

Travel Packages Catalog

Birdwatching tours in Montenegro



“Monteniko” for autumn 2026

Birdwatching in Montenegro 2026



Montenegro is a unique ornithological hub in Europe, where key bird migration routes lie at the junction of rugged mountain ranges and the azure Adriatic. This specialized program is designed for true lovers of wildlife and birdwatching.

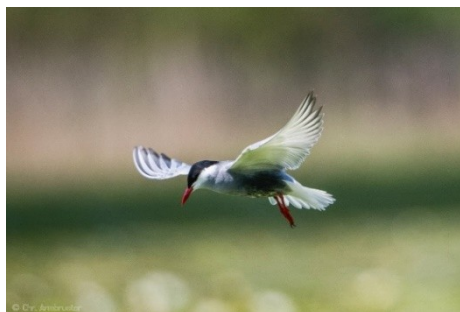
Over the course of 8 days, you'll immerse yourself in the unique ecosystems of the Balkans: from the vast expanses of Lake Skadar (the largest bird sanctuary in Europe) to the shallow salt marshes of Ulcinj and the steppe biotopes of Čemovsko Polje. The route is carefully planned to combine comfortable accommodation in the cozy coastal town of Petrovac with early morning departures—the peak of bird activity. Each excursion is accompanied by experienced local ornithologists, guaranteeing the best chance of encountering and documenting rare species, including Dalmatian pelicans, glossy ibis, white-cheeked terns, and peregrine falcons. Get your binoculars and cameras ready—Montenegro is ready to reveal its most hidden natural secrets.

"We've developed three types of birdwatching trips in Montenegro specifically for wildlife enthusiasts. The group size is capped to ensure maximum comfort (minimum 6, maximum 10 participants). Choose your ideal **birdwatching** pace:

- **8-days ("Intensive")**—a fully immersive program for passionate naturalists: early departures, rare locations, and the hunt for unique shots.
- **6-days ("Active")**—a dynamic, balanced itinerary combining birdwatching with easy trekking through the most picturesque natural areas.
- **5-days ("Express")**—a concise yet intense weekend tour for those who want to see the key ornithological hubs of the Balkans in a short time."

Birdwatching / TOUR PROGRAM / 8 days “Intensive”

Day 1 | Podgorica Airport – Petrovac



- **Service:** Bus & Guide (Including)
- **Program:** Arrival at Podgorica Airport. Meeting with the tour guide. Transfer to Petrovac. Hotel check-in.

Day 2 | Petrovac – Skadar Lake National Park

- **Time:** 06:00 – 14:00
- **Service:** Bus, Guide & Local Ornithologists (Including)
- **Meal Plan:** Breakfast as a packed lunch to take away + Lunch
- **Program:** Our program starts at 07:00 AM in the Skadar Lake National Park, the largest lake on the Balkan Peninsula. We begin our journey around Lake Skadar in the settlement of Virpazar, accompanied by an experienced guide and local ornithologists. During the boat trip, we observe numerous bird species. Lunch (fish picnic) will be served at 11:30 AM in a restaurant on the shore of Lake Skadar. Departure for the hotel at 13:00.
- **Details:** Total driving distance per day is approximately 60 km (by bus).



Day 3 | Petrovac – Ulcinjska Solana



- **Time:** 06:00 – 14:00
- **Service:** Bus & Guide (Including)
- **Meal Plan:** Breakfast as a packed lunch to take away.
- **Program:** The Ulcinj saltworks were created on the site of a former bird lagoon and remain an important area for birds. Enjoy a walk among the salt pans. Departure for the hotel at 13:00.
- **Details:** Total driving distance per day is approximately 110 km (by bus). Walking distance: approximately 6–8 km.

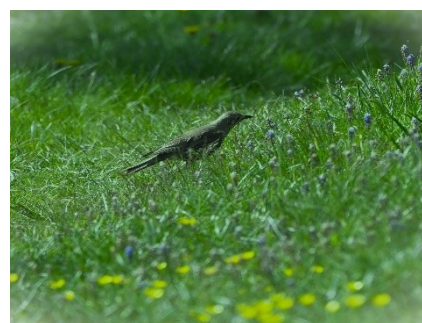
Day 4 | Petrovac – Budva (Optional Excursion)

- **Time:** 09:00 – 15:00
- **Service:** Bus & Guide (Optional)
- **Meal Plan:** Breakfast buffet
- **Program:** A day off for rest or an optional excursion. Guided city walk in Budva (Old Town). Boat trip to the islands of Sveti Nikola and Sveti Stefan (including drinks). Afterwards, enjoy 2 hours of free time in Budva. Transfer back to the hotel.
- **Details:** The walking distance in the Old Town is approximately 3 km. The total distance traveled by bus is approximately 50 km.

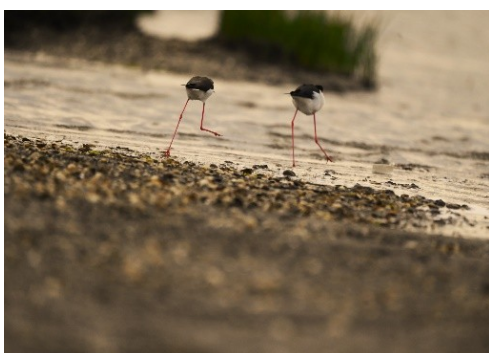


Day 5 | Petrovac – Buljarica & Tivat Solila

- **Time:** 06:00 – 14:00
- **Service:** Bus & Guide (Including)
- **Meal Plan:** Breakfast as a packed lunch to take away.
- **Program:** First, we will visit the 2-kilometer-long bay "Buljarica". Afterwards, we drive to "Tivat Solila" — a shallow lagoon on the site of former salt mines, which is regularly filled with seawater and serves as a habitat for marsh birds. Transfer to the hotel.
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Day 6 | Petrovac – Ćemovsko Polje

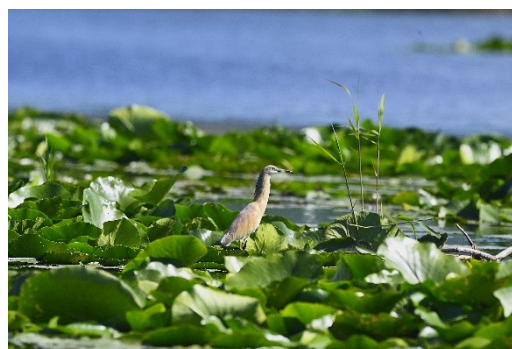


- **Time:** 06:00 – 14:00
- **Service:** Bus & Guide (Including)
- **Meal Plan:** Breakfast as a packed lunch to take away (B)
- **Program:** Our destination today is the Ćemovsko Field, a habitat for typical steppe birds. The Ćemovsko Field stretches across part of the Zeta Plain between the Cijevna, Zeta, and Morača rivers. Transfer to the hotel.

- **Details:** The walking distance is approximately 4–6 km. The total distance traveled is approximately 120 km.

Day 7 | Petrovac – Skadar Lake National Park

- **Time:** 09:00 – 15:00
- **Service:** Bus & Guide (Including)
- **Meal Plan:** Breakfast buffet + Lunch
- **Program:** Excursion to Lake Skadar National Park focusing on the southern shore ("Panorama Route"), including a boat trip, fish picnic, and wine tasting. Lunch (fish picnic) will be served at 12:30 PM in a restaurant on the banks of the Crnojevića River, which flows into Lake Skadar. Departure for the hotel at 14:00.
- **Details:** The total distance traveled per day is approximately 60 km (by bus).



Day 8 | Petrovac – Podgorica Airport

- **Service:** Bus & Guide (Including)
- **Meal Plan:** Breakfast or breakfast package
- **Program:** Hotel check-out. Transfer to the airport. End of services.



ORNITHOLOGICAL DATA / The most common and well-known species:

- **Lake Skadar:**

Pelecanus crispus - Dalmatian pelican; *Phalacrocorax carbo* - Great Cormorant;
Microcarbo pygmaeus - Pygmy cormorant; *Ardea cinerea* - Grey heron;
Ardea alba - White heron; *Ardeola ralloides* - Squacco heron;
Platalea leucorodia - Eurasian spoonbill; *Ciconia nigra* - Black stork;
Anas platyrhynchos - Mallard duck; *Fulica atra* - Eurasian coot;
Circus aeruginosus - Western marsh harrier; *Alcedo atthis* - Common kingfisher;
Chlidonias hybrida — Whiskered tern; *Plegadis falcinellus* — Glossy ibis

- **Ulcinjaska Solana:**

Phoenicopterus roseus — Greater flamingo; *Pelecanus crispus* — Dalmatian pelican;
Himantopus himantopus — Black-winged stilt; *Recurvirostra avosetta* — Pied avocet;
Platalea leucorodia — Eurasian spoonbill; *Ardea alba* — White heron;
Egretta garzetta — Little egret; *Gallinago gallinago* — Common snipe;
Actitis hypoleucos — Common sandpipe; *Tringa nebularia* — Common greenshank;
Calidris minuta — Little stint; *Merops apiaster* — European bee-eater;
Falco cherrug — Saker falco; *Clanga pomarina* — Lesser spotted eagle;
Circus aeruginosus — Western marsh harrier; *Glareola pratincola* — Collared pratincole

- **Tivat Solila & Bularica:**

Phoenicopterus roseus - Greater flamingo; *Himantopus himantopus* - Black-winged stilt;
Recurvirostra avosetta — Pied avocet; *Tringa totanus* — Common redshank;
Charadrius alexandrinus — Kentish plover; *Egretta garzetta* — Little egret;
Ardea cinerea — Grey heron; *Platalea leucorodia* — Eurasian spoonbill;
Sterna hirundo - Common tern; *Larus melanocephalus* - Mediterranean gull;
Tachybaptus ruficollis — Little grebe; *Calidris ferruginea* — Curlew sandpiper;
Calidris alpina — Dunlin

- **Čemovsko Polje:**

Athene noctua — Owl of Athena (little owl); *Upupa epops* — Hoopoe;
Galerida cristata — Crested lark; *Oenanthe hispanica* — Western black-eared wheatear;
Merops apiaster — European bee-eater; *Falco tinnunculus* — Common kestrel;
Alectoris graeca — Rock partridge; *Pica pica* — Eurasian magpie;
Caprimulgus europaeus — European nightjar;
Circaetus gallicus - Short-toed snake eagle; *Fringilla coelebs* — Eurasian chaffinch;
Clamator glandarius — Great spotted cuckoo; *Galerida cristata* — Crested lark;
Calandrella brachydactyla — Greater short-toed lark

**Package Price: Including Hotel "Amfora" 4* Petrovac
Standard Double Room with Bed & Breakfast (BB)**

Travel Period: **September 17-24, 2026; October 4-11, 2026; October 11-18, 2026**

- **6 Persons: € 2,285.00 per person**
- **7 Persons: € 2,050.00 per person**
- **8 Persons: € 1,880.00 per person**
- **9 Persons: € 1,745.00 per person**
- **10 Persons: € 1,635.00 per person**
- **Single Room Supplement: € 343.00 per person**

PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- 7 nights with breakfast in a 4-star hotel in Petrovac (Room size: 22 m², air-conditioned double room with cable TV, free Wi-Fi, flat-screen TV, telephone, complimentary toiletries, towels, hairdryer, private bathroom with bathtub or shower, wardrobe).
- Hotel infrastructure: Upper floors accessible by elevator, 24-hour reception, buffet restaurant & lobby bar with terrace, outdoor swimming pool.
- Excursion to Lake Skadar (birdwatching from a boat) on Day 2, including 1 lunch at a restaurant on the shore.
- Excursion to Ulcinjska Solana.
- Excursion to Buljarica & Tivat Solila.
- Excursion to Ćemovsko Polje.
- All 4 main excursions are accompanied by an experienced English-speaking ornithologist.
- Classic boat trip on Lake Skadar (Day 7)
- 1 x lunch at a restaurant on the banks of the Crnoevica River (Day 7)
- Airport transfers including assistance and all transfers according to the program.

AGREEMENT

Tour «Birdwatching in Montenegro» 2026

Travel dates: **according to the offer**

Number of people: from 6 pax / max. 10 pax

Terms and conditions

Payment: 30% upon booking the tour; 70% no later than 45 days before the tour begins.

Cancellation policy

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Miscellaneous

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Bird watching / TOUR PROGRAM / 6 days “Active”

Day 1 | Podgorica Airport – Petrovac

- **Service:** Bus & Guide (Including)
- **Program:** Arrival at Podgorica Airport. Meeting with the tour guide. Transfer to Petrovac. Hotel check-in.



Day 2 | Petrovac – Skadar Lake National Park

- **Time:** 06:00 – 14:00
- **Service:** Bus, Guide & Local Ornithologists (Including)
- **Meal Plan:** Breakfast as a packed lunch to take away + Lunch.
- **Program:** Our program starts at 07:00 in the Skadar Lake National Park, the largest lake on the Balkan Peninsula. We begin our journey around Lake Skadar in the settlement of Virpazar, accompanied by an experienced guide and local ornithologists. During the boat trip, we observe numerous bird species. Lunch (fish picnic) will be served at 11:30 in a restaurant on the shore of Lake Skadar. Departure for the hotel at 13:00.
- **Details:** Total driving distance per day is approximately 60 km (by bus).

Day 3 | Petrovac – Ulcinjska Solana



- **Time:** 06:00 – 14:00
- **Service:** Bus & Guide (Including)
- **Meal Plan:** Breakfast as a packed lunch to take away
- **Program:** The Ulcinj saltworks were created on the site of a former bird lagoon and remain an important area for birds. Enjoy a walk among the salt pans. Departure for the hotel at 13:00.
- **Details:** Total driving distance per day is approximately 110 km (by bus). Walking distance: approximately 6–8 km.

Day 4 | Petrovac – Buljarica & Tivat Solila

- **Time:** 06:00 – 14:00
- **Service:** Bus & Guide (Including)
- **Meal Plan:** Breakfast as a packed lunch to take away.
- **Program:** First, we will visit the 2-kilometer- long bay "Buljarica". Afterwards, we drive to "Tivat Solila" — a shallow lagoon on the site of former salt mines, which is regularly filled with seawater and serves as a habitat for marsh birds. Transfer to the hotel.
- **Details:** The walking distance is approximately 6–8 km. The total distance traveled is approximately 100 km.



Day 5 | Petrovac – Ćemovsko Polje



- **Time:** 06:00 – 14:00
- **Service:** Bus & Guide (Including)
- **Meal Plan:** Breakfast as a packed lunch to take away.
- **Program:** Our destination today is the Ćemovsko Field, a habitat for typical steppe birds. The Ćemovsko Field stretches across part of the Zeta Plain between the Cijevna, Zeta, and Morača rivers. Transfer to the hotel.
- **Details:** The walking distance is approximately 4–6

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Day 6 | Petrovac – Podgorica Airport

- **Service:** Bus & Guide (Including)
- **Meal Plan:** Breakfast or breakfast package
- **Program:** Hotel check-out. Transfer to the airport. End of services.

ORNITHOLOGICAL DATA / The most common and well-known species:

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Platalea leucorodia - Eurasian spoonbill; *Ciconia nigra* - Black stork;
Anas platyrhynchos - Mallard duck; *Fulica atra* - Eurasian coot;
Circus aeruginosus - Western marsh harrier; *Alcedo atthis* - Common kingfisher;
Chlidonias hybrida — Whiskered tern; *Plegadis falcinellus* — Glossy ibis

• Ulcinjska Solana:

Phoenicopterus roseus — Greater flamingo; *Pelecanus crispus* — Dalmatian pelican;
Himantopus himantopus — Black-winged stilt; *Recurvirostra avosetta* — Pied avocet;
Platalea leucorodia — Eurasian spoonbill; *Ardea alba* — White heron;
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Falco cherrug — Saker falco; *Clanga pomarina* — Lesser spotted eagle;
Circus aeruginosus — Western marsh harrier; *Glareola pratincola* — Collared pratincole

• Tivat Solila & Bularica:

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Package Price: Including Hotel "Amfora" 4* Petrovac

Standard Double Room with Bed & Breakfast (BB)

Travel Period: **September 17-22, 2026; October 4-9, 2026; October 11-16, 2026**

- **6 Persons: € 1,815.00 per person**
- **7 Persons: € 1,630.00 per person**
- **8 Persons: € 1,480.00 per person**
- **9 Persons: € 1,370.00 per person**
- **10 Persons: € 1,275.00 per person**
- **Single Room Supplement: € 245.00 per person**

PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- 5 nights with breakfast in a 4-star hotel in Petrovac (Room size: 22 m², air-conditioned double room with cable TV, free Wi-Fi, flat-screen TV, telephone, complimentary toiletries, towels, hairdryer, private bathroom with bathtub or shower, wardrobe).
- Hotel infrastructure: Upper floors accessible by elevator, 24-hour reception, buffet restaurant & lobby bar with terrace, outdoor swimming pool.
- Excursion to Lake Skadar (birdwatching from a boat) on Day 2, including 1 lunch at a restaurant on the shore.
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- Airport transfers including assistance and all transfers according to the program

AGREEMENT

Tour «Bird watching in Montenegro» 2026

Number of people: from 6 pax / max. 10 pax

Payment: 30% upon booking the tour; 70% no later than 45 days before the tour begins.

Cancellation policy: Up to 45 days prior to arrival: **Free cancellation**

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Bird watching / TOUR PROGRAM / 5 days “Express”

Day 1 | Podgorica Airport – Petrovac

- **Service:** Bus & Guide (Including)
- **Program:** Arrival at Podgorica Airport. Meeting with the tour guide. Transfer to Petrovac. Hotel check-in.

Day 2 | Petrovac – Skadar Lake National Park

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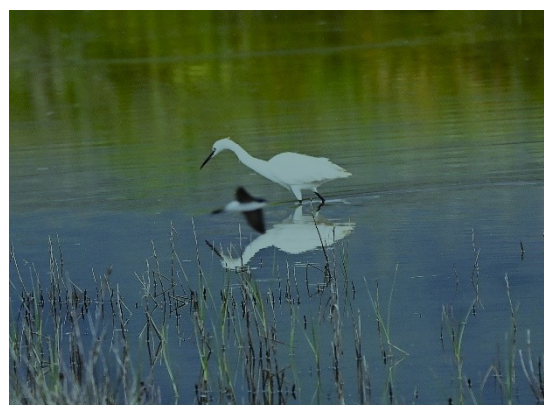
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- **Program:** First, we will visit the 2-kilometer-long bay "Buljarica". Afterwards, we drive to "Tivat Solila" — a shallow lagoon on the site of former salt mines, which is regularly filled with seawater and serves as a habitat for marsh birds. Transfer to the hotel.
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Day 5 | Petrovac – Podgorica Airport

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