



## **WESTERN MACEDONIAN LAKE TOWNS: KASTORIA, PRESPE & NIMFEO**

*DURATION: 1 night, 2 days*

Experience a trip to the northwest edge of Greece, enjoy the views of a beautiful landscape and discover the elements of the Byzantine and Balkan culture mirrored in the waters of lakes Kastoria & Prespes. Three of the most picturesque locations in Northern Greece are the main attractions of this tour. We start from the lake city of Kastoria, where the participants will visit Limneon, a Neolithic lake settlement, the byzantine monastery of Mavriotissa and the byzantine church of Agioi Anargiroi. A walk around Doltso and Apozari, the picturesque old neighborhoods of Kastoria, will conclude the first part of the excursion. On the second day, the tour will lead its way to the lakes of Prespes and the island of Agios Germanos, where you will have the



chance to visit the Basilica of Agios Achilios (dating back to the 10th century AD). After a lunch in a local restaurant and on the way to Thessaloniki, we will pass by Nimfeio, a traditional stone-house village, where visitors can enjoy nature, local cuisine and visit the Bear Refuge of Arcturos.

Sunday, May 29<sup>th</sup> – Monday, May 30<sup>th</sup>

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**Price: €165, 00 per person sharing double bed room, + € 20, 00 per person for single bed room pp**

*Includes: coach bus transportation, professional tour guide, tour coordinator, 1 night accommodation with breakfast and 2 lunches*

**[minimum participation 25 pax]**

*PROGRAMME*

**Sunday, May 29<sup>th</sup>**

07.30	depart for Kastoria
11.00 - 12.00	arrive & tour the Neolithic lake settlement in Kastoria
12.00 - 13.00	city tour of Kastoria (Mavriotissa)
13.00	check in at hotel, & lunch at Doltso restaurant
17.00 - 19.00	walking tour of historic center of Kastoria (Doltso / Ag.Anargyroi / Apozari)
19.00	rest of evening free (suggestions upon request)

**Monday, May 30<sup>th</sup>**

09.00	depart for Prespes
10.30	arrive at Prespes and visit the Society of Protection of Prespa (SPP) building
11.30	tour at Agios Achillios island
12.30	depart for Nymphaio
14.00	lunch close by Nymphaio
16.00	tour in Nymphaio village
18.00	depart for Thessaloniki
20.00	arrive at Thessaloniki

*Please fill in the [online form](#) to indicate your interest in participating and SYMVOLI Conference & Cultural Management will get back to you with more details as soon as possible!*