3h	3 EUR / 3h

**Traditional Wedding Menu**, from 1000 MDL (50 EUR) /person<sup>9</sup> depending on the menu; the wedding venues are free.<sup>10</sup>



<sup>2</sup>6 double rooms , 2 triple and 5 rooms x 4 pers in the the agropension and the 4 rustic cottages for a total of **38+ accommodation places; children until 4 years stay for free and children from 4-12 years stay for half price discount** . The price also includes access to the pool and jacuzzi centre. For conferences / large groups up to a total of **80+ seats are available together with the pensions partners** from Văleni ;

<sup>3</sup> **Additional price for STANDARD lunch - 200 MDL / pers (10 EUR)**

<sup>4</sup>Eco-Village Valeni has 4 kayaks \* 3 seats , 2 kayaks \* 2 seats , 1 canoe \* 3 seats , total : **max 19 pers / tour** . The price also includes the entrance fee to the reservation. Children from 4-12 years go for half price discount. **Prices valid for groups of more than 6-8 people.**

<sup>5</sup>The trip must be booked separately directly with the Biosphere admin, the ones authorised for boat trips on the Lake (for contact, see partners section below)

<sup>6</sup>Prices valid for groups of more than 10 people.

<sup>7</sup>Prices valid for groups of more than 10 people.

<sup>8</sup>Prices valid for groups of more than 10 people.

<sup>9</sup>No fruits and drinks. This PLUS package to menus (fruits, cognac, champaign, wine, beer) have an additional fee of 400 MDL (20 EUR) / pers.

<sup>10</sup> **2 locations available : indoor** ( rustic restaurant + covered terrace, capacity 200 pers.) / **Outdoor** - "under the sky of a thousand stars" (in the wooden pavilion of the Traditional Peasants' Court, capacity 200 pers.);

## Your trip could include:

- ❖ [Eco Village Natural](#) -birdwatching / photo-hunting and exploration of the [Lower Prut UNESCO Biosphere Reserve](#), relaxation through **water sports** and **involvement in local agriculture** ("wine harvest"),**fishing** in our pond;
- ❖ [Eco Village Academic](#) - **summer schools / practice sessions** for pupils, students and teachers;
- ❖ [Eco-Village KULTural](#) - visit to the **Museum of History and Ethnography Valeni**, the Traditional Peasant Court "House of Logging" and the "Traditional Carpets Weaving" Workshop;
- ❖ [Traditional Wedding in Eco Village](#) – organizing **YOUR unique events** according to Lower Prut ancient traditions;
- ❖ [Eco-Village Active](#) - **Visit by boat / kayak / bicycle on the Belev Lake**, in the heart of the [Lower Prut UNESCO Biosphere](#) / "The wooden bridge & the [trail of prince Petru Rares](#)"; **Visit by bike or horseback riding** the [Golden Hills](#) of Văleni - archaeological and geological monument of Moldova / "The virgins' hiding nest";
- ❖ [Eco-Village Relax & Spa](#) - access to the **pool, natural treatment** in **wooden barrels, jacuzzi** with phytomassage;
- ❖ [Eco Village Food & Wine Immersion](#) - **Tasting of wines and local cuisine** specific to the Lower Prut / **Visits to local wineries**: "Corbu Winery" Văleni + "Vinăria din Vale" Slobozia Mare / **Catering services** / **Master-class in bread baking** ("posmezi with sheep cheese");
- ❖ [Eco Village Traditions & Customs](#) - learning local traditions and customs: **hora dance, participation in masterclasses, carpet weaving and related activities** (dyeing wool fibers, torso, warp, etc.) / **Ethno-Folk program** presented by the Ethno-folklore Collective "Crăieșele" / Ethno-folklore program - "Grandma on drums" from Văleni (Eurovision);
- ❖ [Eco Village Festival](#) - short visits of 2-3 days during the **National Festival "Sweet Acacia Flower"** and **Belev BioFest**;
- ❖ [Eco-Village Craftsman](#) – attending fairs of folk craftsmen with workshops (**master class "weaving baskets / pottery"**);
- ❖ [Eco-Village Corporate](#) - a mix of the above services, customized for **epic team buildings** and companies' **etnoVERSARIES**.





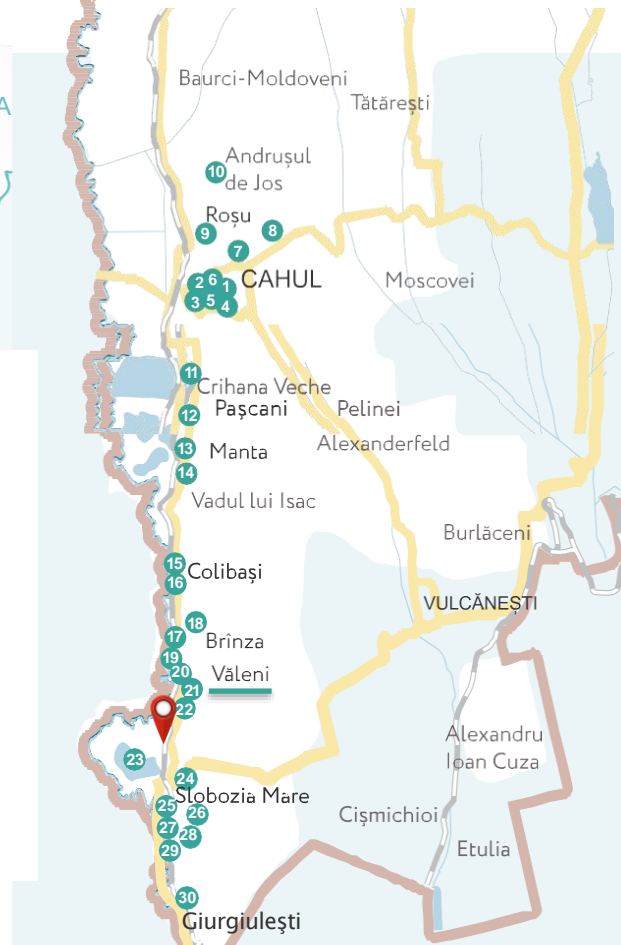
# Additional experiences available with our friends from the Biosphere

## Cahul Region map



## Touristic destination in Cahul

1. "White Lotus" Sanatory
2. Republican Theater "B.P. Hasdeu"
3. Cahul region museum
4. "El-Cairo" Hotel
5. "Metropolis" Restaurant
6. Cahul travel
7. Touristic operator "Hora inimii"
8. "La Cotihana" rest base
9. "Voina" Farm
10. "Cahul Honey House"
11. Crihana Veche History & Ethnography Museum
12. "Casa Bunicului" Agropension
13. "Gheorghe Burcă" leather craftshop
14. "Valentina Grigoriță" traditional craftshop
15. "Elizaveta Dorin" creative workshop
16. "Casa Dulce" Colibași coffeshop
17. Brînza Planetarium
18. "Lower Prut" honey house
19. "La bunica Clava" guesthouse
20. "Eco-Village Văleni" rustic art resort
21. "La Savetuca" guesthouse
22. "Vatra" touristic complex
23. Lower Prut UNESCO Biosphere Reserve
24. "La tanti Masha" culinary workshop
25. "Domeniile Pană" winery
26. "Potcoava Verde" touristic complex
27. "Vinăria din Vale" winery
28. Museum-House „La mama Catița”
29. Slobozia Mare History & Ethnography Museum
30. Culture & Civilisation Museum



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## Scientific exploration boat tours of Lake Beleu



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## Rural House "La Savetuca" - Gastronomic workshop



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### Vinăria din Vale – Wine tastings



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### Astrological observatory/planetarium



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### Potcoava Verde – Horse riding centre / ATV rental



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### Craftsman Dumitru Zaporojan – Wool processing workshop



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## Half-day Văleni TRIP for groups, no accommodation (500 MDL / 25 EUR / pers)<sup>10</sup>

*Period* April – October

*Itinerary* Văleni

*Included services*

- The visits and trips described in the program;
- Traditional feast for lunch and wine tasting;

*Services not included:*

- Transport with minibus
- Artistic program;

10:00 - 10:10	Receiving guests traditionally with bread and salt at the Museum of History and Ethnography Văleni <sup>11</sup> ;
10:10 - 11:00	Visiting the Văleni History Museum and the Traditional Carpet Weaving Workshop;
11:10 - 12:00	The Group's visit to the Valeni Traditional Peasant Court Museum and its visit;
12:00 --13:00	<b>Lunch</b> – Lower Prut culinary immersion <sup>11</sup> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Starters: Salad (seasonal vegetables), sheep cheese pie</li> <li>• Type I: Moldovan Soup (Chicken, noodles, sour cream, peppers) / Borscht with lamb and stevia</li> <li>• Type II: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Fish brine ( Fish , cooked vegetables , polenta , garlic ) or</li> <li>○ Pork stew ( Pork / lamb , stewed with vegetables, polenta , cheese )</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <b>Desert + Wine tasting</b>
13: 00- 14:00	Drum show program, offered by the <i>Ethno-Artistic band "The Nightingales of Văleni "</i> (10 artists) / "Artistic Drum Duo (2 artists)+ Masterclass in traditional 7-steps hora of Lower Prut;



<sup>10</sup> Price valid for tours of 10+ people.

<sup>11</sup> The wine house offered at discretion.



## 1-day full Valeni TRIP for groups, no accommodation (60 EUR / pers)<sup>12</sup>

*Period* April - October

*Itinerary* Galați - Giurgiulești - Văleni - Slobozia Mare - Galați

### *Services included*

- Transport with minibus classified for international travel;
- Cruise on Prut with small boat of 8/12 people - includes safety equipment;
- The visits and trips described in the program;
- Traditional lunch and wine tasting;
- Travel guide companion;

8:00 - 9:00	Departure from Galați / Valeni to the International Giurgiulesti Harbour ;
9:00 - 10:00	Boat trip from the Giurgiulesti Harbour upstream the Prut River to the Belev Lake ;
10: 00-13: 00	Bird watching and photo-shooting on the Belev Lake, the heart of the Lower Prut UNESCO biosphere, on kayaks with authorized guide / instructor;
13: 00-16: 00	Traditional Moldovan lunch and wine tasting at Corbu Winery in Văleni; Artistic Break - Duo " Drummers of Valeni ";
16:00 - 18:00	Exploration of local museums and other cultural touristic objectives;
18:00 - 19:30	Return to Galați;



<sup>12</sup> Price valid for groups of 10+ people

## Văleni TEASER - 1 night stay all inclusive / half day adventure (950 MDL / 47.5 EUR/pers )<sup>13</sup>

*Period* April - October

*Itinerary* Văleni - Slobozia Mare –Beleu Lake

### *Services included*

- Accommodation in traditional museum cottages, designed to reflect the four basic trades of the Lower Prut Biosphere: House of the Millman, House of the Potter, House of the Smith, House of the Shepard;
- Breakfast, lunch and dinner;
- Access to the pool, jacuzzi and spa centre;

### *Services not included:*

- Transport & access to the Beleu Lake;
- External visits and itineraries described in the program below / Travel guide companion;
- Cruise on Prut with small boats of 8/12 people or visits to the Lake Beleu with kayaks - includes safety equipment;

Day 1, starting at 4 p.m.	Check -in the cottages / Exploring the Golden Hills / Trail of prince Petru Rareș by bike;
Day 1, starting at 8 p.m.	Serving dinner + Wine tastings in the Corbu Winery;
Day 2, starting at 8 p.m.	Breakfast;
Day 2, starting at 9 p.m.	Kayak / boat trip on the Beleu Lake, the heart of the Lower Prut UNESCO Biosphere <sup>14</sup> or Relaxation / pool / jacuzzi access;
Day 2, starting at 12:00	Lunch and check-out;



<sup>13</sup>Children up to 4 years old stay free, and those from 4-12 years old at half price.

<sup>14</sup>For the kayak / boat trip on Lake Beleu the standard rates shown above apply, also the discounts for childrens.



**Văleni STANDARD-2 nights' stay all inclusive / 1 day adventure (1900 MDL / 95 EUR / pers.)<sup>15</sup>**

**Period** April - October

**Itinerary** Văleni - Slobozia Mare –Beleu Lake

**Services included**

- Accommodation in traditional museum cottages, designed to reflect the four basic trades of the Lower Prut Biosphere : House of the Millman, House of the Potter, House of the Smith man, House of the Shepard;
- Breakfast, cold snacks for the road and traditional dinners every day;
- Access to the pool, jacuzzi and spa centre;

**Services not included:**

- Transport & access to the Beleu Lake;
- External visits and itineraries described in the program below / Travel guide companion;
- Cruise on Prut with small boats of 8/12 people or visits to the Lake Beleu with kayaks - includes safety equipment;

Day 1, starting at 4 p.m.	Check – into the cottages / Exploring the Golden Hills / Trail of prince Peter Rares by bike
Day 1, starting at 8 p.m.	Serving dinner + Wine tastings in the Corbu Winery;
Day 2, starting at 8 a.m.	Breakfast
Day 2, starting at 9 p.m.	Kayak / boat trip on the Beleu Lake, the heart of the Lower Prut UNESCO Biosphere
Day 2, starting at 12:00	Lunch
Day 2, starting at 4 p.m.	Visits to the touristic objectives of Valeni (museums, drum workshop, weavers' den, etc) Relaxation / pool / jacuzzi access
Day 2, starting at 8 p.m.	Dinner
Day 3 - check out	Breakfast & Lunch Relaxation / pool / jacuzzi access



<sup>15</sup>Children up to 4 years old go for free, and those from 4-12 years old at half price.

**Văleni PLUS - 3 nights' stay all inclusive / 2 days of adventure (2850 MDL / 142.5 EUR / pers.)<sup>16</sup>**

**Period** April - October

**Itinerary** Văleni - Slobozia Mare –Beleu Lake

**Services included**

- Accommodation in traditional museum cottages, designed to reflect the four basic trades of the Lower Prut Biosphere : House of the Millman, House of the Potter, House of the Smith man, House of the Shepard;
- Breakfast, cold snacks for the road and traditional dinners every day;
- Access to the pool, jacuzzi and spa centre;

**Services not included:**

- Transport & access to the Beleu Lake;
- External visits and itineraries described in the program / Travel guide companion;
- Cruise on Prut with small boats of 8/12 people or visits to the Lake Beleu with kayaks - includes safety equipment;

Day 1 - Check in	Exploring the Golden Hills / the Trail of prince Petru Rares by bike
Day 2	Kayak / boat trip on the Beleu Lake, the heart of the Lower Prut UNESCO Biosphere Relaxation / pool / jacuzzi access
Day 3	Visits to the touristic objectives of Valeni (museums, drum workshop, weavers' den, etc) Relaxation / pool / jacuzzi access
Day 4 - Check out	Recreation / fishing;



<sup>16</sup>Children up to 4 years old go for free, and those from 4-12 years old at half price.



## Văleni VIP - 4 nights' royal stay/ 3 days of adventures (400 Eur / pers. )

**Period** April - October

**Itinerary** Văleni - Slobozia Mare –Beleu Lake

**Services included**

- Accommodation in traditional museum cottages, designed to reflect the four basic trades of the Lower Prut Biosphere : House of the Millman, House of the Potter, House of the Smith man, House of the Shepard;
- Visits and itineraries described in the program below ;
- Transport with minibus classified for international travel;
- Breakfast, cold snacks for the road and traditional dinners every day;
- Access museums / Travel guide companion;
- Access to the pool, jacuzzi and spa centre;
- Cruise on Prut /Beleu Lake with small boats of 8/12 people or visits to the Lake Beleu with kayaks - includes safety equipment;

Day 1 -Check in	Customary greeting with bread and salt in Văleni / Festive dinner + campfire with festive program
Day 2	Kayak / boat trip on the Beleu Lake, the heart of the Lower Prut UNESCO Biosphere Exploring the Golden Hills / the Trail of prince Petru Rares by bike  Relaxation / pool / jacuzzi access
Day 3	Cultural exploration of local museums and other cultural objectives ; or  Craft activities - learning on how to build nests , manufacturing wine , wooden objects , ceramics , sewing carpets , etc. ;  Relaxation / pool / jacuzzi access
Day 4	Wine tastings and visit in the wineries of Lower Prut ( Corbu Winery , Vinăria din Vale, Domeniile Pană ) ;  Herbal treatment in wooden heated barrels / treatment with leeches ;
Day 5 - Check-out	Recreation / fishing ;





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# VĂLENI

- Obiective turistice**
- Obiective comunitare**
- Unități cazare/mâncare**



1. Lacul Beleu
2. Podul de lemn de pe gâră
3. Foișor „Popasul lui Rareș”
4. Turnul de observare a păsărilor
5. Colina de aur
6. Izvorul din Râpa Cămilei
7. Cimitirul Vechi
8. Târgul din Văleni
9. Centrul cultural Văleni cu colectivele etnofolclorice „Vălenașii” și „Mugurașii”
10. Muzeul de istorie și etnografie Văleni

11. Muzeul „Gheorghe Vodă”
12. Centrul de vizită și studiu ecologic
13. Muzeul Pâinii
14. Agropensiunea „La gura cuptorului”
15. Casa rurală „La Bunica Clava”
16. Casa rurală „La Boieru”
17. Popasul „La vatră”
18. Casa rurală „La Savetuca”
19. Casa rurală „Bujorii de acasă”
20. Casa rurală „La taifas”
21. Alea „Km 0”
22. Agropensiunea „Aroma Iomnului”
23. Popas turistic „Afloriment de la Văleni”
24. Complex turistic „Eco Village” Văleni
25. Casa rurală „La pleanul lui Vodă”
26. Rapsozii Bojonearu (Boonika Eurovision)
27. Râpa lu Cotoi



Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation SDC  
Agencia Europea para el Desarrollo y Cooperación  
Ukrainian Development Cooperation for Sustainable Development



## REZERVAȚIA NATURALĂ „PRUTUL DE JOS”

LOWER PRUT Nature Reserve

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### FONDATAȚĂ: 1991

prin Hotărârea Guvernului nr. 209 din 23 aprilie  
ESTABLISHED IN 1991 by the Government Decision  
No.209 of April 23rd.

### STRUCTURA

- Lacul Beleu, are o vârstă de 5-6 mii de ani, cu o suprafață de 628 ha, 2x5 km, adâncimea medie - 0,5 - 1 m și este un relict al lăzii Dunării;
- Pășuni - 124 ha; păduri - 370,4 ha;
- Lunca inundabilă - 610 ha;
- Alte terenuri - 23 ha.

Lacul Beleu și lăzii inundabilă din preajmă sunt populate de 206 specii de păsări. Dintre care 44 sunt rare, luate sub protecție pe plan național și internațional: corbion mic (Phalacrocorax pygmaeus), egretă mare (Egretta alba), berza neagră (Ciconia nigra), stârc galben (Ardeola ralloides), lopătar (Platania leucorodia), pelican comun (Pelecanus onocrotalus), țigănușul (Plegadis falcinellus) ș.a.

Beleu Lake and the floodplain are populated by 206 species of birds. Of them, 44 are rare species, protected nationally and internationally, such as: pygmy cormorant (Phalacrocorax pygmaeus), great egret (Egretta alba), black stork (Ciconia nigra), squaw heron (Ardeola ralloides), Eurasian spoonbill (Platania leucorodia), great white pelican (Pelecanus onocrotalus), glossy ibis (Plegadis falcinellus) etc.

Ictiofauna complexului acvatic se caracterizează cu peste 32 specii de pești (carp, caras, plăcică galbenă, somn, vidră, plăcică albă ș.a.). Specii rare: saboșă (Pelecus cultratus), bibanul-soare (Lepomis gibbosus), țigănușul (Umbra krameri), zătar (Zingel zingel) ș.a.

The ichthyofauna of the lake is represented by over 32 fish species (carp, crucian carp, pike, white catfish, ide, common bream etc.). Rare species: snipe (Pelecus cultratus), pumpkinseed (Lepomis gibbosus), European mudminnow (Umbra krameri), common zingel (Zingel zingel) etc.

Vegetația în cea mai mare parte este prezentată de desigurul de stuf, sălciori, precum și de un covor bogat de plante de apă de luncă inundabilă (papura, pigurică, pulică, crinul-de-bătă, săgeata apei, lăntuș, în total 312 specii de plante). Specii incluse în Cartea Roșie: nuflă albă (Nymphaea alba), peștișoara (Salvinia natans), cornaci-natură (Trapa natans), viță-de-plădure (Vitis sylvestris).

The vegetation is mainly represented by the reed, willow, as well as a rich carpet of pondweed within the flooded lands (cattail, variegated horsetail, fringed water-lily, flowering rush, arrowhead, duckweed, 312 plant species in total). Species included in the Red Book: white water-lily (Nymphaea alba), floating fern (Salvinia natans), water chestnut (Trapa natans), wild grape vine (Vitis sylvestris).

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