

Association of Slovene Simmental Breeders
Insemination centre for Simmental cattle Ptuj



**30TH CONGRESS
OF THE EUROPEAN
SIMMENTAL FEDERATION**



Ptuj, Slovenia

17th – 21st September 2013



Dear colleagues and fellow breeders.

We are delighted to be entrusted with the organization of 30th Congress of the European Simmental Federation. Since our last meeting in Slovenia the head count of Simmental breed cattle is stable, as it remains the leading breed of cattle in our country.

We are satisfied with selection advancement in the elapsed time. In the few days of our gathering, we wish to present you with the entire range of breeding activities in Slovenia. The programme of the congress includes among other activities, visits to the farms, sights and nature attractions of Slovenia, as well as the viewing of the national Simmental breed cattle exhibition at the conclusion the congress.

We kindly invite breeders, experts and friends of the Simmental breed from all over Europe to attend the great event of the 30th Congress of the European Simmental Federation.

Aleš Kotnik,
President of the Association
of Slovene Simmental Breeders

Jože Smolinger,
Expert manager for Simmental breed

Programme of the **30TH CONGRESS OF THE EUROPEAN SIMMENTAL FEDERATION**

Tuesday, 17th September 2013

- 18.00 – 21.00 Arrival and participant registration (Grand Hotel Primus)
- 20.00 Social gathering

Wednesday, 18th September 2013

- 9.00 – 10.45 European Federation Council Meeting (Grand Hotel Primus)
- 10.45 – 11.15 Coffee and snack break
- 11.15 – 12.45 World federation Council Meeting (Grand Hotel Primus)
- 12.45 – 13.45 Lunch break
- 13.45 – 16.00 Joint Session of EVF and WSFF Committees (GHP)
- 17.00 Reception at the municipality by the city mayor, dr. Štefan Čelan
- 19.00 Dinner and social gathering

Thursday, 19th September 2013

- 9.00 – 11.00 General assembly (Grand Hotel Primus)
- 11.00 – 11.20 Coffee break
- 11.20 Simmental cattle in Slovenia
- 11.55 Genomic selections in Simmental breed
- 12.30 Activities of the INTERBEEF association
- 13.05 Monitoring the health status in the heard
- 13.30 Discussion and conclusion of the Congress
- 16.30 Visit to a local farm
- 19.00 – 22.00 Gala dinner in Grand Hotel Primus Club Gemina

Friday, 20th September 2013

- 8.00 Departure from hotel to Gorenjska
- 11.00 Tour of Bled
- 13.00 Visit to a farm, lunch
- 17.00 Ljubljana city tour
- 19.00 Departure to Ptuj
- 22.00 Arrival at the hotel

Saturday, 21st September 2013

- 9.00 Guided Ptuj city tour and a visit to the castle
- 12.00 Visit to the national Simmental breed exhibition in Lenart
- 13.00 Official opening of the exhibition
- 14.00 Award ceremony for the winning cattle
- 15.00 Lunch at the exhibition fair

Registration fee

	Registration before 30. april	Registration after 30. april
Participant fee	400,00 EUR	480,00 EUR
Accompanying person	340,00 EUR	420,00 EUR

Please send a filled-out registration form,
which can be found at www.kgz-ptuj.si/EVFcongress2013
to the following e-mail address: tajnistvo@kgz-ptuj.si
or by fax to: + 386 2 749 36 20.

Registration is valid only upon payment of the registration fee to:
*Uprava za javne prihodke, Enota Slovenska Bistrica, Ljubljanska cesta 11,
2310 Slovenska Bistrica. IBAN: SI 56 01100 6030234826; SWIFT: BSLJSI2X*

Cancellation policy

50,00 EUR shall be withheld from the registration fee for cancellation before 1.8.2013,
due to administration costs. Unfortunately, there shall be no return of the fee for later
cancellations.

Accommodation

Grand hotel Primus **** superior

Pot v toplice 9, 2251 Ptuj, Slovenia
www.sava-hotels-resorts.com/en/ptuj

The Grand Hotel Primus is a medium-sized hotel with 119 rooms. The hotel was named after the famous Roman general Marcus Antonius Primus, who was the first to carry the name of Ptuj, Slovenia's oldest town, out into the world. The town's rich Roman history can be felt at every step: guests of the hotel can relax in a Roman-style wellness centre, Thermal Park or enjoy culinary delicacies based on recipes from the distant past.

Accommodation price for a single room: 75,00 EUR per night, per person, including breakfast.

Accommodation price for a double room: 62,00 EUR per night, per person, including breakfast.

Tourist tax in the amount of 1,01 EUR per person, per night is not included in the price.

Discounted prices, listed above are guaranteed for payments of registration fee and room reservations made before 30.4.2013.

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Hotel Mitra ***

Prešernova 6, 2250 Ptuj, Slovenia
www.hotel-mitra.si

In Hotel Mitra, Ptuj's rich cultural heritage meets modern comfort. It provides visitors of Ptuj with the needed amenities for either personal trips or business travel. A charming small hotel with individually decorated and furnished rooms is located in the old city centre of Slovenia's oldest town. You can reach the congress facilities on foot in 15-20 minutes, walking along the river Drava through picturesque city streets.

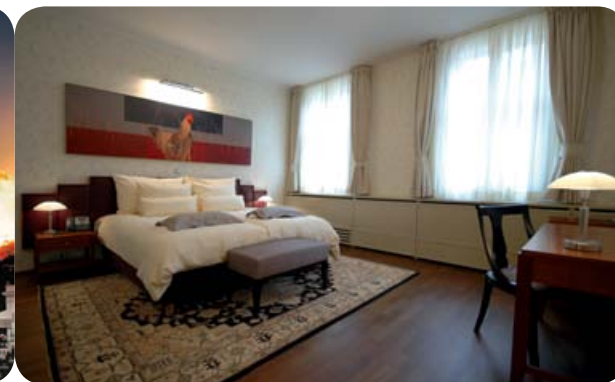
Accommodation price for a single room: 52,00 EUR per night, per person, including breakfast.

Accommodation price for a double room: 45,00 EUR per night, per person, including breakfast.

Tourist tax in the amount of 1,01 EUR per person per night is not included in the price.

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Please address your queries for additional information regarding the accommodation to e-mail: ptuj@vedute.si, Ptujске vedute, Prešernova 6, 2250 Ptuj, Slovenija, Tel.: +386 2 778 87 80, Fax: +386 2 778 87 81; www.vedute.si.



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Other information

Location:

Ptuj is situated in the north-eastern part of Slovenia, at a distance of 129 km from Ljubljana, 288 km from Vienna, 481 km from Munich, 385 km from Venice, 99 km from Zagreb and 336 km from Budapest.

Climate:

Slovenia is located in a moderate climate, typical of Central Europe. Average daily temperature in September is 15,3°C.

Currency:

Official currency in Slovenia is EURO.

Languages of the Congress:

Official languages of the congress are Slovene, German and English. All necessary translations will be provided.

